



UNIVERSITY MEDICAL CENTER, HÔTEL-DIEU DE FRANCE (HDF)

Hôtel-Dieu de France (HDF) is a nonprofit Lebanese university medical center with independent legal status and administrative and financial autonomy. HDF was built by the French State in 1922 and remains its property. It has been entrusted to Saint Joseph University of Beirut (USJ) under a long-term lease agreement.

Hôtel-Dieu de France is committed to providing high-quality medical care through the expertise of its teams, innovation, and a patient-centered approach. It serves as a leading referral center and contributes to the development of the healthcare sector. The institution advances medicine through research, innovation, and the integration of advanced technologies. As a university medical center, it also contributes to the training of future healthcare professionals in partnership with USJ.

HDF brings together highly specialized medical and surgical services, including robotic surgery. These services provide both inpatient and outpatient care. The hospital is supported by dedicated centers of expertise and delivers comprehensive critical care through its intensive care and resuscitation units.

The hospital benefits from a state-of-the-art medical and technical platform, including advanced imaging equipment as well as radiotherapy and nuclear medicine facilities. It also leads the largest hospital network in Lebanon, comprising four hospitals and several affiliated healthcare centers. HDF has established itself as a national and regional reference, recognized for the quality of its care and its central role in the healthcare system.

HDF has a capacity of 380 beds. It employs more than 300 physicians, 500 nurses, 450 residents and interns, and 1,550 staff members. Each year, it records more than 32,000 admissions.

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