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Life in Bethlehem started getting back, the state of emergency is over, stores are opening now, people are moving around with precautions. Things look promising and is giving us hope. Movement between districts are open, more patients from Hebron are coming to Holy Family Hospital. Unfortunately, this hope didn't last long, starting the 3<sup>rd</sup> week of June more cases were diagnosed with COVID19 in Bethlehem and Hebron. Suddenly, things started getting worst and worst, and on June 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> Bethlehem and Hebron were totally closed to allow for the Ministry of Health to collect the needed swabs and try to control the spread.

At the end of the month the MOH announced that we have around 14 areas where the virus is spreading in Bethlehem Governorate (Camps, villages, and cities) and in Hebron, there are 24 areas. The total of positive cases in Bethlehem and Hebron were 152 and 1359 respectively by June 30, 2020.

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With all the risks we were going through, a total of 390 patients delivered safely at Holy Family Hospital. On June 18<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> we delivered 19, 20, and 19 patients in each day respectively. Work is huge, the risk is bigger now with the increased areas of infection but the Staff at Holy Family Hospital is still working hard and committed to providing secured medical care to the women and infant.

*Lord keep us safe through this pandemic,  
Secure from all our fears.  
May angels guide us while we are working.  
Amen*



# Congratulations



Lamees Rishmawi, our Staff Nurse at the Operating Theater, who is married to Dr. Tamer Musleh, our Resident Doctor in OB/GYN, gave birth to their first baby boy “Baby Issa” on June 28<sup>th</sup>, 2020.



In addition, Jovanna, wife of Johnny Qumsieh our Staff Coordinator, gave birth on June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2020 to their first baby boy “Baby Adam”

*Heavenly Father,*

*We thank you for the gift of life and for bringing these babies safely into this world. May you bless them and keep them, helping them to grow loving, strong and heavenly in Your love.*

*Amen*

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## *Unexpected Circumstances*

Anabelle Haymoor is a Midwife working at Holy Family Hospital for nearly 10 years, she has never been in such a situation before.

“I never faced such a situation, a mother who delivered by Caesarean Section was suspected to be carrying COVID19 since it was confirmed that her brother is infected. According to the protocol implemented at HFH, one midwife is supposed to take care of the mother and the newborn from the moment of admission until discharge and then must be in quarantine for 14 days”

“One of my colleagues on duty is pregnant and the other has a baby at home who needs his mother, I can't put them under the risk of infection at all; this encouraged me to volunteer of taking care of this case. This is the first case received at HFH to deal with, for sure we were afraid of the experience but I was previously a Nurse at the Nursery and now I am a Midwife so I know very well that I will be able to take good care of the baby and the mother”

“I was worried too since I am living with my parents and they are old and even if I take all the required protections, there is still a possibility to be infected. I am a Midwife, my role is not only to work in normal routine work or in emergency delivery, we should always be ready to work in unexpected circumstances, we are here to help those who are in need”



The mother delivered on March 10th , 2020, she and the baby are all well. She was tested for COVID19 and thank God the result was negative.

