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IMRAN KHAN CANCER APPEAL

Feedback Report 2025

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CEO'S MESSAGE

Assalaamu Alaikum.

During the Shaukat Khanum journey, many impossibilities have turned into realities. You may have heard from Mr Imran Khan that the very idea of a modern cancer centre in a developing country was seen with scepticism even within some leading medical professionals of the day.

This was echoed by one of the earliest senior executives hired for the hospital who felt that while the hospital could be built, it would not survive if most of the patients were offered free treatment. Yet, here we are 30 years on with two functional hospitals, a third under construction, and over 75% of cancer patients receiving supported or free treatment.

When we started building a hospital IT system, I saw similar scepticism.

But our team of dedicated professionals developed a system that not only powers our work, but also helps to automate other hospitals in the country - a reflection of the 'can-do' attitude in our organisation.

I recall when I was planning a future research lab - the estimate was 30m rupees (around £280,000 then) but we had no budget for it! While I was mulling where to get the money, the phone rang and one of our marketing colleagues asked if I had a project for around 30m rupees! A lady donor wished it to be spent on Sadaqah Jariyah, and that is what made the 'Abdul Hafeez Cancer Research Wing' a reality!

All of this is only possible because of the generosity of our supporters and donors like her and you.

With warmest personal regards,

Dr Faisal Sultan

CEO, SKMCH&RC

You made this possible in 2024...

○ Budget Reached

£100M

Over 50% of this was from donations and zakat

○ Imaging Studies

247,314

(87,391,541 over 30 years)

○ Amount spent on Free Cancer Care

£49M

(£520M over 30 years)

○ Outpatient Visits

362,439

(4,316,636 over 30 years)

○ Surgical Procedures

19,599

(236,077 over 30 years)

○ Pathology Tests

6,409,738

(87,391,541 over 30 years)

○ New Admissions

16,632

(233,794 over 30 years)





UK MANAGER'S MESSAGE

Assalaamu Alaikum.

During my journey with Shaukat Khanum, I am humbled to see the trust and steadfast support of people across the world, regardless of their personal circumstances. Amid numerous global crises, the supporters of Imran Khan Cancer Appeal have remained steadfast, fully aware of the fact that cancer patients in Pakistan often have nowhere else to turn to.

Over my 24 years of service, I've been truly privileged to play a role in this mission, knowing that the funds we raise make a profound impact on the lives of those battling cancer.

Whenever we issue an appeal, whether for a new initiative or ongoing project, the response is overwhelming. Many families come

together to support or sponsor a project, reflecting a deep sense of pride and ownership - they feel it is "our project," and it's "our responsibility" to sustain the cause.

We take great pride in the fact that multiple international accreditation bodies recognise our hospitals for maintaining global healthcare standards.

Here in the UK, we provide people with an opportunity to get involved with various activities and challenges which raise funds and awareness.

I very much hope that you will continue getting involved and promote the cause amongst your family and friends going forward.

With prayers,

Ikhlaq Ahmad

UK MANAGER

WHAT WE NEED IN 2025



**Budget
£106m**



**Karachi
£8.6m**

£47m required to complete the project over the next 3 years

LUNG & ORAL CANCER

Early diagnosis is key to improving outcomes, but this can be challenging for lung and oral cancer

Pakistan has a lack of diagnostic facilities to identify lung cancer in its early stages. By the time patients show up at our hospitals, it can be too late. However, when diagnosed early, the chance of surviving another five years is 73%. There is also a high incidence of oral cancer linked to the use of chewing tobacco and snuff.

With initiatives like 'Lung Cancer Awareness Month', our 'Outreach Cancer Screening Clinics', and better staff training, we aim to increase early diagnosis.

OVERSEAS TRAINING IN STATS

10 YEAR TARGET
50

CONSULTANTS

TRAINING COST
£52,800

PER DOCTOR

AMOUNT ALLOCATED
£264,000

PER YEAR



Average treatment costs for a patient with Oral cancer

Diagnostic and other Therapeutic Services	£917
Radiation	£1,715
Surgery	£1,781
Pharmacy including Chemotherapy	£537
TOTAL	£4,950

PATIENT STORY

700 miles to get treated

Omar from Sindh received life-saving treatment for Oral Cancer in our Lahore hospital. Our Karachi hospital will be a source of hope for thousands like Omar. Omar is now cancer free.



YOUR DONATION
IN SAFE HANDS

Dr Raza Hussain

*Consultant Oro-Maxillo
Facial Surgeon*

I have been working at Shaukat Khanum since 2004.

Twenty years ago, after training in the UK, I joined the Lahore hospital to practice oro-maxillo facial surgery in an oncology setting.

