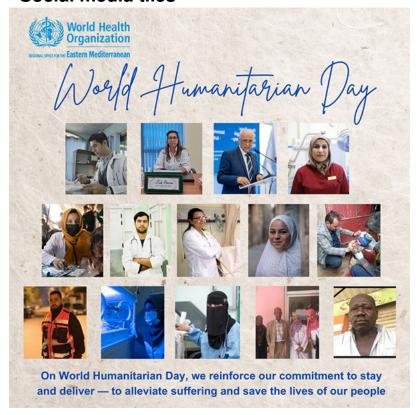
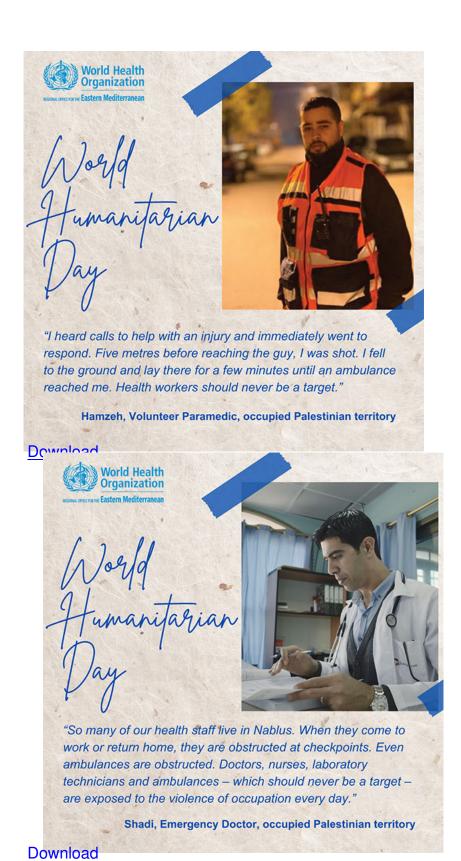
19 August 2023 – On World Humanitarian Day 2023, join us as we embark on a journey that shines a spotlight on the unwavering spirit of solidarity that unites us all. Today and everyday, we celebrate the individuals across our Region dedicated to making a positive impact in the lives of those in need. Please join us in honouring these heroes — representing many more — who inspire us to create a better tomorrow where everyone enjoys better health and well-being, and access to health care is achieved as a basic human right.

Statement by Dr Ahmed Al-Mandhari, WHO Regional Director for the Eastern Mediterranean, on the occasion of World Humanitarian Day

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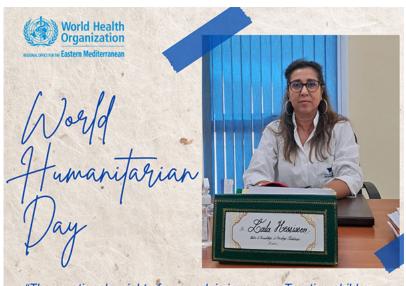




every challenge I got stronger. The team I led saw my enthusiasm and dedication and joined me in my efforts to make things better."

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Wahida Ghalayini, Head of Nursing Department, Lebanon



"The emotional weight of our work is immense. Treating children with cancer means being on an emotional rollercoaster with their families: supporting them through despair, celebrating victories, and holding back tears as we witness the brave struggle of young lives against a relentless disease."

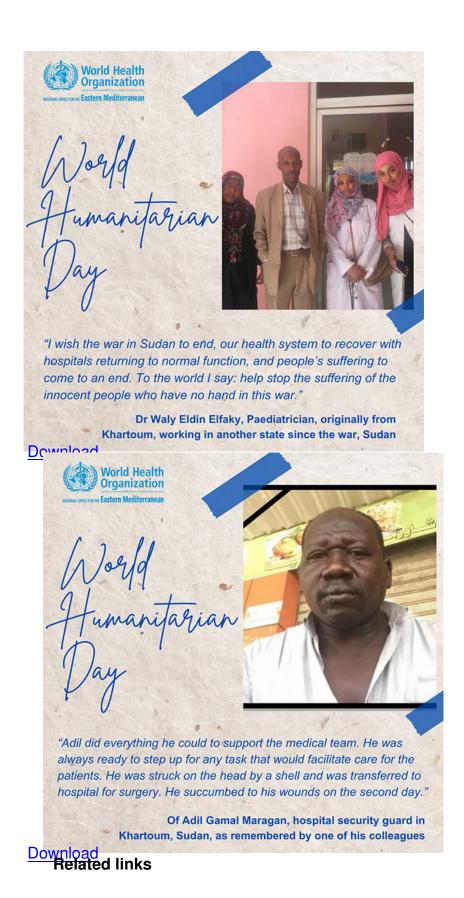
Dr Laila Hessissen, Head of Hematology and Pediatric Oncology Department, Morocco



"We handle 25-30 labour cases daily, working long hours with little sleep to provide much-needed care. Our dedication goes beyond childbirth to include awareness on breastfeeding and general well-being. My intense desire to help women during this critical period is what keeps me going."

Salma Mohammed, Senior Midwife, Iraq

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Morocco: Celebrating World Humanitarian Day 2023

<u>Dr Shadi</u> "I call on international organizations to give us protection. Doctors, nurses, laboratory technicians and ambulances. We live under occupation, and we are exposed to the violence of occupation every day."

Statement by Dr Arturo Pesigan, WHO Representative, on the occasion of World Humanitarian Day 2023

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