



Ministero degli Affari Esteri e della Cooperazione Internazionale



ITALIAN-JORDANIAN HOSPITAL: PROVIDING MEDICAL SERVICES TO PEOPLE AFFECTED BY THE SYRIA CRISIS IN ZA'ATARI REFUGEE CAMP, JORDAN

AICS Amman works jointly with Jordanian Institutions on:



HEALTH

- Provision of medical equipment and supplies
 Capacity development on MHPSS
 Establishment of new health facilities
- Provision of services for people with disabilities
 Mental health

PROJECT SUMMARY

The Jordanian-Italian field hospital started operating in September 2012 in the nascent Za'atari Refugee Camp, through a partnership among the Italian National Alpini Association, the Civil Protection Department, and the Jordanian Royal Medical Services, with the support of the Italian Cooperation and the Government of Jordan.

The initial 16-bed hospital consisted of a tented primary health centre set up with first-aid equipment and field diagnostic laboratories. It included two rooms for urgent cases, clinics specialised in general and internal medicine, paediatrics, gynaecology and general surgery, in addition to a pharmacy. As Za'atari camp evolved from a temporary shelter to a long-term infrastructure due to the increase of refugees entering Jordan, in 2017 the Italian Cooperation

rehabilitated the hospital with new containers replacing the initial 5 tents. The new structure hosts medical rooms and offices, a new pharmacy, kitchen and bathroom, as well as an additional waiting room, to avoid over-crowding and ensure the comfort of all patients.





SECTOR | HEALTH
STATUS | ONGOING

FUNDED IN | 2012 **BUDGET** | € 1,300,000.00



IMPLEMENTING PARTNERS | JORDANIAN ROYAL MEDICAL SERVICES

BENEFICIARIES | SYRIAN POPULATION IN ZA'ATARI REFUGEE CAMP (MAFRAQ GOVERNORATE)



Nowadays, the team consists of a number of 5 among surgeons and medical doctors, 3 female nurses, 4 male nurses and 1 medical officer covering the night, in addition to logistics staff, all from the Royal Medical Services. Supported by the **supply of medicines** that are necessary to the delivery of medical services twice a year, the team serves on average 150-200 patients that reach the hospital daily, 30% of which are children, 41% women and 28% men. The hospital has also been equipped with special **devices** – such as incubators, hematology analyzer, and ultra-sound machine – upon request.

To date, total medical services provided have reached approximately **283,500 people**, of which 61,378 were children, with a majority of interventions addressing orthopedic injury cases.

pharmacy Za'atari camp, Mafraq



1 INTERVENTION 1 REFUGEE CAMP



public building construction



equipment and medicines supply



5,16%



AICS Amman's investment in **Health** expressed as a percentage of the total budget 2016-2019





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