It has been an incredible journey where I had the opportunity to develop this field almost from scratch and establish a multi-disciplinary setup for head & neck cancers, with all diagnostic and treatment facilities available under one roof for patients regardless of their ability to pay.



These are curable types of cancer and many of our patients live a normal life after treatment. One such patient we treated many years ago when she was a child and now, she is a grandmother!

Please come and visit us at least once in your lifetime and witness the life-saving impact of your priceless support.

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BREAST CANCER

Surgery is an important part of treatment for many types of cancer including Breast Cancer

At Shaukat Khanum we provide the Highest Quality Surgical Oncology Care for Cancer Patients. Our surgeons use advanced minimally invasive techniques.

The types of surgery include for breast cancer, tumours in the upper and lower gastrointestinal tract, the hepato-pancreato-biliary system, and various other malignancies. These encompass neurosurgery for brain and spine, orthopaedics, head and neck, chest and lungs, female genital tract, and urologic system.

SURGERY IN STATS

NUMBER OF
PROCEDURES
19,599

AVERAGE
PATIENT COST
£1,112

AMOUNT
SPENT
£10M



PATIENT STORY

All clear after 5 years

Gulnaz Ayaz (right) was treated for Breast Cancer at our Lahore hospital in 2015. She had six cycles of chemotherapy and twenty-one sessions of radiation therapy. She was 'all-clear' in her recent 5-year follow-up.

Average treatment costs for a patient with breast cancer

Diagnostic and other Therapeutic Services	£1,150
Radiation	£956
Surgery	£1,114
Pharmacy including Chemotherapy	£1,180
TOTAL	£4,430



YOUR DONATION
IN SAFE HANDS

Dr Maryam Hameed

Consultant Pathologist

I have been working at Shaukat Khanum since 2018.

I was trained at Imperial College NHS in London and later worked at different NHS Trusts. Shaukat Khanum holds a very important place in my heart as I worked as a trainee there before going to the UK. After living in the UK for 9 years I returned to Pakistan - Shaukat Khanum was obviously my first choice. Histopathology is the backbone of any cancer hospital. Accurate and timely diagnosis is key for oncologist and surgeons to build a patient's management plan, and keeping up to date with advances means our patient services are kept at the 'cutting-edge' of technology.



What makes Shaukat Khanum unique for me is that I am unaware about a patient's financial status. Therefore, I utilise the necessary resources for all my patients, regardless of their paying status.

Your continued support will ensure that deserving patients can receive treatment with dignity regardless of their ability to pay.

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BOWEL CANCER

Chemotherapy plays a crucial role in treating various types of cancer, including bowel cancer.

We offer multidisciplinary cancer care guided by internationally accepted protocols, treating a wide range of cancers in both children and adults.

Bowel cancer treatments include **surgery** to remove cancer, **chemotherapy** to shrink or kill it, and **radiation therapy**, often combined with surgery.

Our 24/7 outpatient chemotherapy bays ensure uninterrupted care and our electronic Hospital Information System plays an important role in the effective management of chemotherapy.

CHEMOTHERAPY IN STATS

NUMBER
OF SESSIONS
82,114

AVERAGE
PATIENT COST
£1,755*

AMOUNT
SPENT
£5.7M



Average treatment costs for a patient with bowel cancer

Diagnostic and other Therapeutic Services	£3,149
Radiation	£1,314
Surgery	£3,392
Pharmacy including Chemotherapy	£2,145
TOTAL	£10,000

PATIENT STORY

Hamza made a full recovery

Ali Hamza was treated for colon cancer and received life-saving surgery lasting over 16-hours on his intestine and liver, followed by chemotherapy. He has made a full recovery, completed his MBA and is now working.

YOUR DONATION
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Mohammad Saleem

Cook, Food & Dietary Services

I have been working at Shaukat Khanum since 1994.

I still remember when I was working in a restaurant in Multan and Imran Khan visited for fundraising - I donated Rs.50 (around £1.15 in 1994) from the little that I earned. I decided to work for the hospital, some people discouraged me and said this hospital won't survive but I still joined because I knew working here would mean serving the needy. I started from working on the tandoor and now I cook meals for patients following the guidance of our nutritionists.



I am so proud that our Food Department is also Pakistan's first Hospital-based kitchen to receive the HACCP certification, an internationally renowned food safety standard. Even after 30 years, it makes me very happy knowing that the meals I prepare go towards healing cancer patients, giving them the strength and energy to fight cancer.

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PROSTATE CANCER

Radiotherapy is a key treatment approach for many cancers.

At Shaukat Khanum, we have the Most Advanced Linear Accelerator Based Radiation Therapy Facilities in Pakistan.

