Health in Jordan: A report

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**Introduction**

Health conditions in Jordan are among the best in the Middle East. This is largely due to the country’s commitment to making healthcare for all a top priority. Advances in education, economic conditions, sanitation, clean water, diet and housing have made our community healthier.

A …Healthcare centers…..

As a result of careful planning, the number of healthcare services has been increasing rapidly over the past years. More than 800 different kinds of healthcare centres have been built, as well as 188 dental clinics. In 2014 CE, 98 per cent of Jordanian children were fully immunised, thanks to immunisation teams that had been working towards this goal for several years.

Although there were remote areas of the country where people had been without consistent access to electricity and safe water, almost 99 per cent of the country’s population now has access.

B Hospitals……..

Although the country has been focusing mainly on improving its primary healthcare facilities, it has not neglected its advanced medical facilities. The reputation of Jordanian doctors has spread in the region, and now many more patients come to Jordan for open heart surgery. In Jordan, the open-heart surgery programme started in 1970 CE in Amman.

C Life expectancy……..

The life expectancy figures show that Jordan's healthcare system is successful. In 1965 CE, the average Jordanian's life expectancy was age 50. In 2016 CE, this average life expectancy had risen to 74.6.

According to UNICEF statistics, between 1981 CE and 1991 CE, Jordan’s infant mortality rates declined more rapidly than anywhere else in the world – from 70 deaths per 1,000 births in 1981 CE to only 32 deaths per 1,000 births in 2014 CE.

**Conclusion**

The low infant mortality rate, as well as the excellent healthcare system, have been contributing factors to Jordan’s healthy population growth, which will result in a strong work force with economic benefits for the whole country.

