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This month we celebrated the 90000th delivery since the opening of the hospital in 1990, these 31 years were packed with plenty of amazing tales that we'll never forget, all reminding us that parents and siblings can be superheroes and babies are truly a miracle, they touch our heart like nothing else can.

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BABY MARIA



"At week 29 of my pregnancy, the doctor decided that I must be admitted to the hospital for observation at the High Dependency Unit since my pregnancy is at risk"

Serena described, "Staying at a hospital can be very stressful especially being away from your family and home, adding to it a pregnancy that is at risk. But during my three weeks of stay at the High Dependency Unit of Holy Family Hospital things were totally different ; I got to know all the staff, I've become part of their daily lives, I felt as being cared by my family. I have witnessed

the effort, attention and care they give with love to both mothers and babies. I was overwhelmed with their care that helped me overcome this hard period".

"And finally at week 32 of pregnancy I gave birth to my baby girl Maria, weighing 1.930 kg. It seems that Baby Maria adored the care the staff gave to her mother and decided to stay three weeks at the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit, she also became part of NICU Team. On April 19th 2021 she was discharged in a good health".

Serena would like to thank Dr. Abu Farha for everything he has done beginning from the check-ups to Delivery.



"A big thank you for the team of Holy Family Hospital for everything they have done for both of us"

90,000TH DELIVERY

On May 30th 2021 at 9:00 am Holy Family Hospital Celebrated the 90000th Delivery since 1990.

Baby Wateen was born for a Family from BeitJala married since 2012, to join her two sisters; Joury 6 years and Jasmine 3 years old, who were also born at Holy Family Hospital.



On May 30th 2021, at 9:00 AM, Their special baby girl "Wateen" arrived, weighing 4.10 kg in good health.

"Wateen is an Arabic name that refers to the main artery that feeds the body with pure clean continuous blood that comes out from the

heart"

"I was willing to have a baby boy, but baby Wateen was born. The first moment I saw her I noted that she is different than her sisters, her eyes were opened and she was looking at me making me feel as if she is the artery of life, she is my heart's artery providing life to all of us"



ST. GEORGE'S DAY

The *Saint George's Monastery* is an Eastern Orthodox Monastery in AL Khader village in Bethlehem District. The village of Al-Khader is named after Saint George who in Arab culture is known as "al-Khader."

According to local tradition, Saint George was imprisoned in the town of al-Khader where the current Monastery of St. George stands. The chains holding him were relics that were said to hold healing power.

St. George's Day is celebrated on May 6th every year, Muslims and Christians celebrates this day all together. This is a very special day in Bethlehem. On Thursday May 6th at 6:45am baby George was born and is named after Saint George.



"I would like to thank Dr. AbuFarah for his support and care during my nine months of pregnancy and for his great support during the delivery, you are a great doctor"

Holy Family Hospital Wishes you luck and success little George.

LIFE IS A GIFT NOT A GUARANTEE. WE PRAY FOR ALL THE BABIES & FAMILIES AT THE NICU HOPING ALL OUR BABIES GO HOME AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AND AS HEALTHY AS POSSIBLE."

PARENTING MULTIPLE

Maram and Raed have two girls; Gracella and Lina who were previously born at Holy Family Hospital.

"This Time the situation is different, I am pregnant with twins. The risk of preterm delivery is very high and I was very worried of the outcome of having a preterm babies, and also very worried of the cost of having twin babies at an intensive care unit".

"I followed my pregnancy at the outpatient clinic of Holy Family Hospital and at week 38 of my pregnancy I went into labor".



"I was really worried but at the same time I had total confidence in the medical team of Holy Family Hospital, they made me feel like I was this really strong, amazing, warrior mom. They taught me how to trust in my body—that it knew what it was doing, to trust in the process of giving birth—that this has happened successfully before (many, many, many times), and to trust in them—that they knew what they were doing and that they had all sorts of procedures and tools and strategies in place should we need them".

"The Midwives who were in the delivery room brought a sense of peace, calm and positivity to the room, they were very supportive. The Neonatal Intensive Care Unit Staff were always there for my Michael and Ayla, giving them lots of attention. It was kind, caring, compassionate environment"



**"Twins
Are
miracles
who
come
in pairs"**

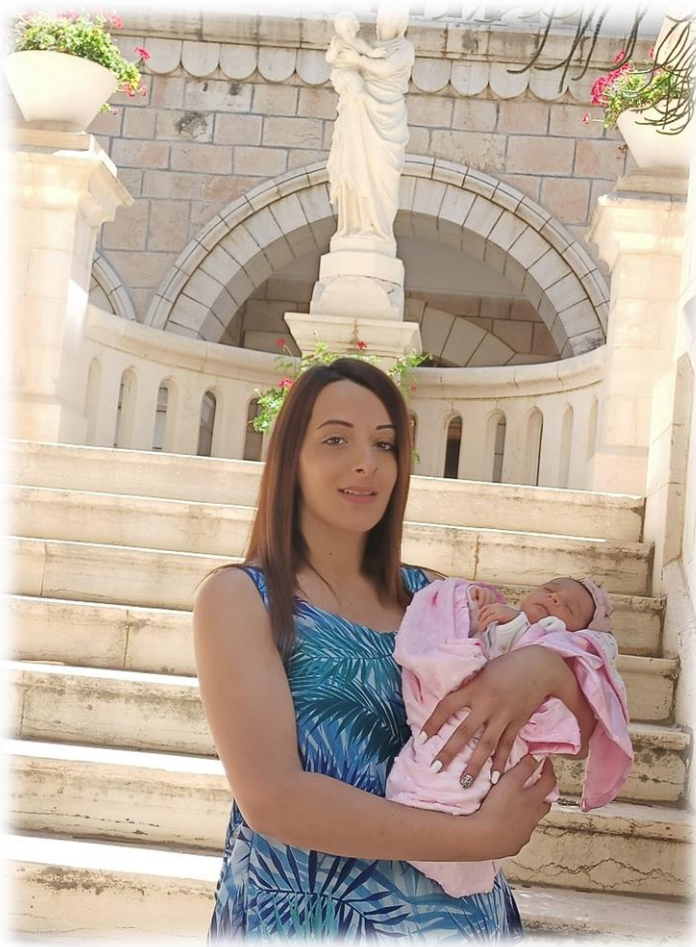


No words can describe the endless happiness of a mother leaving the hospital in good health condition carrying her baby in her arms, ready and independent to give him the best care

