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**PCRF**  <sup>®</sup>  
Palestine Children's Relief Fund





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# A Message of Thanks: A Year of Unyielding Strength, Unbreakable Resilience, and Prevailing Hope

Dear Friends, Supporters, and Partners,

This year has tested us in ways we never imagined. It has challenged our resolve, pushed us to the limits of our endurance, and placed obstacles in our path that seemed insurmountable. And yet, we did not falter.

This report is more than just numbers and summaries. It is a testament to the unbreakable spirit that defines PCRF today. When hospitals collapsed, we delivered care. When healthcare systems crumbled, we stepped in. When starvation threatened innocent lives, we brought relief. In the face of destruction, we expanded our impact. When children needed urgent care, we found a way.

We worked at the highest levels to coordinate complex medical care across the world while remaining deeply rooted in the communities we serve. We brought surgeons to the front lines, sent critically ill children abroad for treatment, rebuilt broken healthcare infrastructure, and even fought starvation—because these are our children and we will not allow them to suffer, nor be left alone. We fought, we adapted, and we refused to accept anything less than action.

Certainly, this year tested us, but it also defined us. We proved that we are more than an organization; we are a force for change, a community of healers, and

a lifeline for thousands. Through every airstrike, every blockade, every moment of despair—we stood firm, just as the children and families we serve have stood firm. Their resilience became our own. Their fight for survival became our fight for action. And together, against all odds, we did more than ever before. Because the children of Palestine deserve nothing less than everything we can give.

And we will continue on.

To everyone who has been part of this journey—thank you. This work is only possible because of All - our heroic

teams, the generosity of our supporters, our partners, those we serve, and the thousands who believe, as we do, that even in the darkest times, humanity must prevail. Your unwavering commitment drives our mission, and together, we are proving that even in devastation, there is hope. Even in war, there is healing. And even when the world turns away, we remain.

With deepest gratitude and resolve,



**Vivian Khalaf**  
Chairwoman of the Board



**Lubna Musa**  
Chief Executive Officer

# We are honored to receive a **4-Star** rating for the **twelfth consecutive year** from Charity Navigator



5/24/2024

Dear Palestine Children's Relief Fund Team,

On behalf of Charity Navigator, I wish to congratulate **Palestine Children's Relief Fund** on attaining our coveted 4-star rating which demonstrates to your donors they can confidently take action and support your organization due to its overall effectiveness.

Charity Navigator aims to accentuate the work of impactful, efficient and transparent organizations. The intent of our work is to provide donors with essential information to give them greater confidence in both the charitable decisions they make and the nonprofit sector overall. Based on the most recent information available to us, we are proud to share that **Palestine Children's Relief Fund** has earned a 4-Star rating with Charity Navigator. This is our highest rating and indicates that our organization adheres to best practices and executes its mission in an efficient and impactful manner. At this time, only 33% of all the nonprofits we evaluate receive a 4-star rating.

This exceptional designation from Charity Navigator sets **Palestine Children's Relief Fund** apart from its peers and demonstrates to the public its trustworthiness.

Forbes, Business Week, and Kiplinger's Financial Magazine, among others, have profiled and celebrated our unique model of applying data-driven analysis to the charitable sector. We attract more visitors to our website (11 million annually) than all other charity rating groups combined, thus making us the leading charity evaluator in America. Our data shows that users of our site donated more than they planned to after viewing our nonprofit ratings.

Your achievement and the 4-star rating is a great accomplishment that will enhance your organization's fundraising and public relations. We wish you continued success in your charitable endeavors.

Sincerely,

Michael Thatcher  
President & CEO



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**OUR PARTNERS**





# OUR GLOBAL COMMUNITY



**UNITED STATES**  
 19 Chapters  
 10 Student Clubs

**JORDAN**  
 1 Chapter

**ITALY**  
 1 Registered NGO

**SWITZERLAND**  
 1 Registered NGO

## PCRF CHAPTERS AND STUDENT CLUBS

Our success as a nonprofit organization for over 30 years is largely due to the steadfast support of our volunteers from around the globe. This dedicated network includes both medical professionals and community volunteers from our chapters, student clubs, and Team Palestine for PCRF. They tirelessly contribute their time and resources to assist injured and sick children, facilitating medical care and raising vital funds to support our humanitarian initiatives.

In 2024, our volunteers continue to play a crucial role in organizing fundraising and awareness events to benefit our Gaza Urgent Relief and Recovery campaign. Their commitment enables us to carry out essential relief work on the ground. Without their dedication, we would be unable to bring hope and healing to thousands of children each year in the Middle East.

### PCRF CHAPTERS AND STUDENT CLUBS 2024

CHAPTERS
Atlanta
Boston
Chicago
Cleveland
Columbus
DC Metro
Delaware
Denver
Eastern Iowa
Houston
Italy (Registered NGO)
Jordan
LA-OC-IE
Milwaukee
New York City

Philadelphia
Portland
Switzerland (Registered NGO)
San Diego
STUDENT CLUBS
Case Western Reserve University
DePaul University
Loyola University Chicago
Ohio State University (OSU)
Ole Miss: University of Mississippi
Rutgers University
University of California Los Angeles (UCLA)
University of Illinois Chicago (UIC)
University of Illinois - Urbana Champaign (UIUC)
University of Southern California (USC)

## PCRF CHAPTERS EVENTS 2024

Month	Chapter	Event
January	Columbus	Youth Dabka Training
	TP4PCRF Chicago	Women's Self Defense Seminar
	Atlanta	Global Kite Flight
	Rutgers University	Teach In On Palestine
	TP4PCRF Chicago	Hoops for Palestine
	Detroit	Paint for Palestine
	UCLA	All Girls Dabkeh Fundraiser
	Houston	Gala for Gaza - Youth Initiative
	USC	Teaching Tatreez
February	UIUC	Benefit Dinner: Bringing Truth To Light
	UIC	Tea Time
	UCLA	Palettes for Peace: A Palestinian Art Exhibition
	CWRU	Valentine's Day Teddy Bear Fundraiser
	Rutgers University	Flowers for Falastin
	USC	Tarneeb Night
	USC	Letters of Appreciation
	UIC	Volleyball Tournament
	Atlanta	More Than The Miles – Atlanta Runs For PCRF
	Columbus	Annual Benefit Dinner for Gaza

