

Al-Zahra Sub-specialty Eye Hospital
Zahedan, Islamic Republic of Iran

About Hospital

Al-Zahra Eye Hospital located in Zahedan, southeast of Iran, was established in 1988 as a specialty eye hospital but later the hospital gradually expanded to a subspecialty hospital. Al-Zahra is a 109-bed eye Hospital including 104 inpatient and 5 emergency beds. In the clinic of this subspecialty hospital, patients are admitted daily in five fields including: Posterior segment, anterior segment, Strabismus and Oculoplastic, Neuro-ophthalmology, and Optometry.

In addition, since the establishment of this hospital until the beginning of this year (2022), 10 faculty members of the Ophthalmology Department of Zahedan University of Medical Sciences have performed more than 116,000 surgeries.

Admission of international patients:

In order to expedite the patient admission process, the hospital International Patients Department (IPD) will guide the patients through the process and provide all necessary services from the beginning to the end of discharge process. Patients will be paired with an international patient coordinator, who serves as a single point of contact during the patient's admission.

The duties of the coordinator:

- Managing medical consultations
- Coordinating hospital admissions
- Accommodating special food requirements
- Assisting with travel and hotel arrangements.

Outpatient Clinics:

- General clinics
- Retina
- Cornea
- Glaucoma
- Strabismus
- Excimer laser
- Retinopathy of Prematurity (ROP) subspecialty clinics

Para-clinical Services:

- OPD scans
- Optical Coherence Tomography (OCT)

- Visually evoked potential (VEP)
- Electroretinography (ERG)
- Electrooculography (EOG) tests
- Pentacam
- Angiography
- A scan & B scan
- Pachymetry tests
- Topography
- Argon laser & Nd: YAG lasers
- Selective laser trabeculoplasty (SLT)

Pre-Departure Services:

- Admission in the Hospital
- Tele-consults and Pre Departure Evaluation
- Facilitate Travel arrangements
- Visa Services
- Hotel Booking
- Airport Pick Up and Drop

Post -Discharge Services:

- Post Discharge travel arrangements through a travel partner
- Post discharge stay in Zahedan in a choice of hotels
- Travel Assistance for sightseeing within Iran
- Tele-consultation with the treating doctor

Amenities & Services

- Bank
- Taxi Services
- ATMs
- Ambulance Emergency Services

- Audio-visual
- Translators in several languages such as English, Urdu and Arabic
- VIP Rooms

Cost of Medical Services

Medical Procedures	Price (US Dollars)
Cataract surgery with lens implantation	475
Cataract surgery without lens implantation	400
Examination and evaluation under anesthesia	91
Tear Duct Probing	74
Pterygium Surgery	248
Vitrectomy	1,290
Retinal detachment Vitrectomy	1,430
Retinal detachment repair	1,160
Endo laser	750
Excimer laser	640
Penetrating Keratopalsty (P.K)	1600

Scleral buckling surgery	800
Dacryocystorhinostomy (DCR)	600
Glaucoma surgery	800
Strabismus	800
Strabismus on three or more muscles	450
Trabeculectomy at any age	520
External Trabeculectomy	1100
Aqueous shunt to the extraocular reservoir	900
Destruction of the ciliary body	480
Multiple anterior corneal perforations	400
Blepharoptosis	370

Zahedan Cochlear Implantation Center

- Established in February 2019
- The 13th National cochlear Implantation Center

- Staff: ENT subspecialists, audiologists, speech therapists, occupational therapists, psychologists

Services provided in addition to implantation:

- Assessment of hearing behavioral threshold
- Otoacoustic Emissions (OAE) test to check inner ear function
- Auditory brainstem response (ABR test) to see how the hearing nerves and brain respond to sounds.
- The auditory steady state response (ASSR) test to evaluate the hearing threshold of infants and children
- Speech therapy and occupational therapy services
- Psychological counseling services

Cost of Medical Services

Medical Procedure	Price (US Dollars)
Cochlear Implantation	15000

Honors:

- Al-Zahra Eye Hospital was selected as the Center of Excellence of ophthalmology in the country
- The specialty graduates from this center have obtained the top ranks in the national ophthalmology board exam in consecutive years.
- Obtaining an excellent first-class certificate from the Monitoring and Accreditation Center of the Ministry of Health, Treatment and Medical Education and national awards for productivity and excellence in the health sector
- This hospital also has the certificate of quality management (ISO 9001) and environment (2022) and has been ranked first in terms of providing medical and educational services for the last 6 years

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