

# APPENDIX 2

# TECHNICAL DAMAGE ASSESSMENT REPORT

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## English Version

**Odessa Maternity Hospital No. 5**

**Building Damage Assessment Following the March 28, 2026 Drone Attack**

Odessa, Ukraine

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# EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

On March 28, 2026, Odessa Maternity Hospital No. 5 was struck by a Shahed-type drone during a large-scale attack against civilian infrastructure in Odessa.

The attack caused significant damage to the roof structure, upper floors, ventilation systems, internal partitions and reinforced concrete floor slabs.

A certified technical assessment determined that the overall level of damage is estimated at **41–80%**, corresponding to **Category II Damage** under the applicable Ukrainian methodology.

Despite substantial damage, the assessment confirms that:

- the building is not considered a total loss;
- the primary load-bearing structure remains largely intact;
- emergency stabilization measures have been identified;
- reconstruction is technically feasible.

The recommended recovery strategy consists of:

1. Emergency Stabilization
2. Structural Rehabilitation
3. Reconstruction Works
4. Medical Recommissioning

The restoration of Odessa Maternity Hospital No. 5 will help preserve critical maternal and neonatal healthcare capacity for Odessa and Southern Ukraine while strengthening healthcare resilience during wartime and future recovery.

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# 1. INTRODUCTION

The technical inspection of the building structures of the non-residential facility was carried out in order to determine the measures required for immediate emergency stabilization works following damage caused by the armed aggression of the Russian Federation.

The facility is located at:

**28 Dobrovoltsiv Street, Odessa, Ukraine**

The inspection was performed by a certified technical expert authorized to conduct building condition assessments and related architectural engineering activities.

The assessment was based on the following documents:

1. Contract for the performance of the technical inspection.
2. Commission Inspection Report dated March 30, 2026.
3. Technical report regarding the assessment of the technical condition of the building structures and the determination of the possibility of continued operation of the damaged non-residential building located at 28 Dobrovoltsiv Street, Odessa.
4. Results of the inspection supported by photographic documentation of the observed damage and destruction.
5. Design solutions developed for immediate emergency stabilization works.
6. Archival records and information provided by construction organizations and municipal services.
7. Qualification certificate of the responsible expert.

The inspection was conducted in accordance with the applicable Ukrainian regulations governing technical inspections, structural safety assessments and rehabilitation of damaged buildings and structures.

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# 2. BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE FACILITY

## 2.1 General Information

The subject of this assessment is the building structure of **Odessa Maternity Hospital No. 5**, which sustained damage as a result of military aggression.

The facility is located at:

**28 Dobrovoltsiv Street (formerly Marshala Govorova Street), Odessa, Ukraine.**

### Description of the Incident

On March 28, 2026, a Shahed-type loitering munition (kamikaze drone) struck the building of Odessa Maternity Hospital No. 5 located in the Pymorskyi District of Odessa.

### Main Facts Concerning the Damage

- The drone impacted the roof of the building and caused a fire.
- Damage was sustained by the roof, floor slabs between the third and fourth floors, windows, doors, medical equipment and furniture.
- At the time of the attack, more than 80 people were present in the facility, including:
  - 32 pregnant women and maternity patients;
  - 19 newborns, including infants receiving mechanical ventilation;
  - 33 members of the medical staff.
- Thanks to the rapid evacuation of patients and staff to the underground shelter, no casualties occurred.
- Patients were temporarily transferred to Maternity Hospitals No. 1 and No. 7. Two newborns required hospitalization.
- Emergency responders, psychologists from the State Emergency Service of Ukraine and officers of the National Police were deployed to the site. Medical personnel also assisted in extinguishing the fire.

### Purpose of the Investigation

- to determine the technical condition of the building structures damaged as a result of military action;
- to identify emergency stabilization measures required to ensure safety and prevent further deterioration;
- to evaluate the feasibility of future reconstruction and restoration works.

The inspection included detailed photographic documentation of all identified defects, damage and structural failures.

## **2.2 ARCHITECTURAL, PLANNING AND STRUCTURAL CHARACTERISTICS**

The assessed facility is a four-storey healthcare building with a basement level and rooftop technical structures.

The principal façade is oriented toward Dobrovoltsiv Street.

The building consists of a central block connected to two side wings and includes technical rooftop structures housing engineering equipment and building services.