March	CWRU	Battle of the Clubs Volleyball Tournament	
	Rutgers University	Palestinian Culture Night	
	OSU	Cookies on the Plaza	
	UIC	Movie Night	
	Atlanta	Alif Institute Ramadan Bazaar	
	UCLA	Iftar	
	Cleveland	Annual Ramadan Iftar Dinner	
	CRWU	The Truth of Gaza: A Night of Silenced Lives	
	Chicago	15th Annual Benefit Dinner	
	TP4PCRF Chicago	2024 Chicago Races: Fundraisers for Gaza	
	UIC	Iftar Dinner	
	Boston	Ramadan Iftar Dinner	
April	San Diego	Ramadan Iftar Dinner	
	CWRU	Charity Bake Sale	
	TP4PCRF Chicago	Volley For Palestine	
	UIC	Basketball Tournament	
	Rutgers University	Annual Spring Gala	
	UIC	Volley for Pali	
	USC	Art Inspiring Change	
	Columbus	Run For Gaza	
	May	Cleveland	TP4PCRF - Cleveland Marathon
		UCLA	All Girls Henna Night

June	San Diego	San Diego Move For Palestine
July	TP4PCRF Chicago	Goals For Gaza
	TP4PCRF Chicago	Pars-4-Palestine 4th Annual Golf Benefit Outing
	Portland	At the park event
August	Atlanta	An Evening with Rev. Dr. Munther Issac
	Chicago	Summer Picnic
	Cleveland	End Of Summer Picnic
September	Chicago	LOUD Night For PCRF
	TP4PCRF Chicago	Selma's Sweets Run-For-Peace
	Chicago	Sahrat Sabaya
	USC	Portos for Palestine
	Rutgers University	Who Dunit?
	CWRU	Henna for Refugees
	UIC	Volleyball Tournament
	TP4PCRF Chicago	Volley 4 Palestine
	San Diego	Annual Benefit Dinner
	LUC & UIC	Hot Chocolate Run
October	Cleveland	Annual Benefit Dinner 2024
	Houston	2nd Annual Benefit Dinner
	TP4PCRF Chicago	Global Remembrance Ride for Gaza
	TP4PCRF Chicago	BOA Chicago Marathon
	Denver	Tote-ally for Palestine

October	Chicago	Palestine and the Olympic Dream
	Rutgers University	Moonlight Corn Maze
	UCLA	Basketball Tournament
	USC	Movie Screening
	Delaware	Annual Benefit Dinner
	CWRU	Battle of the Clubs Volleyball Tournament
	UIUC	Hoops for Palestine
	Rutgers University	Gather 4 Gaza
November	UCLA	Harvest Season Care Package
	NYC	Benefit Dinner
	UIC	Extending an Olive Branch
	OSU	5k Fundraiser
	DC Metro	Dine & Donate Fundrasier for Gaza
	CWRU	An Olive tree, Rooted Forever
	Milwaukee	Pull-For-Palestine
	Columbus	Youth Dabka Training
	Denver	Movie Night
	OSU	Soccer Tournament
	CWRU	Fall Fundraiser
	Ole Miss University	Fundraiser Event
December	LUC	Healing in Every Thread
	Rutgers University	Ball for Gaza
	Chicago	Hoops for Palestine

# CHAPTER GLOBAL & NATIONAL INITIATIVES

In 2024, our chapters embarked on two significant global awareness initiatives through PCRF, aimed at fostering support and understanding for those in need.

## “TO GAZA WITH LOVE ♥” KITE INITIATIVE

In May and June, we proudly launched the “To Gaza With Love ♥” kite initiative. This peaceful and symbolic event brought community members together to connect, decorate, and fly kites in honor of the children of Gaza. The initiative served as a heartfelt expression of solidarity, resonating with our mission to deliver urgent and long-term medical and humanitarian relief to those who need it most.

## “LIVE FROM PALESTINE” US SPEAKING TOUR

In December, we kicked off our “**LIVE From Palestine**” US Speaking Tour, which saw active participation from eight of our chapter cities. This tour, which included Atlanta, San Diego, LA, New Jersey, Milwaukee, Columbus, Cleveland and Chicago, featured notable guests from Palestine, including **PCRF Regional Medical Missions Manager Suhail Flaifl and Project Manager Mahmoud Issa**. The events provided our supporters with a unique opportunity to hear firsthand accounts of PCRF’s significant impact on the medical infrastructure and healthcare systems in Palestine and the broader region, as these representatives visited the US for the first time.

Through these initiatives, we reinforced our commitment to raising awareness and garnering support for those affected by the ongoing challenges in Palestine.





## PCRf ITALIA

PCRf Italia is a volunteer-based, non-profit organization that represents the values of the Palestine Children's Relief Fund (PCRf) in Italy. It was officially established in July 2013 in Marina di Pietrasanta (LU), following longstanding collaborations with Tuscan doctors who had already been volunteering through PCRf in Palestine.

### FEATURED ACTIVITY: ITALY COMMUNITIES IN SOLIDARITY WITH PCRf

During a series of engagements in Italy in 2024, the PCRf team met with key supporters, Board Members, and medical professionals who have long contributed to the organization's mission. The visit highlighted the ongoing collaboration with Italian physicians, including Dr. Stefano Luisi, founder of PCRf Italia, whose dedication has played a crucial role in providing medical care to Palestinian children for years. Discussions focused on strengthening partnerships and expanding medical support for children in need. The team also had the opportunity to meet Jamal and his siblings, a family who received treatment abroad through PCRf Italia. This visit reinforced the strong humanitarian connections that sustain PCRf's work, emphasizing the vital role of global support in delivering essential medical care and hope to children across the region.

To learn more about PCRf Italia, follow Instagram [@pcrfitaliaadv](#), or visit [www.pcrf.net/italy](http://www.pcrf.net/italy)

## PCRf SWITZERLAND

PCRf Switzerland was established in December 2024 as a volunteer-based, non-profit organization that upholds the values and supports the mission of the Palestinian Children's Relief Fund (PCRf) in Switzerland.

### FEATURED ACTIVITY: EXPANDING GLOBAL SUPPORT IN SWITZERLAND

Supporters in Switzerland came together through Café Palestine to highlight the vital mission of PCRf. Our Chairwoman, Vivian Khalaf, participated in the gathering, emphasizing the crucial role of global communities in transforming the lives of children in Gaza and the Middle East. The event also marked the official announcement of PCRf-Switzerland, as a newly established community committed to supporting PCRf's mission of delivering life-saving medical care and humanitarian aid to children in need.

To learn more about [PCRf Switzerland](#), follow Instagram [@pcrf\\_switzerland](#)



# URGENT RESPONSE TO THE HUMANITARIAN CRISIS

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# GAZA

## URGENT RESPONSE TO THE HUMANITARIAN CRISIS

Since October 7, 2023, PCRF has launched extensive relief initiatives, including emergency medical missions, field hospitals, mobile clinics, and direct aid distribution. Our response has also extended to Lebanon, where instability has created an urgent need for humanitarian support. The following sections outline our PCRF-funded projects as of December 2024.

