Attacks on Health Care in Sudan
13-26 December 2023

Past incident reports: 29 November-12 December; 15-28 November; 01-14 November; 18-31 October; 04-17 October; All

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Documented incidents

Between 11-17 December 2023: In Wad Madani city, Al Jazirah state, ICRC pulled out its staff as fighting reached the area. Source: New Age

14 December 2023: In the Abgota area, Al Jazirah state, the RSF entered a hospital during an armed incursion in the area where they closed access roads, looted the market and the agricultural bank. Source: Sudan War Updates

18 December 2023: In Rufaa city, Al Jazirah State, the RSF raided a hospital, killing two health workers. A market was also looted. Source: Personal Communication

18 December 2023: In Rufaa city, Al Jazirah state, a hospital, the army headquarters and a police office were taken over by the RSF. Source: The New Arab

18 December 2023: In Tambul, Al Jazirah state, a doctor's house and clinic were looted by the RSF. Source: Personal Communication

19 December 2023: In Wad Madani, Al Jazirah state, an ambulance for children with cancer was looted by the RSF from the Rest House Joanna Amal 2. Source: Personal Communication

19 December 2023: In Wad Madani, Al Jazirah state, a MSF compound was attacked by armed men. Two cars and other items were looted. MSF was forced to suspend its services in the area due to security deterioration. Source: MSF

21 December 2023: In Wad Madani, Al Jazirah state, all health facilities are out of service. Source: Sudan Medical Syndicate

24 December 2023: In Sifeiya, Al Jazirah state, the Kenana Sugar Company (KSC) Hospital is out of service due to SAF bombing in the area. Source: Personal Communication

24 December 2023: In Al Jazirah state, a doctor's wife, his brother's wife, the mother of his nephew's wife and his six-year-old daughter were killed when a car overturned them on the road and attacked them as they were fleeing Wad Madani. Source: Sudan Violations
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