### **General Building Characteristics**

The facility was designed and constructed for healthcare purposes and accommodates:

- maternity wards;
- delivery rooms;
- operating theatres;
- neonatal intensive care facilities;
- gynecological departments;
- diagnostic and support services;
- administrative areas;
- technical and utility rooms.

The building also contains a protected underground shelter capable of supporting medical activities during air raid alerts and emergency situations.

Prior to the attack, Odessa Maternity Hospital No. 5 was considered one of the principal maternity healthcare institutions serving the population of Odessa and Southern Ukraine.

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# **Structural System**

## **Foundations**

The building is supported by strip foundations resting on a prepared sand base.

No signs of critical foundation failure were identified during the inspection.

## **Basement Walls**

Basement walls are constructed from reinforced concrete foundation blocks.

## **Load-Bearing Walls**

The primary load-bearing walls are constructed of solid clay brick masonry laid in cement-sand mortar.

Wall thickness varies according to structural location and function.

Reinforced concrete belts are incorporated within the wall system to improve structural stability.

## **Floor Structures**

The floor system consists of precast reinforced concrete hollow-core slabs.

These slabs provide the primary horizontal load-bearing system of the building.

## **Staircases**

The staircases and landings are constructed from precast reinforced concrete elements.

## **Internal Partitions**

Internal partition walls are constructed of brick masonry and finished with plaster.

## **Roof Structure**

The building is covered by a flat roof system comprising:

- vapor barrier layers;
- thermal insulation;
- lightweight screed layers;
- waterproofing membranes;
- bituminous roofing materials.

Rainwater drainage is provided through an external drainage system.

## **Windows and Doors**

The building is equipped with metal-plastic window and door systems incorporating insulated glazing units.

## **Building Services**

The facility is equipped with:

- electrical systems;
- water supply systems;
- wastewater systems;
- central heating systems;
- supply and exhaust ventilation systems.

No gas supply system is installed within the building.

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# 3. RESULTS OF THE VISUAL INSPECTION OF BUILDING STRUCTURES

Following the impact of the Shahed-type unmanned aerial vehicle and the subsequent fire, a detailed visual inspection of the building structures was carried out.

The inspection confirmed that the observed damage resulted from the direct impact of the drone, blast effects and fire-related destruction.

The inspection covered:

- foundations;
- load-bearing walls;
- floor structures;
- roof structures;
- partitions;
- windows and doors;
- engineering systems.

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## General Condition of Structural Elements

The inspection established the following:

### Foundations

No significant damage affecting the load-bearing capacity of the foundations was identified.

### Load-Bearing Walls

The principal load-bearing walls remain generally intact and continue to ensure the overall stability of the structure.

### Roof Structures

The roof and rooftop technical structures sustained severe damage and partial destruction.

### Floor Structures

Several reinforced concrete floor slabs sustained significant damage, including cracking, local failure and partial collapse.

### Internal Partitions

Numerous partition walls were damaged or destroyed.

### **Windows and Doors**

Window and door assemblies throughout the affected area sustained extensive damage.

### **Engineering Systems**

Ventilation systems and other engineering infrastructure were damaged as a result of the explosion and fire.

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## **Detailed Damage Assessment**

The following defects and structural failures were identified during the inspection:

### **Foundation Settlement**

Localized settlement of the foundation was identified in one area of the building.

### **Damage to Partition Walls**

Several brick partition walls on the first floor sustained severe damage and partial destruction.

### **Destruction of Drywall Partitions**

Drywall partitions located in the affected area were destroyed.

### **Damage to Windows and Doors**

Numerous window and door assemblies were destroyed or rendered unusable.

### **Destruction of Metal-Plastic Partitions**

A glazed metal-plastic partition located on the second floor was destroyed.

### **Damage to Upper Floors**

Significant damage was identified on the third and fourth floors, particularly in the vicinity of the impact area.

### **Collapse of Floor Slabs**

Several reinforced concrete floor slab panels collapsed.

Other damaged slab elements remain unstable and continue to present a risk of collapse.

## **Damage to Ventilation Shafts**

Ventilation shaft walls and associated technical structures sustained extensive damage.

## **Loss of Stability of Structural Elements**

Several damaged structural elements exhibit signs of reduced load-bearing capacity and require stabilization, strengthening or replacement.