### Aid Provided by the PCRF (October 10, 2023 - December 31, 2024)

Project classification	Gaza Total in USD	WB Total in USD	Lebanon Total in USD	Grand Total
Nutrition	25,825,730.22	585,890.02	229,334.62	26,640,954.86
Medical	5,320,875.66	283,952.49	348,780.71	5,953,608.86
Hygiene	3,680,592.19	52,859.64	33,878.29	3,767,330.12
Relief Supplies	2,731,678.77	334,359.91	-	3,066,038.68
Infrastructure	1,000,000	-	-	1,000,000.00
Emergency Medical Clinics	9,402.70	-	-	59,402.70
<b>Grand Totals</b>	<b>38,618,279.54</b>	<b>1,257,062.06</b>	<b>611,993.62</b>	<b>40,487,335.22</b>

### URGENT RELIEF

PCRF’s emergency response in Gaza has been relentless, addressing the most urgent needs of displaced families and vulnerable children. While the following highlights showcase some of our key relief initiatives, they represent just a fraction of the lifesaving work we continue to carry out every day. Through the dedication of our teams and the generosity of our supporters, we are delivering essential aid, medical care, and long-term support to those who need it most.

**FOOD PARCELS, OUR ONGOING “ZEIT W ZAATAR AND MORE” CAMPAIGN:** To combat food insecurity, PCRF distributed 3,774 food parcels filled with essential items such as olive oil, thyme, halva, peanut butter, and powdered milk. These parcels, prepared in the West Bank and shipped to Gaza, are based on what the children of Gaza tell us what they miss most, and then some! These parcels provided vital nutrition to families struggling with displacement.

**PROVISION OF FLOUR AND YEAST:** To address the severe flour shortage in Gaza, PCRF distributed 385,250 kilograms of flour in 10- and 25-kilogram packs and 33,600 bags of yeast to displaced families in shelters and camps.

**SUPPORTING COMMUNITY KITCHENS AND HOT MEAL PREPARATION:** PCRF provided essential supplies to community kitchens, including rice, pasta, sunflower oil, and lentils, along with 90,000 aluminum plates. These resources enabled the preparation of hot meals for displaced families.

**PROVISION OF NUTRITIONAL MILK FOR CHILDREN:** PCRF distributed 41,492 cans of fortified milk for infants and young children, ensuring critical nutritional support. This initiative began in December and will continue through January.





**PROVIDING WATER FOR CENTRAL AND SOUTH GAZA:** To ensure access to safe drinking water, PCRF delivered 2,568,000 liters of clean water to displaced families in Central and South Gaza.

**PROVISION OF HOT MEALS FOR DISPLACED FAMILIES:** PCRF distributed 29,400 hot rice meals to displacement camps and shelters in Gaza’s Middle and Southern Governorates. Each meal, serving three people, helped meet urgent nutritional needs during the winter months.

**WINTER CLOTHING SUPPORT FOR VULNERABLE YOUNG CHILDREN:** To protect children from the harsh winter, PCRF distributed 5,000 insulated puffer overalls, 10,800 soft daily overalls, and 5,000 warm blankets to ensure children remain warm and safe.

**PROVISION OF WINTER BLANKETS FOR DISPLACED FAMILIES:** PCRF delivered 2,466 heavy winter blankets, enhancing warmth and protection for displaced families. These blankets, were sourced from the West Bank.

**PROVISION OF SEALING OFF KITS (SOKS) AND SOLAR LIGHTS:** In collaboration with Samaritan’s Purse, PCRF distributed 1,347 Sealing Off Kits and solar lights to displaced families. These kits provided materials for weatherproofing shelters and sustainable lighting, improving safety and living conditions.

**MENTAL HEALTH AND PSYCHOSOCIAL SUPPORT INTERVENTIONS:** PCRF conducted 76 mental health and psychosocial support sessions, benefiting 628 individuals. These included group and individual therapy, recreational and awareness sessions, and family counseling aimed at fostering emotional resilience and well-being.

**Summary of PCRF’s relief efforts in Gaza until December 2024**

Items Distributed Delivered	Quantity	Unit	Items Distributed Delivered	Quantity	Unit
Hygiene Packages	64,971	Package	School Bags	2,000	Bag
Sanitary Pads	66,370	Packet	Infant Milk and Specialized Infant Formula	150,479	Can
Women’s Dignity Packages	11,500	Package	Cereal Baby Food	64,408	Can
Baby Diapers	78,640	Pack	Water	14,657,500	Liter
Vegetables and Meat	7,220.67	Ton	Food Items within Ramadan Projects	25,500	Kilogram
Vegetable Baskets	42,000	Basket	Eid Al-Adha Cookies and Date Biscuits	490	Kilogram
Flour	2,000.25	Ton	Eid Toys for Children	24,150	Toy
Ready-to-Eat Meals	284,000	Meal	Pillows	2,000	Pillows
Hot Meals (Rice)	79,635	Kilogram	External Orthopedic Fixation Kits	2,000	Kit
Hot Meals (Soup)	3,225	Kilogram	Medical Vials	5,940	Vial
Food Parcels	82,696	Parcel	Blankets	37,766	Blanket
Clothing Kits	1,000	Kit	Winter Clothes	83,245	Piece
Mattresses	30,449	Mattress	Stationery Kits	2,000	Kit
Egg Cartons	48,300	Carton	Small medical supplies	596,167	Piece
Medicine	167,660	Pack	Supplies for Community Kitchens	4	Shipments
Wheelchairs	145	Wheelchair	Baby bottles and pacifiers	18,161	Piece
Yeast	33,600	Bag	Elderly Diapers	2,440	Pack





## IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS

In addition to PCRFB-funded interventions, we have integrated in-kind contributions into our emergency relief efforts to enhance impact and efficiency. Thanks to the immense support and trust in the integrity of our work, we have been able to mobilize critical resources through trusted partners quickly, ensuring that lifesaving aid reaches those who need it most.

In November, PCRFB coordinated and distributed three in-kind shipments, including hygiene products, nutritional supplies, and food items. These in-kind donations were directly managed by our dedicated teams on the ground.

This approach continued in December by supporting key interventions such as flour and yeast distribution, fortified milk for children, and supplies for community kitchens.

These contributions complemented PCRFB's financial efforts, ensuring comprehensive support for displaced families and vulnerable populations in Gaza.

