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BETHLEHEM

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Since October 7, this thrice-Holy Land has been experiencing an indescribable drama.

Since October 7, the world has been upside down around us.

Since October 7, communication from the Holy Family Hospital has been very rare and is very discreet.

However, Bethlehem and the Holy Family move forward in the storm that surrounds them.

Because Bethlehem in general and the Hospital of the Holy Family in particular remain spared from the current whirlwind that dominates the world.

Yes, Bethlehem and the hospital remain spared but that does not mean they are not affected. Everyone here remains affected by what happened and is still happening and worries about what could happen.

Yes, the hospital remains spared but that does not mean that it is not affected. If activity remains strong with around ten instead of a dozen births per day, it has nevertheless decreased, as has the number of consultations (40%). The main reason is that patients living outside the urban area of Bethlehem have great difficulty accessing the hospital.

Likewise, the mobile clinic, the spearhead of our advanced strategy, is suspended until further notice, as the safety of hospital staff cannot be 100% guaranteed.

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A hospital spared but disrupted by necessarily adapted schedules (2 x 12 hour shifts) to limit everyone's travel, by providing housing or rooms for medical staff residing in areas that are too far away.

A spared but disturbed hospital that continues its mission with women in the Bethlehem region without any distinction. As usual, each can benefit from the best possible care, so that each can find a haven of peace in the surrounding turmoil, in accordance with the charisma of the Order since its founding almost a millennium ago on this same three times Holy Land.

Thanks to the commitment of each employee during this sad time, the hospital is able to carry out its mission to the residents of the Bethlehem area. As CEO, I am very proud of their behavior and their belief in the mission of the Order.

Thank you to the Order of Malta, at all levels, which has supported the hospital and its staff since the start of the crisis.

Take care of yourself; we will take care of babies and their mothers as we have always done since 1990. Thanks to your financial support, more important today than yesterday because we must prepare for an uncertain economic future that no one cannot predict duration or magnitude. . . However, know that it will be terrible in this region where most of the economy is based on tourist income generated by pilgrims.

Take care of yourself and pray for peace to return to this thrice Holy Land.



BABY JOELLE

"I gave birth to my first baby at Holy Family Hospital in 2020 and today October 17th 2023, I came back to Holy Family Hospital to give birth to my second baby girl, to find that the hospital maintained its high standard medical care. The last 10 days was horrible in palestine but luckily Holy family Hospital was able to maintain its level of care"



I feel extremely thankful for my husband who stood with me, and the midwife for her confidence and understanding of what I needed and when. Holy Family Hospital's team seemed to be there to support me and create a safe space so I could comfortably and confidently give birth to my baby. It truly was a healing experience that left me feeling empowered and I'm grateful to have been able to have the birth I always wanted".



I'm taking my baby Joelle home very happy, there is no word that can describe my feelings, I'm very thankful for the Hospital and the whole team for their hard work".



BABY NILAY

"I woke up early on October 20, 2023 feeling slight waves of discomfort. I assumed that it was contractions. I was worried about my baby girl, that's why I went to Holy Family Hospital to have a check-up. As soon as I was examined I was admitted to deliver in Caesarean section".

As Ireen Described "Despite all the fear I was feeling, you were giving me hope and I felt safe which we were looking for, as you are the safety of every mother and every child".



Baby Nilay was born, weighing 3.600 kilogram was discharged back home in a good health.

"Wonderful job Jesus is doing through Holy Family Hospital. We thank God of having our babies delivered at Holy Family Hospital".

**"WE NEED TO SEE EACH CHILD AS A GIFT TO BE WELCOMED, CHERISHED
AND PROTECTED"
POPE FRANCIS**

BABY YOUSEF



Jane & Jhonny small family from Beithlehem , they have three kids who were previously Born at Holy Family Hospital.

Jane said: "I was really scared because our financial situation is not that great, and we won't be able to afford the medical expenses. However, I did not want to give birth at any other hospital, so I came to your hospital and visited the Social Worker department. Our visit was great and I felt

safe after talking with Ms. Mary Maoh, the social worker. She treated us with respect and dignity, and she was able to help me overcome my worries. This hospital treated me with respect and made me feel safe as I was at my own home. My experience this time was the same. I really want to thank you for all the support and great service you provide".

On October 30, 2023, Jane gave birth to baby "Yousef" weighing 3.820 Kilogram in a good health.



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."

OCTOBER & NOVEMBER BABIES AT HFH





BABY MAHMOUD

A Family from Beit Fajjar, a small town south of Bethlehem was expecting the birth of their four child. They have three girls, who were previously born at Holy Family Hospital.

Sarah was following her pregnancy at the Holy Family Hospital outreach mobile clinic, and in her previous deliveries, she used to have her check-ups at Holy Family Hospital and every time she is coming she can feel the improvements of their services. Sarah says that it is a safe place for her and her child. But Unfortunately, on November 22nd, 2023, Sarah, 36 weeks of pregnancy, gave birth to her baby boy "Mahmoud" weighing 2.290 Grams by normal delivery at home with the help of her mother-in-law. At that moment, Sarah was worried regarding her baby boy, The Ambulance, which is the only means being able to reach the village due to the current restriction of movement, Thank GOD was able to come quickly and drove them to Holy Family Hospital while the Emergency staff was waiting for their arrival.



Baby Mahmoud needed to stay in our Intensive Care Unit for a week then he was discharged in a good health.

