



Incubators for Iman
Hospital-Syria
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Completion Report



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Project Summary

Project title	Renew Incubators in Iman Hospital
Location	Planned: Big Orem, Aleppo, Syria Actual: Kah, Idlib, Syria
Project Type / Sector	Health
Beneficiaries	(200-250) new-borns on a monthly basis.

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Project Status	Complete

About Human Appeal

Human Appeal is a non-profit organisation working across the globe to strengthen humanity's fight against poverty, social injustice and natural disaster. Through the provision of immediate relief and establishment of self-sustaining development programmes, we aim to invest in real, effective solutions.

Context

There has been an increase in airstrikes since last year, targeting health facilities, putting numerous hospitals out of service. There was a noticeable increase in the proportion of use of incubators in Al-Iman hospital.

Previously, there were 9 incubators (2 of which were not working properly) and 1 UV incubator was out of service. All the incubators were second hand and required maintenance frequently.

The incubators were being used to full capacity and sometimes there was more than one baby kept in the incubator. This had increased due to mass displacement in the previous months.

Project Description

The project aims to:

Objective:

1. Reduce the mortality rate of new-borns in the project area.

Activities:

- 1- Purchase 4 new standard incubators, 1 UV incubator and 2 phototherapy units.

Key Achievements

1- Procured and installed 4 new standard incubators, 1 UV incubator and 2 phototherapy units helping over 200 to 250 newborns on a monthly basis in the northern rural region of Idlib.

2- Assisting cases referred from Western Rural Aleppo.

Challenges:

- There have been many security issues and airstrikes in Western Rural Aleppo with the latest strike near the Al-Iman hospital in August 2016. In response the hospital was relocated to Kah in Idlib..

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