## EMERGENCY CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

The destruction of Gaza's healthcare infrastructure has left an already fragile system in crisis. Hospitals, clinics, and essential medical facilities have been severely damaged or destroyed, further limiting access to lifesaving care for children and families in desperate need. In response, PCRFB has launched critical emergency construction projects to restore and expand healthcare access, to help ensure that medical facilities can continue to function despite the devastation. These projects go beyond building—they represent resilience and commitment to supporting Gaza's healthcare system even during times of devastation. From hospital renovations to the establishment of specialized units, each initiative is designed to address urgent gaps in care while laying the foundation for longer-term recovery.

### PCRFB's Emergency Construction Projects Completed and In Progress in Gaza

Project Title	Partner	Start Date	End Date	Completion %
Construction of Field Hospital in Rafah-Gaza Strip	Palestine MOH	24-Feb	24-Apr	%100
PCRFB Field Hospital/Mawasi AlZawayda - AlAqsa Hospital	MOH	24-May	24-Sep	%100
Rehabilitation of AlSheikh Radwan Clinic and Emergency Center	MOH	24-Aug	24-Nov	%95
Rehabilitation & Activation of the Operating Rooms at AlAqsa Hospital	MOH	24-Nov	25-Jan	%60
Providing Electrical Generators for the Ophthalmic Hospital & the Vaccination Warehouse	MOH	24-Sep	24-Nov	%100
Implementation of Movable Tents	Translating Palestine Sameer Project	24-Oct	25-Feb	%30



## EMERGENCY MEDICAL MISSIONS

Following the outbreak of war on October 7, 2023, international medical missions were completely halted from entering Gaza due to the extreme security situation and restricted access. For months, Gaza's already fragile healthcare system was left to struggle under unimaginable conditions, with hospitals overwhelmed and resources nearly depleted.

In March 2024, after months of relentless effort, PCRf became one of the first organizations to re-enter Gaza with emergency medical teams. This was made possible through careful coordination with the World Health Organization (WHO) and the Emergency Medical Teams Coordination Cell (EMTCC) in Cairo, ensuring that our missions were executed safely and effectively. Because of PCRf's reputation for integrity and impact, we have been able to maintain strong relationships with key international partners and continue to be recognized as a trusted leader in medical relief. WHO and other international agencies rely on PCRf's expertise, network, and operational capacity to facilitate and deploy life-saving medical missions in Gaza.

Since regaining access, PCRf has successfully deployed six Emergency Medical Team (EMT) missions, each delivering specialized surgical and medical care to critically injured and chronically ill patients for the required 30 day period. Many of our missions were heroically deployed to the North under extremely high risk circumstances. On December 16, 2024, our seventh EMT mission was deployed, continuing to provide urgent care and surgical interventions, with operations expected to remain active through January 14, 2025.

### PCRf's Emergency Medical Missions in Gaza in 2024

Mission	Duration	Hospitals	Team Members	Specialties	Consultations	Surgeries performed
EMT_1	14 Days The team entered Gaza on April 17th 2024	European Gaza Hospital and Kuwaiti Hospital	12	2 Orthopedic Trauma Surgeons, Maxillofacial Surgeon, ICU and Anesthesiology Specialist, Vascular Surgeon, General Surgeon, Endocrinologist/ Diabetologist, Operating Room Nurse, Logistics Specialist	305	350
EMT_2	27 Days The team entered Gaza on May 31st 2024	European Gaza Hospital and Nasser Hospital	5	Obstetrics and Gynecology Specialist, 2 Operating Room Nurses, Orthopedic Surgeon, Spine Surgeon	341	252

EMT_3	22 Days The team entered Gaza on 24th July	Indonesian Hospital (North Gaza)	2	Hand Surgeon, Emergency Medicine Specialist	375	43
EMT_4	26 Days The team entered Gaza on 20th August	Al-Ahli Hospital (North Gaza)	2	Anesthesiologist, Operating Room Nurse	228	103
EMT_5	28 Days The team entered Gaza on 31st October	Al-Ahli Hospital (North Gaza)	2	Orthopedic and Traumatology Surgeon, Gynecologist, Anesthesiologist, Operating Room Nurse	764	215 + 26 Live Births
EMT_6	34 Days The team entered Gaza on 21st November	Al-Ahli Hospital (North Gaza) and Nasser Hospital (South Gaza)	4	Orthopedic Surgeon, Vascular Surgeon, Anesthesiologist and ICU Specialist, Operating Room Nurse, Anesthesiologist and ICU Specialist, Operating Room Nurse	451	301
EMT_7	Ongoing The team entered Gaza on 16th December	EGH	1	Orthopedic and Trauma Surgeon	77 - as of 31st December	34 - as of 31st December
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	<b>2,541</b>	<b>1,324</b>





### MEDICAL POINTS

Throughout 2024, PCRF has operated six medical points across all regions in Gaza, adapting to shifting security conditions and operational capacity. These medical points have provided essential care to tens of thousands of displaced and under-served individuals, addressing Chronic Disease Management, Pediatric Care, Dental Care, and General Healthcare in communities with limited access to medical services.

At its peak, PCRF established the first dedicated pediatric specialty medical point in Gaza, ensuring that children not only received essential medical care but also critical humanitarian supplies such as milk, juice, and diapers— items that were nearly impossible to find due to extreme shortages. After months of work, services at the medical point affiliated with Al-Awda Hospital in Northern Gaza had to be suspended due to the deteriorating security situation in the North, cutting off access to specialized care. PCRF continues to adapt its medical response to meet the evolving needs on the ground, ensuring that displaced populations receive urgent care despite immense logistical and security challenges. Below is a snapshot of PCRF’s medical response through two medical points, demonstrating the scale of patient care and specialized services provided amidst ongoing challenges.

#### Medical Services and Patient Treated at PCRF’s Gaza Medical Points in 2024

Medical Point	Total Patients Treated	Patient Care
Deir al-Balah	5,840	Pediatric Care, Management of Infectious Diseases, Infection Control and Hygiene Support, Chronic Disease Management, Maternal and Prenatal Care
Mawasi Al Qarara	5,869	Pediatric Care, Management of Infectious Diseases, Infection Control and Hygiene Support, Chronic Disease Management, Maternal and Prenatal Care

**Polio vaccination:** During the first phase of the World Health Organization (WHO) Polio vaccination campaign, 1,572 children were vaccinated at Deir al-Balah Medical Point and 300 children were vaccinated at Mawasi Medical Point. In the second phase 1,414 children were vaccinated at Deir al-Balah Medical Point. The campaign also provided supplemental Vitamin E.

