

Hope on Wheels



Saving
sight
across
barriers

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patients from the West Bank were denied permits to enter Jerusalem



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patients from Gaza were denied access to the West Bank in December 2015, the highest in 7 years

WHO study on refractive errors estimated that globally **\$202b** in GDP is lost each year due to these conditions going untreated (compared to **\$28b** needed to treat them)



Mobile Outreach

Brings eye care to isolated communities in the West Bank; serving a growing population of **2.5 million people**

Screens and educates the local population

SJEHG recently relaunched a second outreach team

Number of patients treated has risen from **10,500** in 2014 to over **16,700** in 2015



St John of Jerusalem Eye Hospital Group



Diabetic Retinopathy Programme

40% of our programme is mobile. The teams:

Travel to remote villages to screen patients

Refer patients for further treatment in our centres

Educate on ways to prevent diabetes from developing

Since 2012

21,236 have benefited from our education workshops

44,572 have been screened for diabetes

13,607 have been diagnosed with diabetic retinopathy and referred to our medical centres

We are expanding this service to refugee camps in Northern Jordan, the first time our services will be projected into a neighbouring country

