2.2 Project Description

This project under evaluation was planned as a post emergency response to the Israeli attack "Cast Lead" to Gaza in December 2008 and January 2009.

The present project was designed as a comprehensive intervention during the post Cast Lead rehabilitation phase, during 2010, as a well coordinated effort between three organizations in order to address four main fields identified as a priority at that stage: primary health care, psychological support, physiotherapy and social assistance. Additionally, a fifth component was included, which was focused on Human Rights capacity building among the partner's staff and included a research on rights' violations to the Gazan population during the military offensive.

The project was planned after coordinating with the other Spanish NGOs (coordinated by the Spanish Cooperation Office) and with the other international Agencies (coordinated by the Health cluster, WHO).

The project was implemented in four areas across the Gaza Strip, namely Gaza North, Gaza City, Khan Younis and Rafah.

Project General Objective:

Contribute to address the basic Social, Psychosocial and Health needs and to relief the situation of the most vulnerable population of the Gaza Strip, with a coordinated humanitarian action focused on emergency relief, rehabilitation and development.

Specific Objective:

Improvement of the social, psychological and health conditions of 10.851 women, men and children in the Gaza Strip (North Area, Gaza City, Khan Younis and Rafah), especially focused on a comprehensive action, addressing the geographically emarginated areas and promoting Human Rights in conflict context.

The project planned total budget was 384,157.00 Euros with the following financing:

- 375,988.00Euros funded by AECID (AECID 09-CAP3 2900)
- 8,169 Euros (salaries of three social workers) were provided as a contribution of PMRS