### TREATMENT ABROAD PROGRAM

In 2024, PCRF’s Treatment Abroad Program facilitated the evacuation and provided specialized medical care for 169 patients from Gaza across multiple countries, reinforcing our role as the leading NGO coordinating critical healthcare globally. These patients—many of whom suffered severe injuries and complex medical conditions— received life-saving treatments, including heart surgeries, cancer treatments, fracture repairs, prosthetics, and metabolic disorder interventions. As healthcare systems in Gaza collapsed, PCRF continued to lead in securing global partnerships and specialized care for children.

#### Patients Evacuated in 2024

Country	Number of Children Evacuated for Treatment
Qatar	55
USA	25
UAE	42
Jordan	2
Italy	18
Lebanon	3
Spain	15
Belgium	4
South Africa	4
Germany	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>169</b>



# WEST BANK

## URGENT RELIEF

While the war in Gaza has been the epicenter of devastation, its impact has reverberated across the West Bank, where escalating violence, movement restrictions, and economic hardships have placed thousands of vulnerable families in urgent need of support.

The humanitarian crisis in the West Bank has deepened, leaving children and families struggling with food insecurity, medical shortages, and displacement. PCRF has stepped up to meet these growing needs, providing emergency aid, food assistance, and medical relief to ensure that families facing the downstream effects of the crisis receive the support they desperately need.

**PROVISION OF FOOD PARCELS TO VULNERABLE FAMILIES IN MADAMA AND BURIN:** PCRF, in collaboration with contributors from the UK, distributed food parcels to 129 vulnerable families in the villages of Madama and Burin. Each parcel, designed to sustain a family for one month, included essential pantry items, addressing immediate food insecurity.

**DISTRIBUTION OF SCHOOL BAGS AND STATIONERY TO STUDENTS:** Continuing a project launched in August, PCRF distributed school bags and stationery to students in underserved areas of the West Bank, focusing on marginalized communities in the Jordan Valley near Jericho. This initiative aimed to support education and ease the financial burden on families impacted by economic challenges.

**HYGIENE:** PCRF distributed 170 hygiene kits to students and children with disabilities in Bethlehem and Beit Jala, and 697 boxes of baby diapers to children in Jenin Camp and Al Amal Center in Al-Ubaidiyah. Additionally, PCRF provided sanitary supplies to orphanages and schools across the West Bank.

**MEDICAL:** PCRF Supplied first aid kits and foldable stretchers to Ramallah, Salfit and Tubas governorates, delivered medical supplies, including external fixation kits, medical mattresses, and ventilators/ECG machines and emergency materials to hospitals in Jenin and Nablus, provided essential medical supplies to elderly care facilities in Nablus, and supported the Pediatric ICU and Cardiac Department at PMC by providing essential medical supplies, enabling 17 catheterizations and 7 cardiac surgeries.

**RELIEF SUPPLIES:** PCRF Distributed winter jackets, blankets, and mattresses to families in Tulkarm, Nour Shams, Nablus, and Bethlehem, provided 400 water barrels to families in Tulkarm and Nour Shams camps, stationery kits and school bags for 8,200 students across the West Bank and 15 high-quality tents for vulnerable Bedouin families in the Northern Tubas Valley to provide shelter during winter.

**NUTRITION:** PCRF delivered 3,657 food parcels across the West Bank, provided milk to children in Jericho, Ramallah, Al-Fawwar and Jenin camps, and 7,980 meals to Gazans stranded in the West Bank and individuals in Ramallah.

**PSYCHOSOCIAL SUPPORT:** PCRF Distributed toys and organized recreational activities for displaced children, provided kitchen supplies, clothing for the elderly and stationery for children with disabilities in Jericho.



# LEBANON

## URGENT RELIEF

The crisis in Gaza has also exacerbated instability into Lebanon, where vulnerable Palestinian, Lebanese and Syrian families are increasingly in need of humanitarian aid. The situation has worsened due to ongoing economic collapse, displacement from war and border violence, and worsening healthcare shortages, leaving many families with little to no access to basic necessities. PCRF has extended its emergency response to Lebanon, ensuring that displaced and struggling families receive essential medical aid, food parcels, and other urgent support during these challenging times. As always, our commitment to supporting Palestinian and our other families and communities transcends borders, and we remain steadfast in our mission to provide relief where it is needed. Since the onset of the humanitarian crisis, PCRF has carried out a range of intervention in Lebanon, including:

**FOOD PARCEL DISTRIBUTION FOR DISPLACED FAMILIES:** PCRF distributed 1,651 food parcels to families sheltering in 10 schools and 3 camps, including Badawi, Mar Elias, and Nahr el-Bared. Each parcel provided essential nutrition for displaced families.

**HYGIENE KITS:** 787 hygiene kits were distributed to families across 15 shelters, containing essential items like soap, shampoo, and sanitary napkins.

**LICE KITS FOR CHILDREN:** 1,311 lice kits were distributed to children in shelters, addressing hygiene needs in overcrowded conditions.

**DIAPERS FOR BABIES AND CHILDREN:** 274 diaper kits were distributed, each containing five bags of diapers for young children.

**DIAPERS FOR ELDERLY AND PEOPLE WITH SPECIAL NEEDS:** 233 adult diaper kits were distributed to elderly and disabled individuals, containing ten bags per kit.

**SANITARY PADS FOR GIRLS AND WOMEN:** 1,311 kits, each with 18 small bags of sanitary pads, were distributed to women and girls in shelters.

**EQUIPPING THE TURKISH HOSPITAL WITH MEDICAL DEVICES:** PCRF provided critical equipment, including analyzers and vital sign monitors, to support trauma and emergency care.

**HIGH QUALITY LINENS AND PATIENT CARE SUPPLIES FOR THE TURKISH HOSPITAL:** Essential linens, gowns, and drapes were provided to ensure a clean, supportive environment for patients.

In December 2024, PCRF implemented **A NEW NUTRITION PROJECT** to address the ongoing humanitarian needs in Lebanon, reflecting its commitment to supporting displaced families and vulnerable communities. Despite relative stability following a ceasefire agreement, significant challenges persist due to displacement and the strain on essential services.





# COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH SERVICES AND HUMANITARIAN SUPPORT

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## HUMANITARIAN PROGRAMS

PCRF's Humanitarian Programs deliver critical support to individual beneficiaries in need through our Social Work teams, focusing on non-surgical medical needs through initiatives like the One-Time and Monthly Sponsorship programs.

Our programs, including the Monthly Gaza Orphan Sponsorship and Monthly Disabled Sponsorship, provide tailored assistance to ensure vulnerable children receive essential care and resources.