### **3. Damage Classification**

Based on the results of the visual inspection and the assessment of the technical condition of the building structures, the overall level of damage to the facility was estimated at:

#### **41% – 80% DAMAGE**

According to the applicable Ukrainian methodology for the assessment of damaged buildings and structures, this level of damage corresponds to:

### **CATEGORY II DAMAGE**

The assessment established that both load-bearing and non-load-bearing structural elements sustained significant damage.

The nature and extent of the observed damage indicate the need for:

- partial demolition of selected structural elements;
- strengthening of damaged load-bearing structures;
- replacement or repair of damaged non-load-bearing components;
- implementation of emergency stabilization measures prior to reconstruction works.

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### **Recommendation Regarding Continued Operation**

Based on the observed technical condition of the building, continued operation of the facility in its current state is not recommended.

The building requires:

#### **Major Repair Works**

and

#### **Reconstruction Works**

to restore its structural integrity, technical systems and operational functionality.

The implementation of these measures will allow the facility to be safely returned to service.

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# Technical Assessment Summary

The inspection confirms that:

- significant structural and non-structural damage occurred as a result of the March 28, 2026 drone attack;
- portions of the roof structure and floor slabs sustained severe damage;
- several structural elements require stabilization or replacement;
- the primary structural framework remains largely preserved;
- reconstruction remains technically feasible.

The building is **not considered a total loss**.

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# **4. RECOMMENDATIONS FOR IMMEDIATE EMERGENCY STABILIZATION WORKS**

## **General Provisions**

In order to preserve the remaining structural integrity of the building and prevent further deterioration, emergency stabilization measures shall be implemented before any reconstruction works commence.

The purpose of these measures is:

- to eliminate immediate safety hazards;
- to prevent additional collapse of damaged elements;
- to protect the building from weather exposure;
- to prepare the structure for reconstruction works.

All stabilization and demolition activities shall be carried out by qualified contractors in accordance with approved technical documentation and applicable safety regulations.

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## **Emergency Stabilization Measures**

### **1. Isolation of Engineering Systems**

Prior to any stabilization or demolition works, damaged engineering systems shall be disconnected.

This includes:

- electrical systems;
  - heating systems;
  - water supply systems;
  - technical equipment serving damaged areas.
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### **2. Installation of Temporary Structural Supports**

Temporary support systems shall be installed beneath damaged reinforced concrete floor slabs.

The objective is to prevent further collapse and ensure safe access for reconstruction personnel.

Support systems shall extend through the affected levels of the building where necessary.

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### **3. Installation of Temporary Shoring Structures**

Temporary timber and steel shoring systems shall be installed in areas affected by structural instability.

These systems shall:

- support damaged slabs;
- transfer loads safely;
- reduce the risk of progressive collapse.

All support components shall be designed and installed under engineering supervision.

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### **4. Controlled Demolition of Damaged Elements**

Damaged structural components that cannot be safely preserved shall be removed.

The demolition process shall include:

- identification of unstable elements;
  - controlled dismantling procedures;
  - sequential removal of damaged components;
  - continuous monitoring of structural stability.
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### **5. Removal of Destroyed Rooftop Structures**

Destroyed rooftop technical structures shall be dismantled and removed.

Debris accumulated on the roof and upper floors shall also be removed.

Particular attention shall be paid to structures located within the impact area.

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### **6. Controlled Removal of Damaged Floor Slabs**

Damaged reinforced concrete floor slabs shall be dismantled in a controlled and sequential manner.

The sequence of operations shall include:

1. cutting damaged slab sections;
2. removal of detached fragments;
3. dismantling of adjacent damaged panels;
4. relocation of temporary support systems as required.

The works shall continue until all unstable structural elements identified during the assessment have been removed.

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## **7. Protection of the Building Envelope**

Destroyed windows and openings shall be temporarily sealed.

Protective coverings shall be installed to:

- prevent water infiltration;
- protect interior spaces;
- reduce further deterioration of building materials.

OSB panels or equivalent protective materials may be used for temporary closure.

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## **8. Temporary Roof Protection**

Temporary roofing systems shall be installed above exposed areas of the building.

The temporary protection system shall prevent:

- rainwater penetration;
  - snow accumulation;
  - accelerated deterioration of structural elements.
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## **9. Cleaning and Removal of Debris**

All debris resulting from the attack, fire and partial collapse shall be removed from:

- roof areas;
- floor slabs;
- technical rooms;
- circulation areas.

Debris removal shall be completed before reconstruction activities begin.