For prostate cancer, treatment options include surgery to remove the cancer, radiation therapy and chemotherapy. Radiation therapy burns cancer cells and can be used at various stages during cancer treatment or before surgery to shrink tumours or after surgery to reduce the risk of cancer returning.

RADIOTHERAPY IN STATS 2024

NUMBER
OF SESSIONS
80,832

AVERAGE
PATIENT COST
£832*

AMOUNT
SPENT
£5.2M



PATIENT STORY

Four years and going well

Ansar Iqbal was treated for rectal cancer received life-saving surgery to remove the tumour and was also given a stoma from the abdomen to the bowel. It has been 4 years since the procedures, and he is doing well.

Average treatment costs for a patient with Prostate cancer

Diagnostic and other Therapeutic Services	£1,956
Radiation	£654
Surgery	£671
Pharmacy including Chemotherapy	£2,147
TOTAL	£5,428



YOUR DONATION
IN SAFE HANDS

Mohammad Tahseen

*Senior Histopathology Supervisor,
Pathology Department*

I have been working at Shaukat Khanum since 1994.

Every day, my team and I handle biopsy samples that reveal whether a patient has cancer or not. Our Pathology labs are the most advanced and the busiest in the country. During my 30 years here, it has been a tremendous opportunity for growth and advancement for us all. Looking at our campus and its surroundings today, I can still remember the time when it was surrounded by wheat fields, and when it was common to find snakes in the grounds, and having to leave for home in convoy, because of the ever-present risk of being robbed once we left the building!



These challenges served only to motivate us to work harder to help establish the hospital and to achieve levels of excellence that were not dreamed of in Pakistan.

Today, I still feel the weight and pain of what the samples we process mean for a patient, and with your help, the hospital still remains an inexhaustible source of hope for all who come here it.

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In Karachi, the physical 'grey structure' for Pakistan's largest tertiary care cancer centre has been completed and we need to raise a further £47 million to make this project live.

Due to challenging circumstances the project completion date is now late 2027.

The hospital will be equipped with the latest in technology for both diagnosis and treatment. This new hospital will not only benefit the people of Karachi, but also all of Sindh and Southern Balochistan. The total expected cost will be £85 million.

KARACHI MAJOR UPDATES

- Major equipment including Air handling units, cooling towers, chillers, Fan coil units, transformers and diesel generators delivered to the site.
- Roof insulation and waterproofing works for the administration building completed.
- Floor works of the Main Hospital Building (Basement, Ground, First, Second Floors, and Administration building) are in progress.
- Building Management Systems works are in progress.

KARACHI CURRENT CHALLENGES

- High inflation due to rupee depreciation against US\$.
- Construction material supply-chain issue due to import challenges.
- Still require a further £47m to complete the project.

How to help



The Karachi hospital will cost £85 million, it will be twice the size of the hospital in Lahore and is expected to be completed in the next three years.

Can you give a Sadaqah-e-Jaria to reap the blessings of your charitable act for as long as others continue to benefit from it?

You can do this in several ways...

BECOME A PRESTIGIOUS FOUNDING DONOR

Etch your name, or the name of a deceased loved-one, permanently on the founding Donors' Monument at the entrance of the new Karachi hospital from £4,000.

CREATE A MEMORIAL FUND

Honour the life of a loved one by creating a memorial fund in their memory. Your continuous donation will help treat needy cancer patients in Karachi.

KARACHI SPONSORSHIPS & DEDICATIONS

An excellent opportunity for our supporters to dedicate rooms in honour or memory of a loved one from £12,000.

Check our website for a complete lists of rooms available for dedication at www.ikca.org.uk

DONATE MONTHLY

You can pledge a monthly contribution for Karachi and make an ongoing commitment to help us fight cancer.

➤ FOUNDING DONOR

Etched on the Donors' Monument from

£4,000

➤ DEDICATE A ROOM

In Memory of a Loved One from

£12,000

➤ FUNDRAISE FOR KARACHI PROJECT

- **Hold a Dinner**
- **Run a Marathon**
- **Climb a Mountain**
- **Do a Funday**

Or call our office for further help and advice

HOSPITAL UPDATES

Lahore



Shaukat Khanum Laboratory in Lahore Achieves College of American Pathologists (CAP) Accreditation.

In the last quarter of 2024, our pathology laboratory in Lahore was accredited by the College of American Pathologists (CAP), the world's leading organization of board-certified pathologists. This accreditation culminates over two decades of collaboration between SKMCH&RC and CAP, which began with Proficiency Testing Surveys in 2002. The CAP accreditation programme is designed to ensure the highest standards of quality, accuracy, and reliability in laboratory testing.