The table below provides a breakdown of the different programs by the type of service provided, the locations of the beneficiaries, and the number of beneficiaries.

2024 was one of the highest-volume years for child support, as the need for PCRF's assistance grew significantly. PCRF expanded its reach, ensuring that thousands of children received the urgent care and support they desperately needed.

Humanitarian Programs (January - December 2024)

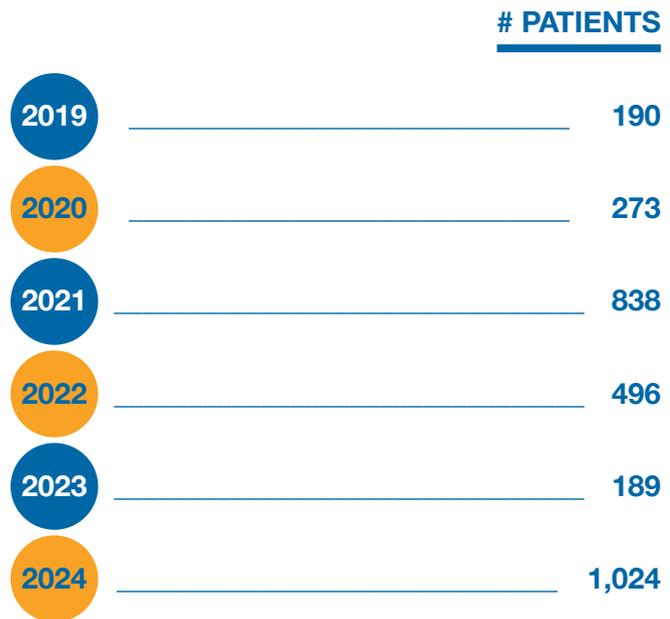
Program	Service Provided	Locations	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total Cases
Monthly Disabled Sponsorship	Specialized milk, medications, physiotherapy, and nutritional care	West Bank, Jordan, Lebanon, and Gaza	394	413	575	467	461	719	444	454	557	779	511	646	815
One-Time Medical Sponsorship	Hearing aids, orthopedic devices, braces, medical eyeglasses, lab tests and related services	West Bank, Jordan, Lebanon, and Gaza	146	138	216	245	222	207	373	319	260	208	317	105	2744
Gaza Orphan Sponsorship Program	Food baskets, hygiene kits, shoes, and baby formula	Gaza and Recently Lebanon	0	0	396	124	0	637	666	712	1,076	1,205	84	610	2,160





### ONE-TIME SURGICAL SPONSORSHIP (OTS)

The OTS program played a crucial role in bridging gaps in healthcare in 2024, ensuring that patients receive urgent, life-saving surgeries that would otherwise be delayed due to systemic inefficiencies, long waiting periods, or financial barriers. By covering a wide range of specialties, the program provides timely medical interventions to those in need, with Pediatric General Surgery and Pediatric Urology being the most commonly performed procedures.



#### One-Time Surgical Sponsorship (OTS) Summary (January - December 2024)

Program	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
West Bank	14	42	14	17	59	30	83	66	67	95	13	593
Lebanon	6	40	40	21	24	24	35	37	21	37	20	321
Jordan	4	21	19	9	6	2	13	19	4	2	3	110
<b>Total</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>1,024</b>



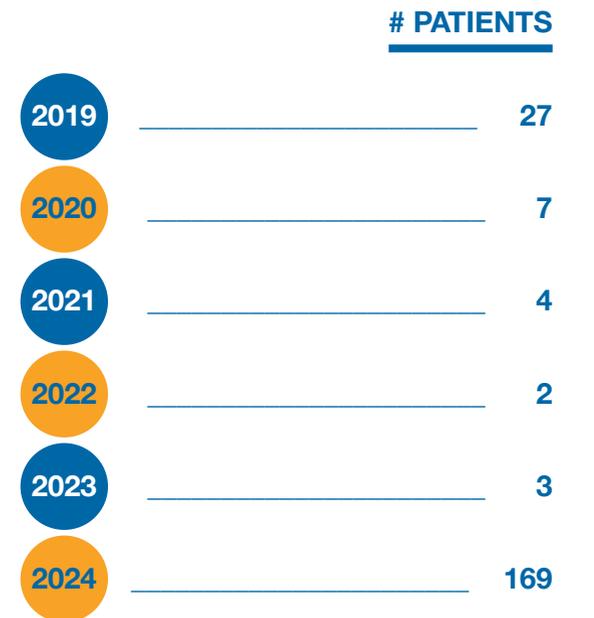
### TREATMENT ABROAD PROGRAM

In 2024, PCRf's Treatment Abroad Program facilitated the evacuation of 169 children from Gaza to receive life-saving medical care in the Middle East, South Africa, Europe, and the U.S.

The urgent evacuations were necessary due to the ongoing violence and destruction, the severe shortage of medical resources and the collapse of the healthcare system in Gaza.

Many of these patients suffered severe injuries and complex medical conditions, requiring urgent interventions such as heart surgeries, cancer treatments, fracture repairs, and metabolic disorder treatments.

Throughout their treatment abroad, patients and their companions were supported by our dedicated chapters and volunteers, ensuring they received both medical care and community support during their recovery.



## MEDICAL MISSIONS

Even in the most unstable conditions, PCRf remained steadfast in delivering critical medical care through our medical mission in the regions we serve, ensuring that children in need received specialized treatment.

Navigating the unstable travel conditions, our Medical Missions Program continued to operate, bringing world-class volunteer doctors and nurses from around the globe to provide life-saving surgical interventions and specialized treatments.

Throughout 2024, In addition to seven medical missions deployed in Gaza, PCRf successfully completed 16 medical missions across the West Bank, Jordan, and Lebanon, offering expertise in pediatric surgery, orthopedics, hand surgery, maxillofacial surgery, and other essential specialties. These missions provided free, high quality medical care to children who otherwise would not have access to such advanced treatments.