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## **10. Restoration of Roof Drainage**

The roof drainage system shall be inspected and restored in order to prevent water accumulation and infiltration.

Proper drainage is essential to protect the remaining structural elements during the reconstruction period.

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### **Objective of the Emergency Stabilization Phase**

The emergency stabilization phase is intended to:

- secure the structure;
- eliminate immediate safety risks;
- prevent additional collapse;
- protect the building from environmental exposure;
- create safe conditions for future reconstruction works.

# 5. MAIN CONCLUSIONS OF THE ASSESSMENT

Based on the inspection and evaluation of the technical condition of the building structures of Odessa Maternity Hospital No. 5, the following conclusions have been reached.

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## General Findings

On March 28, 2026, the building sustained significant damage as a result of the impact of a Shahed-type unmanned aerial vehicle and the subsequent fire.

The attack affected:

- roof structures;
- rooftop technical facilities;
- reinforced concrete floor slabs;
- partition walls;
- windows and doors;
- engineering systems and technical infrastructure.

The inspection confirmed the presence of damage affecting both load-bearing and non-load-bearing structural elements.

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## Technical Condition of the Building

### Foundations

The foundations remain serviceable.

No critical damage affecting the load-bearing capacity of the foundation system was identified.

### Load-Bearing Structures

The principal load-bearing masonry walls remain generally intact and continue to provide overall structural stability.

### Floor Structures

Several reinforced concrete floor slabs sustained severe damage, including cracking, loss of support and partial collapse.

## **Roof Structures**

Roof structures and rooftop technical facilities sustained extensive damage and partial destruction.

## **Engineering Systems**

A significant portion of the engineering systems requires repair or replacement before the facility can be returned to operation.

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## **Damage Classification**

Based on the results of the inspection, the overall level of damage to the facility is estimated at:

**41% – 80%**

According to the applicable Ukrainian methodology for damage assessment, this corresponds to:

## **CATEGORY II DAMAGE**

The building has sustained substantial damage while retaining a significant portion of its primary structural framework.

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## **Required Technical Measures**

The assessment confirms the necessity of:

- emergency stabilization works;
- controlled dismantling of damaged structural elements;
- strengthening of selected load-bearing components;
- replacement of damaged building elements;
- restoration of engineering systems.

These measures are required prior to the resumption of normal building operations.

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## **Feasibility of Reconstruction**

The technical assessment concludes that the building is suitable for restoration through:

## **Major Repair Works**

and

## **Reconstruction Works**

The structure is not considered a total loss and may be restored following implementation of the recommended stabilization and reconstruction measures.

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## **Final Expert Opinion**

The condition of the building does not justify complete demolition.

The preservation of the primary structural framework makes reconstruction technically achievable and economically reasonable.

Following completion of:

- emergency stabilization works;
- structural rehabilitation;
- replacement of damaged systems and components;

the facility may be returned to safe operation.

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## **6. REFERENCES**

This assessment was prepared in accordance with applicable Ukrainian legislation, construction standards, technical regulations and methodological guidance governing:

- inspection of buildings and structures;
  - assessment of damage caused by military actions;
  - emergency stabilization measures;
  - repair and strengthening of damaged structures;
  - reconstruction and rehabilitation of public buildings;
  - technical safety requirements applicable to healthcare facilities.
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# **7. PHOTOGRAPHIC DOCUMENTATION**

## **English Captions for Photographic Documentation**

### **Photo 1**

General View of the Damaged Hospital Building

### **Photo 2**

Condition of the Damaged Façade

### **Photo 3**

Condition of the Damaged Façade

### **Photo 4**

Destruction of Rooftop Superstructure

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Condition of the Damaged Façade

### **Photo 6**

Condition of the Damaged Façade

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Drone Impact Location on the Roof

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Destruction of Rooftop Superstructure

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Collapse of Reinforced Concrete Floor Slab

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Partial Collapse of Floor Slab

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Destruction of Metal-Plastic Partition Wall



