



## Project Fact Sheet



### Development of the National Palestinian Onco-hematology Centre at the Beit Jala Hospital

#### THEMATIC AREA

Poverty Reduction

#### SECTOR / SUB SECTOR

Health

#### **PROJECT AIM (OVERALL OBJECTIVE)**

The establishment of a National Palestinian Onco-hematology Center at Beit Jala Government Hospital. The project objective is to improve the level of advanced medical services in the West Bank by expanding the Palestinian residents' access to highly specialized services in the fields of oncology and hematology.

#### **PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

In 1998 discussions started between the Palestinian Ministry of Health (MOH) and the office of the Italian Cooperation to create a reference National Cancer Center in Palestine. As a result of these discussions, a proposal has been developed to realize a Palestinian Onco-hematology Center, which will be dedicated to screening, diagnosis and treatment of solid as well as hematological tumors.

#### **OBJECTIVES**

- to improve the level of advanced medical services in the West Bank by expanding the Palestinian residents access to highly specialized services in the field of Oncology and hematology.

#### **IMPACT STATEMENT**

- Enlarged hospital grounds by 1500 square meters.
- Increased bed capacity from 76 to 96.
- Trained Key national personnel in the area of hematology.

#### **PROGRESS UP TO DATE**

- Construction component complete and presently technical assistance has been launched.

#### PROJECT DETAILS

Project Number	00040875
Award Number	00037352
Duration	Oct 07 – Dec 09
Donor	Italian Cooperation
Partner	Ministry of Health

#### BUDGET

Total Budget	US\$2,422,350
Disbursement up to date	US\$2,308,399

#### Geographic Location

Hebron, West Bank

#### OUTPUTS

- The expansion of available premises by the construction of a fourth floor on the western wing of Beit Jala Hospital, to house an Oncology Ward.



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