

# Malik NASR

**Date of birth 17.02.2011.**

## **Libya**



Malik Nasr, a 6 years old was suffering from WPW syndrome, which caused accelerated heartbeat for long periods and for several times each month. This required taking him to the hospital for emergency treatment each time. The condition was very negatively impacting his life and it became necessary to have a surgical intervention to save his life.

Malik was under medical supervision in a cardiac centre in Libya, but doctors there could not perform the life saving procedure.

The family could not afford the costs of medical treatment and operation, but it search hard to find a cardiac centre in Bremen, Germany, where such heart operation could be performed.

The family approached several charities and, collectively, the funds were accumulated to enable an operation for Malik in Germany.

On 5 July 2017 the operation was performed by Dr Hebe in the Bremen, at the Clinic "Elektrophysiologie Bremen", Germany.

According to Dr. Hebe the WPW was successfully treated and Malik now needed only to take a medication for 3 months, during and after these three months his case will be followed up by Dr. Salima .M. Jdour who is following his case in Libya.

The family long search for people /organisation to help Malik was successful and the family jointly with 2 charities raised sufficient funds for the operations.

Children's Hearts charity (UK) was happy to support the life saving CHD procedure for the child, long with also German charity BILD hilft e.V. "Ein Herz für Kinder".

**On 5 July 2017 in the Clinic "Elektrophysiologie Bremen", Germany Malik had successful heart procedure performed by Dr Hebe, cardiac paediatric surgeon.**

**The child recovered well and is now back home to Libya. We wish Malik all the best and happy life!**

***Children's Hearts (UK) thanks all its supporters and, in particular, Audosta Limited, for their support. The Children's Hearts charity remains committed to helping children with congenital heart defects, giving children another chance to live.***

## **THANK YOU**