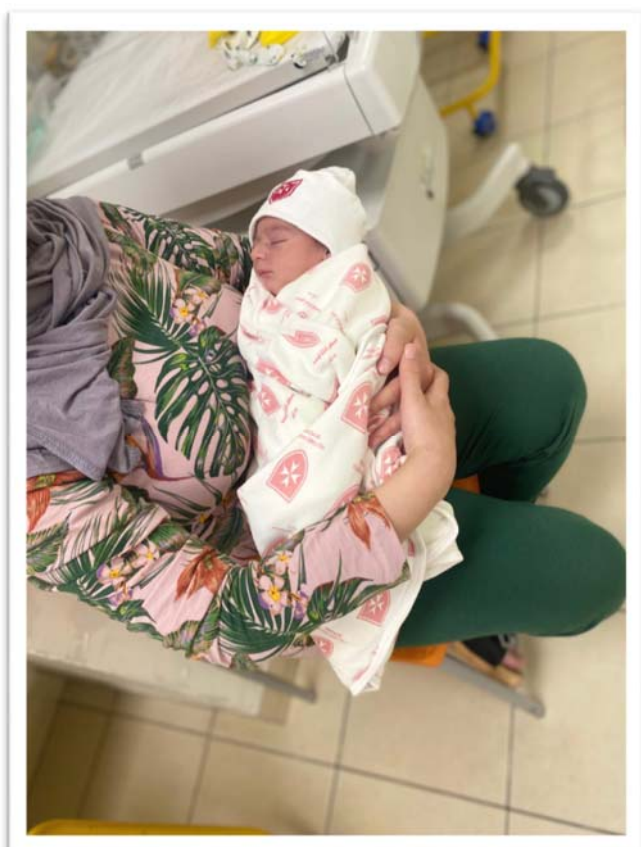
# Monthly Deliveries

*“Hope is a powerful motivation for Charity”*

	1990	1995	2000	2005	2006	2007	2009	2010	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
JAN	0	148	250	224	240	230	221	258	274	249	271	313	278	306	357	369	387
FEB	4	130	239	221	218	228	239	221	227	224	257	264	271	296	309	309	313
MAR	46	168	231	231	217	313	236	265	278	260	287	286	277	318	333	389	278
APR	68	180	274	240	216	322	280	298	265	301	267	277	268	295	344	389	275
MAY	85	188	288	238	237	366	284	304	229	250	240	297	304	365	373	400	323
JUN	85	202	294	258	219	277	275	333	261	278	302	311	313	362	380	399	390
JUL	84	188	329	235	243	276	328	307	306	279	314	379	379	427	450	439	
AUG	71	199	309	235	256	264	280	286	296	289	319	351	340	403	476	448	
SEP	109	167	275	234	280	233	261	295	291	267	281	327	329	386	409	398	
OCT	116	193	223	257	295	255	297	270	281	274	258	286	309	365	369	378	
NOV	97	203	165	213	257	224	247	237	249	271	251	224	278	371	369	347	
DEC	104	198	175	207	268	238	265	236	209	242	265	253	307	326	340	361	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>869</b>	<b>2164</b>	<b>3052</b>	<b>2793</b>	<b>2946</b>	<b>3226</b>	<b>3213</b>	<b>3310</b>	<b>3166</b>	<b>3184</b>	<b>3312</b>	<b>3568</b>	<b>3653</b>	<b>4220</b>	<b>4509</b>	<b>4626</b>	<b>1966</b>

**TOTAL DELIVERIES SINCE 1990**

**85,951**





NICU													
Lenght													
Total days L1	203	239	201	161	168	113							1085
Total days L2	64	69	55	104	72	106							470
Total days L3	173	184	178	238	149	135							1057
Total days	440	492	434	503	389	354	0	0	0	0	0	0	2612
Stay < 5 days	17	15	22	20	12	16							102
Stay ≥ 5 days	26	20	20	18	14	17							115
Stay ≥ 50 days	2	4	4	2	0	3							15
Admission													
adm L1	22	21	25	16	13	21							118
adm L2	5	2	7	3	1	0							18
adm L3	16	15	9	18	8	12							78
Total Adm	43	38	41	37	22	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	214
Nb Premature	8	6	4	13	5	9							45
<b>PED. OCCUP %</b>	<b>78.85</b>	<b>97.62</b>	<b>77.78</b>	<b>93.15</b>	<b>69.71</b>	<b>65.56</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>39.76</b>
<b>Poor Case Fund</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>							<b>45</b>
<b>TOTAL T. OCCUP %</b>	<b>69.30</b>	<b>68.75</b>	<b>51.24</b>	<b>56.78</b>	<b>56.08</b>	<b>61.39</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>29.99</b>
<b>Poor Case Fund</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>351</b>

