



Rehabilitation of the Tulkarem Hospital – Phase III

Programme Area:

1300 – Health

1310 – Health System
Structure

Project Number:

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Award Number:

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Duration:

18 Months

Partner:

P.A. Ministry of Health

Budget:

US\$ 2,300,000

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This project is the third phase of the construction of the New Government Hospital to serve the Tulkarem District in the West Bank. The first two phases of the project implemented by UNDP with funding from the Government of Japan comprised the building of the basement and ground floor of the new hospital. During this phase of the project, the first floor will be constructed. In addition, the old Tulkarem Hospital will be renovated in order to accommodate the Operating Theater, Pharmacy, and Outpatient Clinics.

Objectives:

1. To improve health care services and accessibility.

Locations:

Project will serve the Tulkarem Governorate.

Products (as of end – May 2006):

All initial works for the additional floor and rehabilitation of the old building have been completed. The works completed for the new floor encompass the following:

- Surgery department which includes two major surgery rooms, one minor surgery room, recovery room, medical stores, nurse station, doctors rest area, male and female changing rooms, sterilization zone and medical report office.
- Patient wards; including 35 beds in the male ward and 28 beds in the female ward.
- Staff and Doctors Rooms, and nurse stations.
- Stores, kitchenette, and service rooms.
- Waiting and reception zones for the visitors.
- Installation of a new bed elevator.
- Installation of a new generator.
- Construction of a machine room (Air Conditioning Equipment) on the roof.
- Complete Electrical, Mechanical, and Medical Gases Systems including the erection of a new chiller, for air handling units, fan

coils, fire fighting system, public address system, and nurse call system.

As for the rehabilitation works, the following task have been completed:

- Rehabilitation of the adjacent old building which was the old hospital operating theatre in order to service the new Intensive Care Unit (ICU) and introduce 6 beds as well as administration offices.

Outputs:

Improvement in Health Care accessibility as well as services in the effected area.