Фото 1 Загальний вигляд пошкоджень будівлі з боку дворового простору



Фото 2 Стан пошкоджень фасаду



Фото 3 Стан пошкоджень фасаду



Фото 4 Руйнування надбудови на покрівлі будівлі



Фото 5 Стан пошкоджень фасаду



Фото 6 Стан пошкоджень фасаду



Фото 7 Місце попадання дрону в дах будівлі



Фото 8 Стан даху з покрівлею



Фото 9 Руїнування надбудови

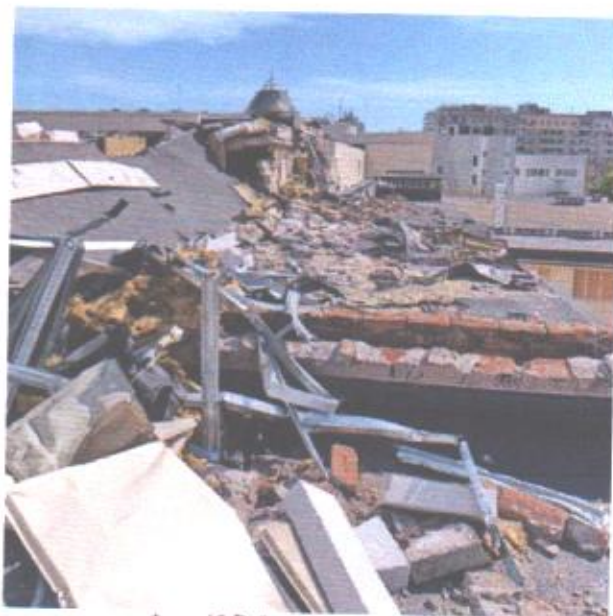


Фото 10 Руїнування надбудови



Фото 11 Руїнування конструкцій надбудови



Фото 12 Руїнування вент/каналу



Фото 13 Руїнування надбудови



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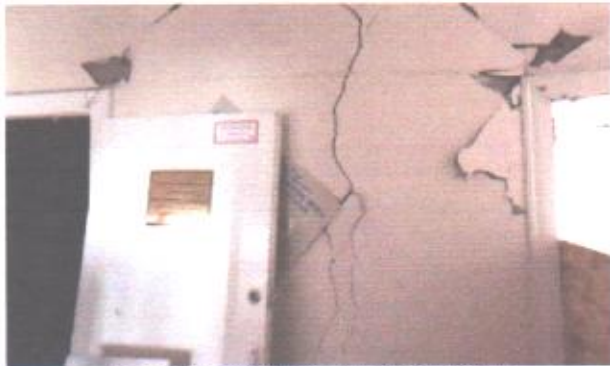


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Фото 19 Руйнування плити перекриття 3 поверху в осях 12-13/В-Ж



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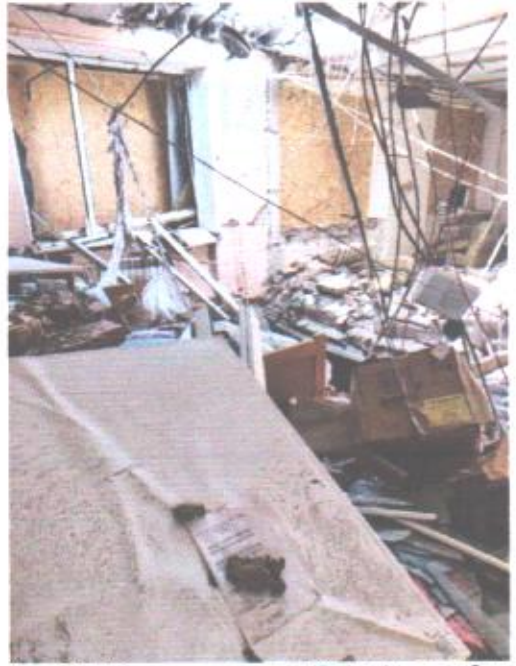


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Фото 31 Руйнування вікон і прорізів



Фото 34 Обваления части плиты перекрытия



Фото 32 Стан руйнування плит перекрытия між 3 і 4 поверхами



Фото 35 Руйнування металопластикової перегородки

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# KEY TECHNICAL CONCLUSIONS

## **Damage Level**

41–80%

## **Damage Classification**

Category II Damage

## **Structural Condition**

The primary structural framework remains largely preserved.

## **Building Status**

The building is **not considered a total loss**.

## **Emergency Measures**

Immediate stabilization measures are required before reconstruction.

## **Reconstruction Potential**

Reconstruction is technically feasible.

## **Recommended Approach**

**Stabilization → Structural Rehabilitation → Reconstruction → Recommissioning**

## **Strategic Significance**

The restoration of Odessa Maternity Hospital No. 5 will contribute to preserving essential maternal and neonatal healthcare capacity for Odessa and Southern Ukraine.

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