

# Medical Resources in Afghanistan

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Generally, medical services in Afghanistan are extremely undeveloped. Facilities often lack basic cleanliness, diagnostic and treatment equipment, and even the most common medications. Private clinics are often operated by individuals without government licenses or even medical degrees. There is no public agency that monitors these operations.

**Telephone dialing instructions:** All telephone numbers provided below are local access. When calling from outside of Afghanistan, you must dial +93 and omit the first digit (usually a zero) from each of the numbers below.

## **AMBULANCE SERVICE**

The Kabul Ambulance Service is staffed and administrated by Afghan employees who have been trained and equipped by a Norwegian NGO. To access the ambulance service in an emergency, call 112 from a land line or 020-112 from a cell phone.

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### **Vetted International, Ltd.**

Website: [www.vetted-intl.com](http://www.vetted-intl.com)

General Enquiries Telephone: +1 919 747 5898

Emergencies: (24/7/365) +1 919 645 7191 or +1 916 849 0971

Emergency e-mail: [911@vetted-intl.com](mailto:911@vetted-intl.com)

**Services:** Countrywide medical case management for Expats, Third Country National & Local National personnel. Kabul based routine and emergency medical services, worldwide medical evacuation and repatriation of remains.

*English spoken*

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## **HOSPITALS**

### **CURE International Hospital:**

Located on Dar-ul-aman Road, near the former king's palace.

Website: <http://cure.org/hospitals/afghanistan/>

Telephone: 0799-883-830

Mr. Shukrullah Jami, Patient Services Manger

Telephone: 0797-533-617

Email: [as.patientservices@cureinternational.org](mailto:as.patientservices@cureinternational.org)

**Services:** Departments include OB-GYN, pediatric and neonatology, family and internal medicine, general and reconstructive surgery, as well as histo-pathology. Clinical support services include laboratory, physiotherapy, pharmacy, telemedicine, x-ray, vaccinations, ultrasound, and EKG. This hospital also offers special programs for patients suffering from cleft palate and from obstetric fistula. Note: CURE International Hospital maintains agreements with the following international insurance networks: BUPA International, Amadex Insurance Company, International Health Insurance-Danmark (IHI), HTH Worldwide, and Tangiers International.

*English spoken*

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### **Kaisha Health Care:**

Located in a commercial section of Kabul in a five story glass front building at Charrahi Sar Sabzi, near Sham e-Paris Restaurant, Taimani.

Web site: <http://www.kaishahealthcare.com/>

Telephone: 0799-111-711; 0786-600-700

Email: [info@kaishahealthcare.com](mailto:info@kaishahealthcare.com)

**Services:** The facility has 52 inpatient beds, a 4 bed ICU, CT scan, multi-specialty diagnostic services, and surgery. The staff of the hospital includes Indian trained physicians in orthopedics, gynecology, psychiatry, and diabetology. The facility has ambulances for patient transport.

*English spoken*

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### **Shinozada Hospital:**

Located in Macrorayan 4, opposite the Central Heating Center. 0093(0) 778 873 091

Dr. Mir Mohammad Afzal Qoraishi, telephone: 0700 218 001 (cell)

**Services:** General surgery, maternity care, ambulance services, and pharmacy facilities.

*English spoken*

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## **CLINICS**

### **American Medical Center Afghanistan:**

Located at 14th Street, Lane 3C, Wazir Akbar Khan, Behind Norwegian Embassy, Kabul.

Website: [www.AmericanMedicalAf.com](http://www.AmericanMedicalAf.com)

Telephone: 020-231-0123; 079-555-7000

Email: [info@AmericanMedicalAf.com](mailto:info@AmericanMedicalAf.com)

**Services:** Diagnosis, Physical Exams DOD, NATO, Class A), Full Dental Services, Radiology Department, Procedure Room, Vaccinations, Laboratory, Hematology & Biochemistry, Pharmacy (90% U.S. Pharmaceuticals), HIV and Drug Testing, Medevac, Medical Escort and 24 Hours for Emergencies.

*English spoken*

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**DK-German Medical Diagnostic Center:**

Located in Shahr-e Nau, Chaharrahi-ye Ansari, third street right in the direction of Kulola Pushta.

Website: <http://www.medical-kabul.com/>

Telephone: 0706 060141, 0706 060 145

Email: [info@medical-kabul.com](mailto:info@medical-kabul.com)

**Services:** German physicians, German dentist, ECG, pharmacy, digital X-Ray, laboratory and vaccination services. A deposit of \$100 is requested prior to treatment.

*English spoken*

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**French Medical Institute for Children:**

Located behind Kabul University in Allabad.

