

# Medical Evacuation Out of Gaza

## i What you need to know

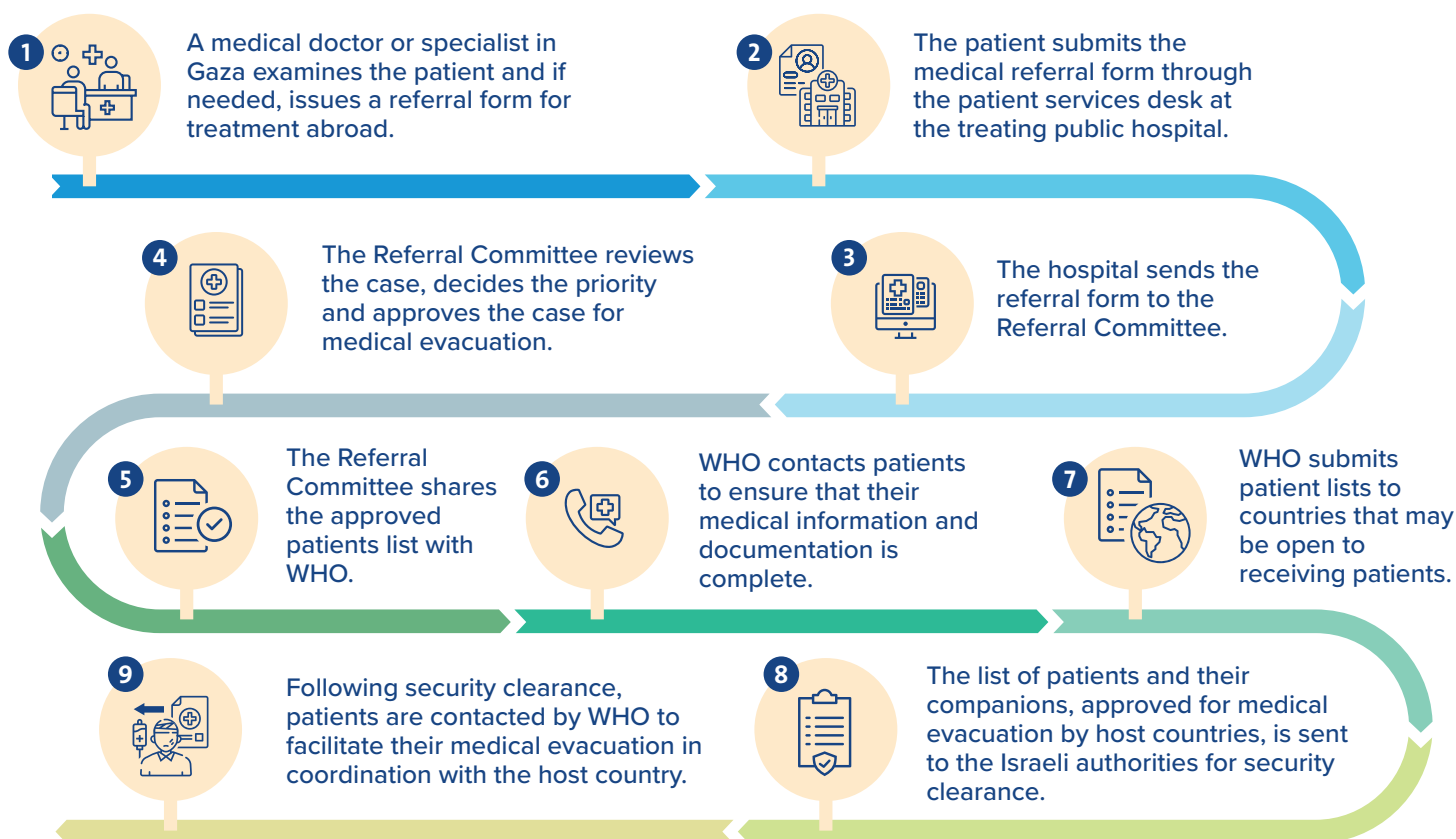
Severely ill or injured patients needing lifesaving, specialized care unavailable in Gaza can be medically evacuated. The process is supported by the World Health Organization (WHO), in coordination with various stakeholders and health partners.

### Beware of fraud!

The Ministry of Health (MoH) and WHO do not charge fees at any stage of the medical evacuation process.

- Do not pay anyone claiming to represent the MoH, WHO, any other United Nations organization or entity to register or prioritize a patient, change or add a companion, or speed up a patient's evacuation process.
- Only a doctor at a public hospital can refer a patient for consideration for treatment abroad.
- WHO, other United Nations agencies, or any other entities do not select or prioritize patients, nor do they approve referrals for treatment abroad.
- The selection and prioritization of cases requiring treatment abroad is the sole responsibility of the Referral Committee.
- Medical evacuation of patients and wounded on the approved patients list depends on acceptance by host countries and security clearance from the Israeli authorities.
- The safe transfer of patients and their companions outside Gaza is solely organized by WHO in coordination with the relevant stakeholders.

## Process of medical evacuation



Only trust the following WHO numbers when contacted for patient information or updates on medical evacuation.

**0562562960**  
**0562562528**  
**0562562787**

**0562563117**  
**0562562529**  
**0562562576**

**0562562961**  
**0562562521**  
**0562563116**

## Patients who have started the medical evacuation process



Scan to check if the Referral Committee has approved your evacuation request.

Further updates will be provided once a patient has been selected by the hosting country. Due to the heavy caseload, families are kindly requested to refrain from contacting the Referral Committee or WHO for status inquiries. We appreciate your understanding and patience throughout this process.