

12/09/2025 The Palestinian Medical Relief Society Statement on recent attacks in Gaza and the West Bank

The recent attacks on the population in Gaza, including the damage inflicted on the fixed point clinic operated by the Palestinian Medical Relief Society in Al Shati, are deeply condemnable acts of violence that target essential medical infrastructure and threaten the lives and wellbeing of civilians. These attacks exacerbate the humanitarian crisis in Gaza, where forced evacuation orders in Gaza City only deepen the displacement and suffering of Palestinian families.

Despite the ongoing siege, forced starvation, and repeated attacks on healthcare facilities, the teams of the Palestinian Medical Relief Society remain determined to continue providing vital medical services across Gaza and Palestine. Their unwavering commitment to saving lives in the face of relentless adversity is a testament to their courage and dedication.

At the same time, the ongoing violence and escalation across the West Bank, particularly in Tulkarem, reflect a systematic campaign aimed at the destabilization and erasure of Palestinian communities. This pattern of aggression contributes to the ongoing erasure of the Palestinian people, undermining their rights, presence, and identity.

We urgently call on the international community to intensify pressure and advocacy efforts by imposing complete sanctions on Israel, which has repeatedly demonstrated its inability to comply with international law or respect the sanctity of human life. The protection of Palestinian civilians and the upholding of fundamental human rights demand immediate and decisive global action.