Telephone: 0799-723-732. 020 2500 200

Dr. Abdullah Fahim; Ext: (7007)

**Services:** Basic medical services to adults and children.

*English spoken*

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**Westex Medical Solutions**

House 3, Street 4, Shirpor, Kabul, Afghanistan

Tel: Afghanistan - +93(0) 789 040 258

Tel: USA - +1 (504) 684-4804

Skype: janette.chalmers

Services:

Routine, urgent and emergency medical care

A full dental facility in a secure Western environment for routine, urgent and emergency treatments

On site X-Ray

Basic laboratory tests run at our facility in Kabul for rapid results

Secure accommodation for overnight admissions

House calls to all areas of Kabul (when available)

Ambulance transportation

A full Pharmacy

Prescription refill and delivery service

Vaccines

Full medical reports kept for patients

Medical evacuation

Open 24 hours per day, 7 days per week

**Dr Gran Zwan MD** +93 (0)700-606-762 +93 (0)786-353-203 +93 (0)795-334-008

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**Kimberly Wolenski, CNO, RN** +93 (0)796-953-276 [firenurse62@gmail.com](mailto:firenurse62@gmail.com)

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## **SPECIALITY CARE FACILITIES**

### **Ataturk Children's Hospital:**

Located near Kabul University.

Telephone: 020 250 0312

Dr. Abdul Mejeed Rahim, Telephone: 0777 336 026 (cell)

Dr. Janat Gul Askarzada, Telephone: 0799 336 026 (cell)

**Services:** Internal medicine.

*English spoken*

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### **Dr. Salam Aziz Dental Clinic:**

Located at Kart-e- Parwan, Main Road Kabul, Nasir Safi Medical Center Room # 407 Kabul Afghanistan.

Telephone: 0700-291-315

Email: salamghori@hotmail.com

**Services:** Dental services.

*English spoken*

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### **Dr. Hamed Haidarpur Dental Clinic:**

Located at Shar-e-Now, Azrat Ha Market 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Herat, Afghanistan.

Telephone: 0700-216-419

**Services:** Dental services.

*English spoken*

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### **Dr. Said Homayoun Dental Clinic:**

Located at Darlaman Street Kart-e-Seh, Behind Kabul dubai hotel, Street #4 Behind Khuwaja mula masque, Kabul, Afghanistan

Telephone: 0700-262-426

**Services:** Dental services.

*Some English spoken*

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### **Dr. Sayed Abdul Ahad Awara Psychiatrist Clinic:**

Located at Haji Yaqoub Square, Haji Yaqoub Street, Street, Kabul, Afghanistan

Email: [awaraahad@gmail.com](mailto:awaraahad@gmail.com)

Telephone: 0799-307-7148

**Services:** services.

*Some English spoken*

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### **Indira Ghandi Children Hospital:**

Located in Wazir Akbar Khan, Kabul.

Telephone: 020-230-2281

Dr. Noor-ul-Haq Yosufzai, Chief of Hospital, telephone: 0799-312-369 (cell)

Email: [noonullahaq\\_yosufzai@yahoo.com](mailto:noonullahaq_yosufzai@yahoo.com)

Dr. Ajab gul Momand, telephone: 0700-218-787 (cell)

**Services:** Internal medicine, orthopedic and general surgery.

*English spoken*

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**Jamhoriat Hospital:**

Located in Sidarat Square, Kabul.

Telephone: 020-220-1375

Dr. Mohammad Essa Qanei, Deputy Chief of Surgery, telephone: 0700-237-390 (cell)

**Services:** Specializing in surgery.

*English spoken*

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**Maiwand Hospital:**

Located in Jada-e-Maiwand, Kabul.

Telephone: 020-210-0447

Dr. Kohdamani, Chief of Maiwand Hospital, telephone: 070-286-994 (cell)

**Services:** Specializing in treating skin problems.

*English spoken*

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**Malalay Maternity Hospital:**

Located in Shahrara.

Telephone: 020 220 1377

Dr. Nasreen Oryakhail, Chief of Malalay Hospital;

Telephone: 079 326 087

**Services:** Maternity and obstetrics care.

*English not spoken*

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**Noor Eye Hospital:**

Located in Deh Bori near Kabul University.

Telephone: 020-210-0446;

Dr. Mohammad Yosuf Baraki, Chief of Eye Hospital, Telephone: 0778-106-681 (cell)

Email: [cpc\\_noor@yahoo.com](mailto:cpc_noor@yahoo.com)

**Services:** Eye care.

*English spoken*

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**Rabia-I-Balki Maternity Hospital:**

Located in downtown Kabul, near the Foroshgha-e-Bozorg Afghan.

Telephone: 020 210 0439

**Services:** Maternity and obstetrics care.

*English spoken*

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**Wazir Akbar Khan Hospital:**

Located opposite the ANA ("400 Bed") Hospital in the Wazir Akbar Khan District of Kabul.

Telephone: 020-230-1360

Dr. Noor Aqa Akramzada, Chief of Hospital, Telephone: 0799 311 814

Email: [n.noraqaakramzada@yahoo.com](mailto:n.noraqaakramzada@yahoo.com)

**Services:** Specializing in orthopedic work.

*English spoken*

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