	# MISSIONS	# PATIENTS
2019	175	2,399
2020	20	300
2021	9	318
2022	101	1,587
2023	93	1,074
2024	23	1,505

## PCRf Medical Missions in 2024

Location	Mission	Led By	Date	Screened Cases	Surgeries Conducted	Mission Duration
West Bank	Dental	Dr. Sahar Al Rayyis	24-Mar	25	15	3 Days
West Bank	Hand Surgery	Dr. Jose Monssivais	24-Apr	8	6	4 Days
West Bank	Plastic	Dr. Diatchi Morioca	24-Jun	45	14	6 Days
Jordan	Orthopedic Spinal	Dr. Nazeeh Abu-Dayyah	24-Feb	3	2	2 Days
Jordan	Orthopedic Surgeries	Dr. Asan Rafee	24-Mar	28	6	3 Days
Lebanon	Orthopedic Surgeries	Dr. Asan Rafee	24-Mar	41	11	3 Days
Jordan	UK Hand Mission	Dr. Asan Rafee	24-Aug	28	12	7 Days
Jordan	EGY General Pediatric	Dr. Adham Mustafa	24-Aug	60	40	5 Days
Jordan	Kuwait Orthopedic Mission	Dr. Owayydh	24-Aug	2	2	1 Day
Jordan	Dental	Dr. Sahar Al Rayyis	24-Sep	32	31	5 Days
Jordan	Scoliosis Mission	Dr. Nazeeh Abu-Dayyah	24-Oct	9	3	3 Days
Jordan	Assessment Mission	Dr. Diana Lapp	24-Oct	251	-	16 Days
Jordan	Maxillofacial Mission	Dr. Imad Tamimi	24-Oct	9	2	1 Day
West Bank	Arthroscopic Surgical & Training Mission	Dr. Tim Keenan	24-Dec	25	25	12 Days
Jordan	Hand & Trauma Orthopedic Mission	Dr. Asan Rafee	24-Dec	40	10	5 Days
Jordan	Scoliosis Mission	Dr. Nazeeh Abu-Dayyah	24-Dec	2	2	4 Days
Gaza	2 Orthopedic Trauma Surgeons, Maxillofacial Surgeon, ICU and Anesthesiology Specialist, Vascular Surgeon, General Surgeon, Endocrinologist/Diabetologist, Operating Room Nurse, Logistics Specialist		17-Apr	305	350	14 Days
Gaza	Obstetrics and Gynecology Specialist, 2 Operating Room Nurses, Orthopedic Surgeon, Spine Surgeon		31-May	341	252	27 Days
Gaza	Hand Surgeon, Emergency Medicine Specialist		24-Jul	375	43	22 Days
Gaza	Anesthesiologist, Operating Room Nurse		20-Aug	228	103	26 Days
Gaza	Orthopedic and Traumatology Surgeon, Gynecologist, Anesthesiologist, Operating Room Nurse		31-Oct	764	215 + 26 Live Births	28 Days
Gaza	Orthopedic Surgeon, Vascular Surgeon, Anesthesiologist and ICU Specialist, Operating Room Nurse, Anesthesiologist and ICU Specialist, Operating Room Nurse		21-Nov	451	301	34 Days
Gaza	2 Orthopedic Trauma Surgeons, Maxillofacial Surgeon, ICU and Anesthesiology Specialist, Vascular Surgeon, General Surgeon, Endocrinologist/Diabetologist, Operating Room Nurse, Logistics Specialist		16-Dec	77 (as of 31st Dec)	34 (as of 31st Dec)	Ongoing
<b>Totals</b>	-		-	<b>3,149</b>	<b>1,505</b>	-



## **STRENGTHENING PEDIATRIC CARDIAC CARE AT PALESTINE MEDICAL COMPLEX**

PCRF has played a critical and ongoing role in supporting the Pediatric ICU and Cardiac Department at the Palestine Medical Complex in Ramallah, ensuring that children with congenital and acquired heart conditions receive the urgent care they need. PCRF ensures that our infrastructure projects continue to be impactful— our commitment remains strong, ensuring continuous growth, support, and impact.

Our ongoing efforts focus on addressing unmet cardiac surgery needs, including supplying pediatric catheterization tools, disposables, and other surgical essentials, so that no child is denied treatment due to resource shortages. PCRF continues to invest thousands to support this vital project, ensuring that the dedicated healthcare team has the tools, training, and resources to deliver high-quality cardiac care. Through infrastructure development, staff training, and the provision of essential medical equipment and supplies, we ensure the hospital’s capacity to perform life-saving cardiac surgeries and interventions. Through unwavering commitment, PCRF continues to prioritize pediatric heart care, delivering on mission to save lives and improve healthcare access for Palestinian children.

### **PCRF’s Pediatric Cardiac Surgeries and Catheterization Procedures in 2024**

Unit / Cases	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Pediatric Cardiac Surgery	11	11	10	6	11	13	11	11	12	7	17	13	137
Pediatric Cath Unit	18	17	15	11	19	14	14	29	24	0	7	15	190
<b>Total</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>327</b>

## **PEDIATRIC ONCOLOGY: SUSTAINING PEDIATRIC CANCER CARE AMID CRISIS**

While our Dr. Musa and Suhaila Nasser Cancer Unit in Gaza was rendered non-operational due to the attack on hospitals in Gaza, the Huda Al Masri Pediatric Cancer Department at Beit Jala Hospital in the West Bank remains a lifeline for children battling cancer in the West Bank. This department provides comprehensive medical care through both inpatient and outpatient services, ensuring children receive the critical treatment they need. Beyond medical care, the department fosters a healing environment by offering therapeutic activities and educational support, helping young patients maintain their well-being and resilience throughout their treatment journey.

PCRF plays a crucial role in sustaining and improving this essential facility. We work tirelessly to prevent supply and medicine shortages, ensuring children have uninterrupted access to life-saving treatments. Additionally, we invest in facility maintenance and upgrades, guaranteeing a safe, well-equipped, and supportive environment for young patients.

### **Huda Al Masri Pediatric Cancer Department Patient numbers and visits in 2024**

Type / Cases	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Inpatients	17	16	18	13	17	14	10	24	29	25	29	15	227
Outpatients + Doctor Clinics	251	174	194	167	218	185	219	228	188	193	302	245	2,564
<b>Total</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>331</b>	<b>260</b>	<b>2,791</b>





# COMMUNITY- CENTERED CAPACITY DEVELOPMENT AND INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS

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## COMMUNITY-CENTERED CAPACITY DEVELOPMENT AND INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS

Despite the ongoing crisis and its widespread impact on safety and stability across the region, PCRf remains steadfast in its commitment to providing critical healthcare capacity development and infrastructure support. In Gaza, we have undertaken and continue to progress on several Emergency Construction Projects, including the construction of a field hospital in Rafah, the establishment of the PCRf Field Hospital in Mawasi Al-Zawayda near Al-Aqsa Hospital, the rehabilitation of Al-Sheikh Radwan Clinic and Emergency Center, the restoration and activation of operating rooms at Al-Aqsa Hospital, the provision of electrical generators for the Ophthalmic Hospital and Vaccination Warehouse, and the implementation of movable medical tents. At the same time, we have sustained our essential projects in the West Bank and Lebanon, recognizing the urgent need for continued support in these regions. Our commitment ensures that vital healthcare services remain accessible, providing a lifeline for vulnerable communities during these uncertain times.

