

New dialysis centre set to upgrade kidney care

KIMSHEALTH Medical Centre in Umm Al Hassam brings services closer to people

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Private healthcare leader, KIMSHEALTH Bahrain has launched its new Dialysis Centre at the recently renovated KIMSHEALTH Medical Centre in Umm Al Hassam.

KIMSHEALTH's foray into establishing a specialised Dialysis Centre forms a part of larger vision to provide a complete Kidney Care Programme.

KIMSHEALTH has already been providing dialysis services at it Royal Bahrain Hospital, and through the addition of the Dialysis Centre, it is bringing its services closer to the people of Bahrain.

The Dialysis Centre is located on the second floor of the KIMSHEALTH Medical Centre and comprises 10 dialysis units and three private rooms with two having isolation facilities.

Speaking on the occasion of the launch, Dr M I Sahadulla, Group Chairman and Managing Director at KIMSHEALTH, said: "I welcome you to the newly renovated modern facility of our KIMSHEALTH Medical Centre. The inauguration of Dialysis Centre is one of the key initiatives planned under the Total Kidney Care Programme, which includes a robust plan that is ready for execution. The Dialysis Centre will provide advanced hemodialysis and plans are afoot to implement peritoneal dialysis soon."

Ahmed Jawahery, Chairman, KIMSHEALTH Medical Centre and President, Royal Bahrain Hospital, said: "Since 2004, KIMSHEALTH has always strived to provide new services to its patients and tend to their healthcare needs. Through the Dialysis Centre we intend to deliver a



Dr Sheriff M Sahadulla speaking at the event



Mr Ahmed Jawahery cuts the ribbon to inaugurate the centre in the presence of Dr Sheriff M Sahadulla, Jacob Thomas and Jordan's Ambassador to the Kingdom Ramy Al Adwan and other dignitaries



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new line of treatment for patients with kidney ailments."

The Dialysis Centre is set in a serene, state-of-the-art facility



The dialysis facility at the centre

offering exceptional renal care for patients on dialysis supervised by American Board Certified nephrologists, working together under the umbrella of Arab Renal Care Group (ARCG).

The Centre is well-equipped to deliver the best experience through modern dialysis technology, fully trained and qualified dialysis technicians and nurses and pleasant ambience.

Talking about the Dialysis Centre, Dr Sheriff M Sahadulla, Group Chief Executive Officer at KIMSHEALTH, said: "Our ob-

jective is to provide cost-effective dialysis treatment to our patients, with the best quality, expertise and technology. Patients will now be able to access hemodialysis easier in an outpatient setting in the community rather than needing to go to a hospital setting."

Jacob Thomas, Group Executive Director at KIMSHEALTH further explains: "The Dialysis Centre is essentially an outpatient one and is meant to provide a walk-in walk-out environment without a hospital feel to the pa-



A cake was cut to mark the inauguration ceremony

tients with the comfort of complimentary pick up and drop from their home or work place. The Royal Bahrain Hospital and KIMSHEALTH Hospital will continue to offer only inpatient ICU dialysis."

Speaking to The Daily Tribune, on the sidelines of the event, Dr Sahadulla said: "Our core objective is to provide a comprehensive renal care for patients. There are a lot of things that should be taken care while offering treatment to kidney patients beyond dialysis. We now

have all the laboratory facilities and expertise. Hemodialysis is only one modality; we will be soon establishing peritoneal dialysis.

"We will be soon starting kidney transplant procedures along with Arab Renal Care Group and KIMSHEALTH India after receiving required approvals from the Kingdom's Ministry of Health. In this regard, clinical protocols and expertise are already in place and we are just waiting for approvals from the part of authorities."

COURT STORIES

Asian man on trial for 'smuggling' 5kg of shabu

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The High Criminal Court is hearing the case of an Asian man who was caught attempting to smuggle 5kg of shabu into the Kingdom of Bahrain.

The defendant hid the drugs inside his personal bag thinking that he would be able to enter the Kingdom without being

caught. He used an artistic way to make the drugs look like they were part of the bag cover.

He was caught by customs officials who suspected him as he appeared disturbed when he arrived in the country.

The defendant initially claimed that the bag didn't belong to him and that he didn't know that he put it among his luggage.

Man cleared of charge denying former wife from seeing children

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The Lower Criminal Court has acquitted a Bahraini man of refusing to allow his children to return to his former wife.

According to court files, the defendant's divorcee filed a

complaint after their children didn't want to return to her following the conclusion of the hours set aside to meet their father at the Child Protection Centre. Investigations confirmed that the children cry uncontrollably whenever they meet their father.

Indian Club all set for 'May Queen 2022' contest

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Preparations are in full swing for one of the iconic events on The Indian Club's social calendar, 'The Indian Club - Beyon Money May Queen 2K22 Powered by BIRA'.

An evening of beauty, talent and entertainment will take place at The Indian Club, Gudaibiya premises on Friday May 27, 2022 starting from 7:30pm onwards, with an expected audience of more than 1,000 including VIPs, dignitaries, Club Members and invited guests. Sixteen contestants will be displaying their talents on the walkway.

The contestants are from different nationalities and they will compete over three rounds (casual, ethnic and evening wear) followed by Q and A for the final round. Along with the Crown, First Runner Up, Second Runner Up, and other four individual category awards - Best Walk, Best Smile, Best Hair-Do and Audi-



Indian Club officials at the Press conference

ence Choice, will be awarded to the respective winners.

The title of the event is sponsored by Beyon Money, and the show is powered by BIRA, along with Event Partner PICO. The Fashion Partners associated with this event are Nourin, Joz Salon, and many other lead sponsors for this mega event.

Nourin will be providing a significant level of event support in the part of clothing and accessories for all the contestants in the Performance round. Hairstyle for all the contestants will be done by Joz Salon, said

a press release issued by the Indian Club.

The beautiful 'would be' May Queens will be expertly choreographed by Ms Abhirami Aji Subha and Ms Roshni Ravindran; and the show will be controlled by professional MC's, with the stage set-up, light and sound being provided by Pico.

Along with the great exposure; a wide range of prizes, including cash prizes, travel tickets, jewelry, vouchers, consumer electronics, beauty products, gift hampers etc, are awaiting for the winners as well as the

contestants.

In addition to the fantastic splendour, colour and pageantry of The May Queen competition, the audience will also get to enjoy a wonderful array of dance talents with performances by a variety of dance groups.

For further details of the Event, please contact the General Secretary Mr. Satheesh Gopinathan on 34330835 or The President Mr. K.M. Cherian on 39427425 or The Convener Mr. Jyothi Menon on 39851646 or the Coordinator Mr. Aji Bhasy on 38809471.