HOSPITAL STAFF GIVING BIRTH

Our Staff Nurse, Raghda AlYateem, gave birth to her second baby girl "Liron" on May 27th 2021. Raghda is a Staff Nurse who joined the team of the Operating Theatre since 2016.

Congratulations on the birth of your precious child, may she will be happy, and make a lifetime of incredible memories with you.



Congratulations!

GIFT FROM GOD



"A year ago, I gave birth to Twin babies, John and Nora, but suddenly after few months I discover that I am pregnant again. I was very happy and considered this baby a gift from God but at the same time I am very worried since suddenly our family got bigger but at the same time my husband lost his job due to this pandemic, he used to work at a souvenir shop" Lina described.

"I am sure that baby Adam is a gift from our Lord and he will help us overcome the difficulties we are facing now due to this Pandemic, and I hope that the tourism sector will return back soon and my husband can return to his work"



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MONTHLY DELIVERIES

	1990	1995	2000	2005	2006	2007	2009	2010	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
JAN	0	148	250	224	240	230	221	258	274	249	271	313	278	306	357	369	387	334
FEB	4	130	239	221	218	228	239	221	227	224	257	264	271	296	309	309	313	322
MAR	46	168	231	231	217	313	236	265	278	260	287	286	277	318	333	389	278	350
APR	68	180	274	240	216	322	280	298	265	301	267	277	268	295	344	389	275	396
MAY	85	188	288	238	237	366	284	304	229	250	240	297	304	365	373	400	323	364
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	402	
AUG	71	199	309	235	256	264	280	286	296	289	319	351	340	403	476	448	446	
SEP	109	167	275	234	280	233	261	295	291	267	281	327	329	386	409	398	387	
OCT	116	193	223	257	295	255	297	270	281	274	258	286	309	365	369	378	366	
NOV	97	203	165	213	257	224	247	237	249	271	251	224	278	371	369	347	331	
DEC	104	198	175	207	268	238	265	236	209	242	265	253	307	326	340	361	372	
TOTAL	869	2164	3052	2793	2946	3226	3213	3310	3166	3184	3312	3568	3653	4220	4509	4626	4270	1766

TOTAL DELIVERIES SINCE 1990

90,021

STATISTICS

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
Consultations													
HFH													
Ob/gyn	850	869	918	974	1156								4767
Pediatric	166	160	198	190	201								915
Diabetic	66	69	76	79	68								358
Nutrition	25	29	17	28	26								125
Over 45	87	75	83	62	56								363
Outreach													
Ob/gyn	86	93	63	30	72								344
Pediatric	113	107	76	20	41								357
Private													
Ob/gyn	862	749	741	666	625								3643
Pediatric	9	14	13	8	5								49
TOTAL Consultations	2264	2165	2185	2057	2250	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10921
Obstetric													
Nb deliveries													
3 class	297	280	295	349	318								1539
1 & 2 class	37	42	55	47	46								227
TOTAL Deliveries	334	322	350	396	364	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1766
C sections													
Total	81	75	80	100	91								427
Babies													
Total	345	331	357	409	375								1817
Gynecologie													
Operations													
Minor op	32	29	40	18	26								145
Major op	7	7	11	7	11								43
TOTAL Operations	39	36	51	25	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	188
Ob / Gyn													
Admissions ≥ 5 days	5	0	5	9	1								20
Admissions < 5 days	429	414	461	471	475								2250
Total admissions	434	414	466	480	476								2270
Total days	741	513	722	821	779								3576
Ob / Gyn OCCUP %	56.91%	43.62%	55.45%	65.16%	59.83%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	23.33%
Lab activity													
TOTAL Activity	9809	9022	7576	8600	9567								44574
Anesthesia													
A. Générale	6	8	3	6	7								30
épidurale	47	39	39	50	55								230
Spinal	71	65	74	82	78								370
TOTAL Activity	124	112	116	138	140	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	630
Neonatal Intensive Unit													
Lenght													
Total days L1	210	171	111	220	161								873
Total days L2	62	37	159	50	59								367
Total days L3	143	182	100	108	132								665
Total days	415	390	370	378	352	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1905
Stay < 5 days	23	17	14	25	13								92
Stay ≥ 5 days	18	16	13	25	22								94
Stay ≥ 50 days	1	2	3	2	2								10
Admission													
adm L1	19	14	9	21	18								81
adm L2	9	5	8	6	3								31
adm L3	11	13	10	23	12								69
Total Adm	39	32	27	50	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	181
Nb Premature <3	2	4	1	4	5								16
PED. OCCUP %	74.37%	77.38%	66.31%	70.00%	63.08%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	29.00%
TOTAL T. OCCUP %	62.15%	53.75%	58.71%	66.61%	60.81%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	25.03%
Poor Case Fund													
Mothers	51	53	55	56	58								273
Babies	11	8	23	4	5								51
Total cases Assisted	62	61	78	60	63	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	324