

Another key hospital taken out of service by Israel in north Gaza

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Gaza City, January 5 (RHC)-- Gaza health officials say one more key hospital on the northern edge of Gaza has been taken out of service by Israeli forces. The Gaza Health Ministry said in a statement on Saturday that the Indonesian Hospital “no longer provides any services to patients or the wounded.”

On Friday, the regime's forces surrounded the health facility, which is home to many displaced Palestinians in the northern town of Beit Lahiya and ordered the immediate evacuation of staff and patients.

According to the ministry, the North Gaza governorate has three public hospitals Kamal Adwan, Beit Hanoon and the Indonesian Hospital, all of which are now out of service. Beit Hanoon also received an evacuation order on Saturday.

Israel's military has also issued a separate evacuation order to al-Awda Hospital, in Jabalia. The military ordered the staff and patients to immediately leave, or it would bomb the facility, with all the people inside. There are reported 65 staff and 36 patients inside the hospital.

Healthcare in the besieged enclave has been pushed to the brink of collapse under relentless attacks by Israeli forces, including last week's barbaric destruction of the Kamal Adwan Hospital. The regime's forces raided the hospital, forcibly removed patients and staff, and set the building on fire on Friday.

Both the Indonesian and al-Awda Hospitals have been damaged due to relentless Israeli attacks since October 2023.

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