

# Communicable Disease Center (CDC)

## Visiting Hours

- In patient Units:  
From 11am to 9 PM.
- Outpatient clinics:  
Sunday to Wednesday: 8am to 8 PM.  
Thursdays: 7am to 3 PM.
- Travel clinic:  
phone Number : 40254003

## In Patient Visitors Guidelines :

- Only two visitors are allowed for 20 minutes at a time.
- Visitors must first register at the Head Nurse station.
- Children under 14 years are not permitted.
- Flowers, pets, food and live plants are not allowed in the hospital, as these items will compromise infection control measures.
- As per Qatar law, smoking is prohibited in all public areas, including all HMC grounds.

## Events

The Center participates in several events throughout the year, including:

- World TB Day.
- World AIDS Day.
- Participation in school and university celebrations and awareness lectures.
- Involving the local community in the celebration of key events such as National Sports Day and National Day to raise awareness and prevent infectious diseases.



### For more information, please contact:

- ☎ Phone Number: 40254001 and 40254002  
HIV / AIDS Hotline: 40254025  
Nesma'ak customer care line 16060
- @ E-mail: nesmaak@hamad.qa

### Travel Clinic:

- ☎ Phone Number: 40254003
- @ E-mail: CDCTravel@hamad.qa



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Dedicated to the diagnosis, treatment and prevention of infectious diseases as well as education and research, For example but not exclusively, the CDC has a focus on:

- Tuberculosis (TB).
- Leprosy.
- pneumonia (MERS-COV).
- Measles.
- Hepatitis. (A,B,C)
- HIV/AIDS.
- Other emerging and re-emerging infectious diseases .



The 9,000 square meter purpose-built facility which has 65 single-isolation rooms. accommodate patients in case of serious pandemics.

The CDC offers comprehensive inpatient services for infectious disease patients who need hospitalization and also houses outpatient clinics providing services which include pre-marital counseling and education for those with infectious diseases.



## Travel Clinic

The CDC is also home to Qatar's first dedicated and comprehensive Travel Clinic which opened in February 2016.

This is a one-stop-shop offering vaccinations and preventative information for people traveling overseas. It also provides assessment, treatment and counselling for those returning with travel-related illnesses.



## AIDS Clinic:

The clinic was founded in the late 1980s until now.

### Services provided:

1. Diagnosis of the disease
2. Provide treatments
3. Health education for patients and the community
4. Contact screening
5. Providing vaccines for patients:
  - Hepatitis B vaccine
  - Pneumococcal vaccine
  - Seasonal Flu Vaccine
  - Meningococcal vaccine

**Provide consultations for patients and their families (pre-exposure and after exposure)**  
**Raising awareness among the community about AIDS through:-**

- Participation in the celebration of World AIDS Day
- Conducting awareness lectures
- Print and disseminate awareness leaflets
- Participation in television and radio programs in various local and international media

The tests and treatment are free for everyone.

The clinic is by appointment only

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