"We would like to thank each one of the Holy Family Hospital's team from Nurses, Doctors, midwives and social worker. Thank You for your hard work you've done to save our Baby's Life"

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MONTHLY DELIVERIES

	1990	1995	2000	2005	2006	2007	2009	2010	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
JAN	0	148	250	224	240	230	221	258	274	249	271	313	278	306	357	369	387	334	400	363
FEB	4	130	239	221	218	228	239	221	227	224	257	264	271	296	309	309	313	322	321	313
MAR	46	168	231	231	217	313	236	265	278	260	287	286	277	318	333	389	278	350	389	358
APR	68	180	274	240	216	322	280	298	265	301	267	277	268	295	344	389	275	396	343	358
MAY	85	188	288	238	237	366	284	304	229	250	240	297	304	365	373	400	323	364	387	374
JUN	85	202	294	258	219	277	275	333	261	278	302	311	313	362	380	399	390	349	379	337
JUL	84	188	329	235	243	276	328	307	306	279	314	379	379	427	450	439	402	412	379	377
AUG	71	199	309	235	256	264	280	286	296	289	319	351	340	403	476	448	446	445	441	405
SEP	109	167	275	234	280	233	261	295	291	267	281	327	329	386	409	398	387	419	372	363
OCT	116	193	223	257	295	255	297	270	281	274	258	286	309	365	369	378	366	381	352	315
NOV	97	203	165	213	257	224	247	237	249	271	251	224	278	371	369	347	331	355	368	291
DEC	104	198	175	207	268	238	265	236	209	242	265	253	307	326	340	361	372	390	376	
TOTAL	869	2164	3052	2793	2946	3226	3213	3310	3166	3184	3312	3568	3653	4220	4509	4626	4270	4517	4508	3854

TOTAL DELIVERIES SINCE 1990
Total Babies Delivered Since 1990

101,133
103,869

STATISTICS

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
Consultations													
HFH													
Ob/gyn	1186	983	1181	987	1168	1006	1211	1250	1089	855	799		11715
Pediatric	289	272	342	300	364	331	361	394	419	287	254		3613
Diabetic	99	85	87	97	103	84	115	100	105	78	71		1024
Nutrition	42	19	37	38	35	21	33	32	37	27	28		349
Over 45	83	72	75	55	94	58	84	111	87	66	76		861
Outreach													
Ob/gyn	128	85	182	84	132	78	126	135	109	31			1090
Pediatric	116	50	84	79	115	81	108	99	115	32			879
Private													
Ob/gyn	704	698	831	733	883	733	883	831	841	782	785		8704
Pediatric	121	131	127	75	131	99	113	109	130	110	112		1258
TOTAL Consultations	2,768	2,395	2,946	2,448	3,025	2,491	3,034	3,061	2,932	2,268	2,125		29,493
Obstetric													
Nb deliveries													
3 class	317	272	315	330	301	302	313	357	310	267	264		3348
1 & 2 class	46	41	43	28	73		64	48	53	48	27		471
TOTAL Deliveries	363	313	358	358	374	302	377	405	363	315	291		3,819
C sections													
Total	74	72	75	81	96	71	85	87	86	92	80		899
Babies													
Total	372	321	366	366	384	341	388	410	373	322	298		3941
Gynecologie													
Operations													
Minor op	27	43	41	28	40	26	31	28	34	33	23		354
Major op	8	9	9	4	12	9	11	8	12	7	11		100
TOTAL Operations	35	52	50	32	52	35	42	36	46	40	34		454
Ob / Gyn													
Admissions ≥ 5 days	4	3	0	4	1	9	8	10	5	8	8		60
Admissions < 5 days	443	407	462	434	490	418	466	487	453	401	364		4825
Total admissions	447	410	462	438	491	427	474	497	458	409	372		4885
Total days	739	686	788	752	826	769	832	919	807	761	673		8552
Ob / Gyn OCCUP %	56.76%	58.33%	60.52%	59.68%	63.44%	59.06%	63.90%	70.58%	64.05%	58.45%	53.41%		55.79%
Lab activity													
TOTAL Activity	8,772	9,862	8,641	9,386	10,345	9,595	10,229	10,754	9,165	9,425	9,891		106,065
Anesthesia													
A. Générale	6	2	5	75	3	85	77	79	68	55	48		503
épidurale	60	49	70	4	80	31	46	39	38	39	47		503
Spinal	65	63	67	50	70	1	2	2	4	2	1		327
TOTAL Activity	131	114	142	129	153	117	125	120	110	96	96		1333
Neonatal Intensive Unit													
Length													
Total days L1	242	162	150	201	237	288	182	231	242	225	199		2359
Total days L2	106	55	124	49	134	77	88	86	119	84	65		987
Total days L3	116	181	117	160	131	61	148	151	120	155	156		1496
Total days	464	398	391	410	502	426	418	468	481	464	420		4842
Stay < 5 days	18	8	12	16	23	22	22	20	23	28	19		211
Stay ≥ 5 days	30	19	17	24	22	30	24	28	28	27	25		274
Stay ≥ 50 days	2		2	1	2			1	1				9
Admission													
adm L1	24	13	16	14	27	35	26	26	27	30	25		263
adm L2	7	1	5	6	6	7	3	5	8	5	6		59
adm L3	17	13	7	21	12	10	15	15	13	20	9		152
Total Adm	48	27	28	41	45	52	44	46	48	55	40		474
Nb Premature <3	1	6	3	4	2	2	4	5		5	3		35
PED. OCCUP %	83.15%	78.97%	70.07%	75.93%	89.96%	78.89%	77.41%	83.87%	89.07%	85.93%	77.78%		73.70%
TOTAL T. OCCUP %	64.68%	64.52%	63.39%	64.56%	71.40%	66.39%	67.20%	74.57%	71.56%	65.86%	60.72%		61.16%
Poor Case Fund													
Mothers	50	49	54	53	51	40	51	55	69	66	75		613
Babies	9	11	5	9	13	12	22	11	10	20	11		133
Total cases Assisted	59	60	59	62	64	52	73	66	79	86	86		746