

# التقرير اليومي الخاص بأوضاع اللاجئين الفلسطينيين في سورية

Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria

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"Hundreds of Civilians, Activists, Refugee Families Sheltered at Khan Al-Sheih Camp Deported to Idlib"



- 5 Palestinians sheltered in Khan Al-Sheih Camp killed in November
- Palestinians of Syria grappling with price hike, dislodgment
- Palestinians of Syria risk their lives on migration road

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#### Latest Developments

Hundreds of civilians, activists, and reporters, along with their families and children, headed to Idlib, in northern Syria, after they were forced out of their shelters in Khan Al-Sheih Camp for Palestinian refugees.

The move came as the first bonds of a deal between the Syrian government forces and the opposition battalions were put into effect.

Over recent weeks, the Syrian government army heavily struck Khan Al-Sheih camp with internationally banned weapons and closed off all access roads out of and into the shelter, resulting in acute dearth in food and medicines.



According to AGPS data, five Palestinian refugees housed in Khan Al-Sheih were killed in November.

AGPS identifies the casualties as 14-year-old Shahd Youssef Ismail, killed on November 10, 2016, in an onslaught on Al-Kaziya area, in Khan Al-Sheih; Hussein Al-Hindi Al-Khalidi, killed on November 13, 2016; and Mohamed Muhssin Falah, nicknamed Abu Mahmoud. Refugees Abdul



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Rahman Abu Qatan and Mohamed Salah Shakoush succumbed to wounds inflicted by an offensive on Khan Al-Sheih.

195 Palestinians taking refuge in Khan Al-Sheih were killed since the outburst of hostilities in war-tattered Syria.

Meanwhile, displaced Palestinian-Syrian refugees continue to launch cries for help over the dire socio-economic conditions they have been made to endure. A swift upsurge in rental fees, estimated at an average of \$150 to \$350, along with high unemployment rates have made the situation far worse.

Al-Zahira, Al-Maidan, Jaramana, Qudsaya, and Khan Dannun represent the major destinations for the displaced Palestinian refugees.

A study shows that a minimum cost of living in Syria exceeds a monthly rate of 171,000 SL while monthly wages barely rise above 40,000 SL (\$80).



The study also indicates that 29% of expenses are allotted to food while 28% are allocated to housing. 9.3% and 7.8% of the budget go



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respectively to transportation and clothing. The remaining resources cover fees for household items, communication networks, medical treatment, and education, among a handful of other basic needs.

At the same time, homeless Palestinian refugee youths and families continue to face deadly risks on the migration road to Turkey and Europe.

The situation has gone from bad to worse due to the tough restrictions imposed on the Turkish borders.

AGPS kept record of an increase in the number of refugees who have sought asylum overseas due to a set of reasons having mostly to do with mandatory enlistment in the pro-regime Palestine Liberation Army and arbitrary abductions at government checkpoints, forcing hundreds to risk their lives in a mountainous journey towards the unknown.

### Palestinians of Syria: November 30, 2016 Statistics:

- There are 15,500 Palestinian-Syrian refugees in Jordan.
- 42,500 Palestinian-Syrian refugees are in Lebanon.
- 6,000 Palestinian-Syrian refugees are sheltered in Egypt, according to UNRWA figures covering the period from July 2015 backwards.
- 8,000 Palestinian-Syrian refugees are taking shelter in Turkey.
- 1,000 Palestinian-Syrian refugees reside in the blockaded Gaza Strip.
- Over 79,000 Palestinian Syrian refugees fled to Europe until mid 2016.



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- Yarmouk refugee camp has been blockaded by the Syrian regime army and Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine General Command (PFLP-GC) for 1,261 days in a row. Electricity and water supplies have been cut off, respectively, for 1,320 days and 781 days. The number of those killed due to the blockade has hit 191.
- Sbiena refugee camp: Refugees could not go back to their homes as a result of the blockade slapped by the Syrian regime forces since 1,114 days running.
- Handarat refugee camp: All refugees left the camp since 1,306 days after opposition outfits grabbed hold of the area.
- Deraa refugee camp: Water has been cut off for 964 consecutive days while 70% of its buildings have been knocked down.
- Homs camp, Hama camp, Jaramana camp, al-Sayda Zeinab camp, Al-Raml camp: A of State of relative calm has been reported in the abovementioned areas. However, economic crises have been on the rise.
- Khan al-Sheih refugee camp: All access roads out of and into the camp have been closed off by the Syrian regime army for 63 days running.