Palestinian Medical Relief Society

IMPACT UPDATE JANUARY - JULY 2025





Gaza January- July 2025 in Summary

The Palestinian Medical Relief Society (PMRS) in the current emergency situation has been a cornerstone of healthcare in Gaza Strip, providing equitable and community-based services under the most difficult conditions. In Gaza, where the health system has been devastated by aggression, blockade, bombardment, and shortages, PMRS has become one of the few organizations able to sustain consistent, life-saving care.

Every day we are receiving thousands of patient's children suffering from malnutrition, pregnant women hoping for a safe delivery, people with chronic illnesses searching for medications and hoping of not reaching disability from the complications, and the injured and wounded trying to avoid amputations. Beyond healthcare, PMRS work to restore dignity by distributing hygiene kits, formula milk, diapers, assistive devices, and essential needs for the population. Even though increased risk and safety of health workers, we continue to serve.

Between January and July 2025, PMRS reached more than 739,914 people across Gaza Strip, operating clinics, medical points, and mobile teams despite relentless bombardment, displacement, and the neartotal collapse of public health infrastructure.

At the heart of PMRS's mission is its commitment to serving the most vulnerable populations those who are often excluded from or unable to access formal health services.

For children suffering from malnutrition, PMRS provides comprehensive medical check-ups, nutrition screening, psychosocial care, and rehabilitation services, addressing both their physical health and emotional well-being in the wake of trauma and loss.

People with disabilities receive specialized attention, including physiotherapy, rehabilitation sessions, and the provision of assistive devices, which enable them to regain mobility, independence, and dignity in their daily lives.

Women, particularly pregnant and lactating mothers, are supported through antenatal, postnatal, and reproductive health services, often delivered under extremely challenging crisis conditions where safe delivery is not guaranteed.

Elderly people, many of whom suffer from chronic diseases such as hypertension, diabetes, and cardiovascular conditions, are a core focus of PMRS care.

Our teams, despite living through the reality of what is now Gaza, have remained steadfast in their commitment to serving the most vulnerable Palestinians.

Continuing to serve the most vulnerable Palestinians in Gaza

Gaza Currently

90%

OF GAZA'S POPULATION

Internally displaced and facing severe restrictions on access to medical and health care, essential medications, hygiene, and adequate nutrition

The Palestinian Medical Relief Society

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January to July 2025 Impact Updates

August 1st 2025



The Palestinian Medical Relief Society continues providing essential life saving healthcare across Palestine.

Narrative Summary of Impact (January – July 2025)

Between January and July 2025, the Palestinian Medical Relief Society (PMRS) provided lifesaving and holistic health services across the Gaza Strip, despite immense challenges. Over this period, PMRS reached 739,914 people through a wide range of medical, psychosocial, and rehabilitation programs, ensuring care for some of the most vulnerable communities.

Primary Health and Emergency Care

PMRS delivered 352,479 primary health care services, including trauma and emergency interventions for those affected by conflict and displacement. This ensured thousands had consistent access to essential medicines, urgent treatments, and routine health consultations.

Laboratory testing supported these services at scale, with 121,742 tests conducted, enabling timely diagnosis and treatment.

Maternal, Reproductive, and Child Health

Specialized sexual and reproductive health (SRH) services reached 46,391 people, ensuring safe maternal care and women's health support in communities where health facilities are scarce. At the same time, child health and immunization were prioritized. PMRS led a polio vaccination campaign across the Gaza Strip, vaccinating 3,287 children (1,652 boys and 1,635 girls) to prevent outbreaks amid worsening public health risks.

Jan-July 2025:

739,914 people were served between January and July 2025

46,391 maternal support

beneficiaries

3,257 orphans were supported

107 PMRS teams

were in operation during this period

3,287 polio vaccines were given

44,808 mental health sessions provided

Source: PMRS and https://healthcluster.who.int/countries-andregions/occupied-palestinian-territory





Psychosocial and Community Support

Recognizing the mental health toll of displacement, trauma, and loss, PMRS provided **44,808 psychosocial support** services.
Recreational and health education sessions (40,308 and 13,173 respectively) also offered children and families safe spaces for healing, learning, and resilience.

PMRS further supported **3,257 orphans,** ensuring they received social, educational, and psychological care.

Rehabilitation, Support for People with Disabilities and Chronic Disease Services

Rehabilitation remained a cornerstone of PMRS's impact, with **14,161 services** provided to people affected with injuries and disabilities. In total, **237,648 people with chronic diseases** benefited from PMRS interventions and inclusion-focused programming, helping them rebuild independence and dignity.



Non-Communicable and Communicable Disease Management

The burden of non-communicable diseases (NCDs) was addressed through **78,819 services**, ensuring patients with chronic conditions such as diabetes and hypertension received continuous care.

Simultaneously, PMRS conducted disease surveillance for communicable diseases, strengthening community-level public health protection.

Importantly **3287 polio vaccinations** were provided.



Community Reach and Health Infrastructure

PMRS's network of 107 teams, supported by 17 health centers, 21 medical points, and 3 mobile clinics,

ensured services were accessible across all five governorates: Rafah, Khan Yunis, Gaza City, North Gaza, and the Middle Area .

Frontline teams included **35**psychosocial specialists, **14**rehabilitation staff, and **17** midwives,
ensuring specialized care was
delivered directly to those most in
need.

PMRS's Services



Mobile Clinic and Outreach



Primary Health Clinics



Emergency Response









Safe Spaces + GBV



Women's Health and Sexual Health/Rights

Disability care

+ rehabilitation



Specialist

Health centres

Youth and child health



Education + awareness + capacity building



Policy + Advocacy campaigns





Procurement Updates

During this period, the siege on Gaza tightened and the teams were faced with many challenges with respect to accessing supplies. However with funds raised and the support of our partners working in Gaza, we were still able to procure essential items.

This included life saving medications, including those needed for chronic conditions such as hypertension etc. Additionally some supports for lab equipment and rehabilitation teams.

Importantly we were also able to procure milk and diapers for our women and babies programs.

Although the amounts were not what were needed due to the ongoing siege, we were still able throughout this period, to overcome this obstacle and continue our services across Gaza.



Since October 2023, PMRS has served an average of 65,000 patients per week in Gaza.



GAZA



107Teams

WEST BANK



13 Mobile Clinics



13 PHC Clinics



3,000 Emergency Volunteers



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Over the first half of 2025, PMRS demonstrated resilience and unwavering commitment to community health under crisis. From lifesaving emergency care to mental health support, disability rehabilitation, and disease prevention, PMRS ensured comprehensive, inclusive, and life-affirming services reached nearly three-quarters of a million people.

Of the total 739,914 beneficiaries, women and girls made up a significant proportion, reflecting PMRS's focus on gender-sensitive health provision. Specifically, 204,497 girls and 139,600 boys were served, alongside large numbers of adult men and women .

This period of work not only alleviated immediate suffering but also strengthened the long-term health resilience of Gaza's most vulnerable communities.

Thank you for your support!

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