The laboratory is accredited across all disciplines and sub-disciplines of laboratory medicine, including Histopathology and Immunohistochemistry, Cytopathology, Routine and Special Chemistry, Haematology, Flow Cytometry, Microbiology, Molecular Biology, Next-Generation Sequencing (NGS), Histocompatibility, Cytogenetics, Blood Banking, and Point of Care Testing.

Peshawar

There has been significant progress in 2024 including the installation of the first 3 Tesla MRI scanner in the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa area.

Other firsts included the only 'Deep Inspiration Breath Hold Techniques' and 'Respiratory Gating System' available in the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa delivering precise radiation therapy and the only 'Endoscopic Bronchial Ultrasound Service' available in the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa area was started with the first batch of respiratory therapists trained.

Peshawar hospital also opened a 'one-stop breast clinic' allowing an effective way to diagnose breast cancer on the same day. Radionuclide therapy was started for thyroid-related pathologies and Plastic and Reconstructive surgery services commenced. The Surgical Oncology Fellowship programme, approved by the College of Physicians & Surgeons Pakistan, was also initiated.

Peshawar also implemented 'Green Initiative' focusing on energy conservation and reducing carbon emissions.

YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE



Business Partnership

We are a trusted partner for businesses for the last 30 years and partnering with us can offer your business the opportunity to play a pivotal role in the fight against cancer.

"Businesses have always played a crucial role in helping build Shaukat Khanum hospitals, equip them with cutting-edge technology and, above all, providing free cancer care to thousands. We have many projects that your business can sponsor or get involved with and our team is ready to guide you. I hope that we can partner-up, so that together, we can continue this life-saving work."

Imran Khan



Volunteering

Donating your time, skills, energy and commitment, can be a deeply rewarding way to contribute to the fight against cancer, provide support to those affected by the disease, and make a positive impact on individuals and families dealing with cancer.

"It is only with the dedication of our volunteers and supporters that IKCA has been able to come this far and establish 3 specialised cancer hospitals. People like you are the ones that make it possible for us to continue with our mission of saving lives affected by cancer."

Imran Khan



Visit our website for further information or to download our Guides or call us on 01274 424 444



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Zakat Guide

At IKCA, we know the importance our donors place on giving Zakat. Our guide covers the essentials of Zakat, including covering its calculation, the recipients of Zakat and IKCA's transparency when distributing Zakat.

"Thirty years ago there was a dream that Pakistan could have a free cancer hospital for the poor. This dream has only come about from the generosity of people like you. Whilst the revenue from the Hospital's services is used for our expansion projects, it is your Zakat and donations that enables us to provide free treatment to over 75% of poor cancer patients."
Imran Khan



Writing a Will and Leaving a Legacy

Leaving even a small fraction of your estate to IKCA, as a Sadaqah or Sadaqah Jariyah gift, can make a massive difference for our cancer patients. Our guide explains all you need to know about the process of writing a Will and why it is important.

"Your Sadaqah or Sadaqah Jariyah gift will be a lifeline for cancer patients who do not stand a fighting chance against cancer without it. It will enable us to provide free treatment to needy men, women and children, who cannot afford medical care." **Imran Khan**

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> DONATE ONLINE

Giving online is easy and secure. Go to www.ikca.org.uk and make a card payment online now.

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Call now to donate **01274 424 444**

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Visit www.ikca.org.uk/donate and choose the 'Monthly' option

> CHEQUES / POSTAL ORDERS

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Imran Khan Cancer Appeal

> AT THE BANK

If you wish to donate over the counter you may do so by visiting any Co-op Bank and quoting the following details.

Sort Code: **08-92-99**
A/c No: **67385409**
A/c Name: **Shaukat Khanum Memorial Trust**

NB Our old account is still active and can be used for donations

> OTHER WAYS

JustGiving, PayPal, CAF & Payroll Giving

To donate through your payroll please ask your employer what schemes they offer - there will be no tax on your donation. If you are a business, you can donate through your business before paying tax. Please contact IKCA office if you require any help donating through these methods.



IKCA CHALLENGES 2025

MAM TOR FAMILY WALK - Saturday 4th January

SCAFELL PIKE - Sunday 20th April

SNOWDON - Saturday 14th June

YORKSHIRE 3 PEAKS - Saturday 12th July

SKYDIVE - Saturday 19th July

BEN NEVIS - Saturday 24th August

GREAT WALL OF CHINA - 11th-20th October

BREAST CANCER AWARENESS (BCA) FAMILY WALKS

Birmingham & Bradford - Sunday 19th October

ISLAMIC ART CLASSES

6 Week Online Course - Oct/Nov (Dates TBC)

LONDON BRIDGES FAMILY WALK

Saturday 6th December



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