

UNFPA-SUPPORTED PROJECT SAVED NAZRA AND HER BABY

In a remote area of Al-Qafr District in Yemen, a young woman named Nazra faced the daunting challenges of her first pregnancy. With limited access to healthcare services and financial constraints, Nazra's fears were compounded by the grim reality that a woman dies every two hours during childbirth in Yemen. However, thanks to the Obstetric Emergency Support Project implemented by Yemen Family Care Association (YFCA) and funded by UNFPA, Nazra's story took a positive turn, demonstrating the impact of comprehensive and integrated maternal healthcare services.

Despite the difficult circumstances surrounding her pregnancy, Nazra received crucial psychological and educational support from the Obstetric Emergency Support Project at Al-Rehab Center for Reproductive Health Services. This support helped alleviate her fears and prepared her for the journey ahead. The project's focus on providing comprehensive care to women ensured that Nazra's physical and mental well-being were addressed throughout her pregnancy.

As the time for childbirth approached, Nazra's fears resurfaced. However, she was fortunate to have YFCA project's medical team present at Al-Qafr Rural Hospital. Recognizing the situation's urgency, the medical team promptly provided the necessary services. Through thorough examinations, they discovered complications such as the presence of two uteruses, abnormal fetal positioning, severe bleeding, and an open uterus. The team sprang into action, ensuring Nazra's safety and making the needed efforts to help her make it through.

“YFCA medical team's quick response and expertise saved both mine and my baby's life. I'm forever grateful for their dedication.”

Nazra, expressing gratitude for the timely intervention and life-saving care provided by the project's medical team.



Nazra's baby safe and sound after delivery .

With time of the essence, YFCA medical team at Al-Qafr Rural Hospital ensured that Nazra received immediate and appropriate care. Despite the challenges posed by the ongoing conflict and limited healthcare resources in Yemen, the team's dedication and expertise played a vital role in saving Nazra's life and that of her unborn child. The timely provision of healthcare services, including emergency interventions and continuous monitoring, proved to be a turning point in Nazra's journey.

Thanks to YFCA comprehensive and integrated response to Nazra's critical condition, she successfully gave birth to a healthy baby. This moment marked a joyous turning point in her life, illuminating a future that could have been overshadowed by the lack of accessible healthcare services. YFCA Obstetric Emergency Support Project, supported by UNFPA, not only saved Nazra's life but also instilled hope and resilience in her as she embraced motherhood.

Nazra's success story exemplifies the transformative impact of UNFPA's support in addressing maternal healthcare challenges in Yemen. By funding projects like the Obstetric Emergency Support Project, UNFPA enables organizations like YFCA to provide critical services to women in remote and underserved areas. The project's emphasis on comprehensive care, early intervention, and timely referrals has proven instrumental in saving lives and improving maternal and child health outcomes.