PROFILE
THE SAFE MOTHERHOOD SPECIALIZED HOSPITAL
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GET TO KNOW US!

As part of Yemen Family Care Association (YFCA)’s Safe Motherhood project 2002-2007, Safe Motherhood Specialized Hospital (SMSH) was established in 2004 by a generous support from the British Community Fund, Japan government and AGFUND. YFCA SMSH was equipped with new and advanced medical equipment and appliances. The hospital is also equipped with an ambulance to transport complicated cases from the rural districts to the hospital to ensure timely lifesaving.

YFCA SMSH is considered as an integral part of the successful YFCA financial sustainability policy of income-generating projects to cover the core operating costs of the hospital besides refinancing expenditure.

YFCA SMSH with its affiliated family planning centers delivers quality family planning and sexual and reproductive healthcare to hundreds of thousands of poor and vulnerable women at nominal and affordable prices.

The SMSH’s services include, but not limited to: maternal and child healthcare, safe delivery obstetrics and ante and post-natal care; diagnosis and treatment of sexually transmitted infections.
REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH (RH) CLINICS

YFCA runs fixed reproductive health clinics for Yemeni families in Sana’a and other governorates. YFCA provides its services in its Reproductive Health (RH) Centers in Sana’a, Hodeida, Ibb and Hadhramout. YFCA quality reproductive health services have been accessed throughout the years by men, women, youth and children.

These fixed clinics offer antenatal care, a gynecology clinic, family planning services (including IUD insertion and removal), counseling and management of STIs, treatment of pediatric diseases, vaccination of pregnant women and children, HIV/AIDS Voluntary Counseling and Testing (VCT) and early detection of cervical carcinoma (PAP smear).
MOBILE CLINICS

The SMSH is administering a community-based service program with the operation of a couple of mobile medical clinics. These mobile clinics are operating in a scheme which covers points in under-served communities in Sana’a. These mobile medical clinics are an effective, proven way to reach remote populations who cannot access to health services. The mobile clinics provide antenatal and postnatal care, immunizations, family planning services.
WALK AROUND..
At the SMSH, care and compassion are the central focus of everything we do. That is why we are committed to building a diverse staff, consisting of experts in their field, to ensure a full line of services for all community members.

The hospital staff is trained to educate patients and community members and help them understand the health messages about epidemics such as cholera and diphtheria and also about family planning methods and reproductive health.
The SMSH community Library is a learning zone which provides free and easy access to information, ideas, and books that enrich, educate and empower every individual interested in development. The library is accessible by the general public and it inspires lifelong learning and literacy in a welcoming environment.

The SMSH library is accessible to individual and development organizations for reference. It also offers common areas to facilitate group discussions and collaboration.

Bringing together richness of resources and opportunities available to all, the Library holds many titles and items. The resources vary between books, statistics, reports, researches, journals, periodicals and newsletters. The topics of these items contain health, education, gender, governance, democracy, youth, empowerment, food and much more.

The SMSH with its library is considered as an important resource for many university students and researchers in town. The library is being visited by thousands of researchers and graduate students every year. Couple of community and youth gatherings are convened in the library for free of charge.
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Training Hall

The SMSH launched its training hall as an income-generating investment to enrich its financial sustainability and to cost-cutting for money spent for conducting events in town hotels. The training hall hosts various events for Community-based organizations (CBOs), Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) and Government authorities at a very nominal cost. The training hall was equipped with topnotch set-ups which resembles those of town hotels.
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