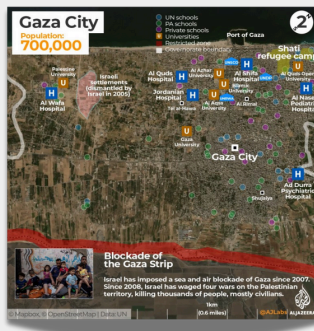


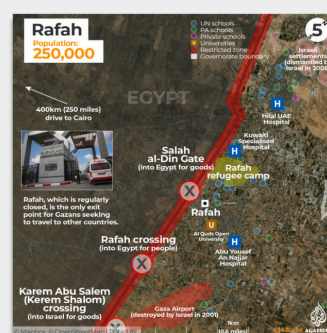
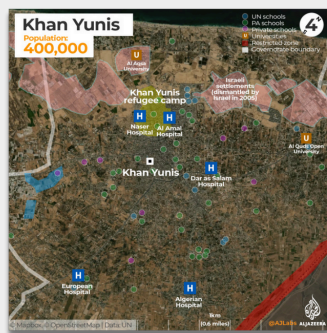
Gaza Health Care Fact Sheet

Healthcare Infrastructure:

- **26** Hospitals in Gaza are out of service and 84% of all forms of health facilities in Gaza are destroyed or damaged.¹
- **Northern Gaza and Gaza City**- Severely affected by hostilities and all key facilities including Al-Shifa Hospital are no longer functional.
- **Central Gaza including areas like Deir al-Balah**- A dire health care situation with a critical shortage of medical supplies and services. Al Aqsa Martyrs Hospital described “absolute chaos” as wounded and dead Palestinians swamped the facility following the Israeli attack on Nuseirat refugee camp.



- **Southern Gaza including Khan Yunis** - Experienced some of the most significant impacts on its healthcare facilities. Hospitals like Nasser Hospital have become the last functioning tertiary care facilities in the area, dealing with an influx of patients from other non-operational hospitals due to attacks and damage. The situation here is near breaking point, with essential services like ambulance services severely disrupted.



¹ <https://www.npr.org/2024/06/01/g-s1-1780/gaza-israel-infrastructure-water-schools-hospitals#:~:text=Current,->

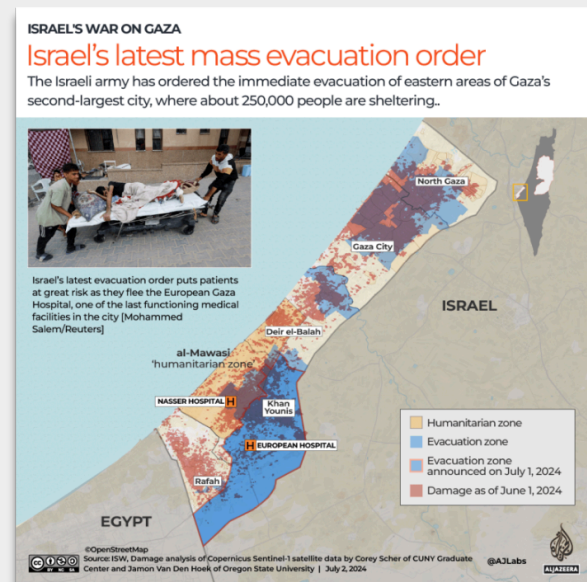
Impacts of Evacuation Orders

- **South:** On July 2nd, Israel issued evacuation orders for the area depicted as the blue zone in the image, leading to the closure of the European Hospital. This area is home to over 250,000 displaced individuals, and the hospital was providing care to more than 9,000 patients who were subsequently transferred to Nasser Hospital.
- **North:** The Indonesian Medical Hospital in Northern Gaza City has become the primary healthcare facility in the region following the shutdown of Al-Ahli Baptist Hospital, which was forced to close due to nearby drone strikes. It has admitted 80 wounded and sick patients from Al-Ahli Baptist Hospital since its closure.²

Gaza City: There are reportedly no medical facilities left in Gaza City. 250,000 people are still living in Gaza City, as of the evacuation order on July 10th.

Field Hospitals and Makeshift Medical Clinics

- Palestinians in Gaza have been forced to rely on makeshift medical clinics instead of hospitals. These clinics provided by international humanitarian organizations are providing very basic and standard primary care.
- There are eight field hospitals operational across the Gaza Strip, though only four are partially functional.³
- The International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) recently opened a 60-bed field hospital in Rafah to address the overwhelming medical needs.⁴



² <https://www.africanews.com/2024/07/09/casualties-overwhelm-gaza-hospital-as-israel-targets-refugee-camp/>

³ <https://www.ochaopt.org/content/gaza-humanitarian-response-update-10-23-june-2024>

⁴ <https://www.icrc.org/en/document/red-cross-opens-new-60-bed-field-hospital-gaza>