Dr. Sulaiman Al Habib Medical Services Group (HMG)

4Q2024 First Look

Steady Growth Despite Margin Pressure					Febru	February 17, 2025	
Upside to Target Price Expected Dividend Yield Expected Total Return	5.1% 1.7% 6.8%			Rating Last Price 12-mth target		Neutral SAR 295.00 SAR 310.00	
HMG	4Q2024	4Q2023	Y/Y	3Q2024	Q/Q	RC Estimate	
Sales	3,129	2,486	26%	2,977	5%	3,058	
Gross Profit	997	868	15%	992	1%	1,031	
Gross Margins	32%	35%		33%		34%	
Operating Profit	624	534	17%	624	0%	634	
Net Profit	614	525	17%	596	3%	603	

Market Data

SAR 346.8/258.0			
SAR 103,250 mln			
350 mln			
29.15%			
190,499			
SULAIMAN AB			



(All figures are in SAR mln)

- HMG recorded 4Q revenues of SAR 3.13 bln, up+5% Q/Q and 26% Y/Y, in line with our SAR 3.06 bln forecast. Full year revenues were up +18% to SAR 11.2 bln led by the growth in hospital and pharmacy segment. Topline was driven by 2 big hospital openings in the year, Al Sahafa in Riyadh (largest private sector hospital in the Kingdom) and Al Fayhaa hospital in Jeddah.
- Similar to 3Q, gross margins have further contracted to 31.9% in 4Q2024 versus 33.3% in 3Q2024 and 34.9% in 4Q2023. New hospital openings are likely contributors as they take time to ramp up. Operating expenses have come in at SAR 373 mln, better than our expectations.
- Net income was recorded at SAR 614mln (+17% Y/Y, +3% Q/Q), close to our SAR 603 mln forecast but beat market consensus of SAR 583 mln. Net margins are almost flat Q/Q at 19.6% in 4Q. 4Q DPS of SAR 1.23 takes full payout to SAR 4.77.
- In 2024, HMG was able to complete 6 medical facilities across KSA. Besides the Al Sahafa and Al Fayhaa hospitals, the Women's Health Hospital (expansion of Al Takhasussi), expanded OPD in Qassim and 2 medical centers in Buraydah and KAEC, were the other facilities that came online. As we highlighted in our last report as well, margins may face some pressures in the short term as new hospitals ramp up. Stock remains rangebound. We maintain our SAR 310.00 target price and Neutral recommendation.



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Stock Rating

Buy	Neutral	Sell	Not Rated
Expected Total Return Greater than +15%	Expected Total Return between -15% and +15%	Expected Total Return less than -15%	Under Review/ Restricted

The expected percentage returns are indicative, stock recommendations also incorporate relevant qualitative factors For any feedback on our reports, please contact research@riyadcapital.com

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