## SUPPORTING COMMUNITY HEALTH & WELLBEING THROUGH SMALL COMMUNITY PROJECTS

Through our small community projects, PCRf provides essential health and wellbeing services that foster healthier populations. These efforts aim to empower communities and create long-lasting, positive impacts all over the region we serve. PCRf has successfully completed—or is actively implementing—targeted community projects designed to enhance healthcare accessibility and improve overall well-being. These initiatives provide essential services that foster healthier populations and strengthen local healthcare infrastructure.

### PCRf Small Community Projects: Status and Progress

Title	Location	Partner	Start Date	End Date	Activity Completion
Developing rehabilitation services for children with disabilities - Beit Liqia	Ramallah - Beit Liqia village	Beit Liqia Municipality	24-Feb	24-Dec	88%
Improving the physiotherapy services	Hebron - Al Fawar Camp	Social Rehabilitation Association at Al Fawwar Camp	24-Feb	24-Dec	69%
Providing medical devices for Bait Leed primary health clinic	Tulkarem - Bait Leed	MOH	24-Feb	24-Dec	60%
Improving health care services - Tayasir Clinic	Tubas - Tayasir	MOH	24-Feb	24-Dec	60%
Improving health care services - Seneria Village	Qalqilya	MOH	24-Feb	24-Dec	90%

Sensory Room in Askar Refugee Camp	Nablus	Association of Special Needs Parents - Our Children	Carried 2023	24-Aug	100%
Establishment of a Sensory Room - AlAmal Society	Hebron	Al-Amal Association	Carried 2023	24-Mar	100%
Sensory Room - PRC - Jericho	Jericho	Palestine Red Crescent Society	Carried 2023	24-Mar	100%
Equipping obstetric and Urology health clinic - AlRashideih Camp	Lebanon	Bait Atfal Alsoumod	Carried 2022	24-Jan	90%
Equipping Physiotherapy clinic - Shatila Camp	Lebanon	Social Support Society	Carried 2023	24-Mar	100%
Equipping Dental Clinic - Ein elHelwi Camp	Lebanon	Bait Atfal Alsoumod	Carried 2023	24-Jan	100%
Equipping Dental Clinic - AlRashidiye Camp	Lebanon	Bait Atfal Alsoumod	Carried 2023	24-Jan	100%
Equipping Gynecology and Urology Clinic - Ein elHelwi Camp	Lebanon	Bait Atfal Alsoumod	Carried 2023	24-Mar	100%
Thalassemia & Sickle Cell Project	Lebanon	HCS	Carried 2023	24-Dec	40%
Equipping a playground with games and physio-equipment for children with disabilities and specific needs at Huda Alshaalan center in Ein Elhelwe Camp	Lebanon	Huda Alshaalan Center	Carried 2023	24-Jun	100% Equipping Playground, Ongoing for the Physio Equipments
Development of the Physiotherapy department for the Southern Society for Special Education	Jordan	The Southern Society for Special Education	Carried 2023	24-Dec	30%





## STRENGTHENING HEALTHCARE THROUGH OUR CONTINUOUS INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS

PCRF has been actively advancing infrastructure projects to bridge critical gaps in healthcare facilities. Throughout 2024, these projects have focused on long-term improvements to public health services, ensuring greater accessibility and enhanced quality of care for vulnerable communities. By investing in sustainable infrastructure, PCRF is laying the foundation for a stronger, more resilient healthcare system that will serve generations to come.

The table below outlines key infrastructure projects, detailing their status and progress as we continue to expand healthcare access where it is needed most.

### PCRF Infrastructure Projects: Status and Progress

Project Title	Location	Donor	Partner	Start Date	End Date	Activity Completion %
Establishment of an Emergency Center at Batir Clinic	Bethlehem	PCRF	MOH	23-Jul	23-Dec	100%
Extension of Huda Al Masri Department as a PICU and Oncology Outpatient Clinic, at Beit Jala Governmental Hospital	Bethlehem	PCRF Dallas Chapter	MOH	23-Apr	25-Jul	35%

Improvement and Furnishing of the Autism Department - Bethlehem Governorate	Bethlehem	PCRF	MOH	22-Dec	24-Jan	100%
Rehabilitation and Expansion of Pediatric Vaccination Center at MOH Bethlehem Directorate	Bethlehem	PCRF	MOH	22-Dec	24-Jan	100%
Construction of Khalet Al Mai Clinic and Emergency Center	Hebron	Omnia Bakhsh	MOH	23-Aug	25-Feb	45%
Rehabilitation of the Pediatric Department in Alia Hospital	Hebron	PCRF	MOH	23-Aug	25-Nov	5%
The construction of Beer Al-Basha Primary Health Care Clinic	Jenin	Houston Chapter	MOH	23-Sep	24-Aug	100%
Establishment of a New Operation Room at Jenin Hospital	Jenin	PCRF	MOH	24-Apr	25-Aug	5%
Providing Stretchers for the Pediatric Department at Jericho Hospital	Jericho	Cultures of Resistance	MOH	23-Jul	24-Mar	100%
Development of the Pediatric Department of Jericho Governmental Hospital	Jericho	PCRF	MOH	23-Aug	25-Oct	5%
Pediatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU) Department at Rafidia Surgical Hospital	Nablus	PCRF	MOH	23-May	24-Sep	5%
First Floor PICU Restoration at Al-Bahreini Building in the PMC - Ramallah	Ramallah	PCRF	MOH	22-Dec	TBD	0%
The construction project for the Wadi Al Faraa Clinic	Tubas	PCRF Charlotte Chapter	MOH	23-Jan	24-Aug	100%
Rehabilitation of the Childhood Protection Center Play area and Education Room at PRCS Tulkarem	Tulkarem	Mr. Mohammad Al-Rai	Childhood Protection Center/ PRCS	23-Nov	24-Nov	100%
Rehabilitation and Development for the Pediatric Physiotherapy Center at the General Union of Palestinian Women Center-Ein EL Helweh	Lebanon	PCRF	GPUW	22-Dec	25-Feb	100% of Phase 1 100% of Phase 2



## THANK YOU!

Your support directly transforms the lives of children in need, enabling PCRf to provide critical medical care where it is most needed. Thanks to your generosity, we can send international volunteer medical teams to treat sick and injured patients while training local doctors, ensuring long-term impact. Your contributions also make it possible for wounded and sick children to travel abroad for free medical care that is unavailable to them locally.

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