

التقرير اليومي الخاص بأوضاع اللاجئين الفلسطينيين في سورية

Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria

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"Despite Deal with Opposition Outfits, Syrian Government Forces Keep Tight Rein on Khan Al-Sheih Camp for 64th day"



- 40% of Al-Husseiniya Camp residents banned access to their homes
- Over 3,402 Palestinian refugees died of war-related incidents in Syria
- Palestinian refugee wounded on her way to Turkey

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Latest Developments

A tight blockade has been imposed by the Syrian government forces on Khan Al-Sheih Camp for Palestinian refugees, in Damascus western outskirts, for 64 days running in spite of a deal struck with the opposition battalions.

Key to the deal was the retreat of opposition fighters and over 2,500 Palestinian refugees from the camp to Idlib, in northern Syria.



AGPS correspondent said Palestinian refugee families in the camp have run out of basic food items and life-saving medicines.

He warned that several refugees risk todie of cold due the lack of fuel reserves and the power blackout rocking the camp for the fourth day running.

Prior to the newly-struck deal, 12,000 civilians, including 3,000 children, used to take refuge in Khan Al-Sheih. 197 refugees sheltered in the camp were killed since the outburst of hostilities.

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Meanwhile, an AGPS reporter quoted activists as stating that 40% of the residents of Al-Husseiniya Camp for Palestinian refugees, in Rural Damascus, have been denied access to their homes by the government troops.

The residents raised fears of arbitrary abductions at government checkpoints pitched around the access roads out of and into the camp. Several refugee youths and activists are also feared kidnapped by the government patrols for alleged affiliations with the opposition forces.

AGPS kept record of the abduction of a number of women at Syrian government checkpoints and the destruction of activsts' homes in the camp.

On August 16, 2015, a number of displaced Palestinian families were allowed a safe access into their homes in the camp following a two-year ban.

In another development, AGPS documented the death of at least 3,402 Palestinian refugees in Syria due to war-related incidents.

Shelling took away the lives of 1,128 refugees while violent clashes between the government battalions and the opposition brigades killed 813 refugees. 456 others were, meanwhile, tortured to death in Syrian regime lock-ups.

AGPS detailed statistics are available on the group's website: actionpal.org.uk

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At the same time, the Palestinian refugee Khadija Ahmad Akleh was shot and injured by the Turkish border cops as she tried to reach out to Turkey, fleeing beset Syria.

A resident of the blockaded Yarmouk Camp in southern Damascus, the refugee sustained spine fractures after she lost footing and fell off a cliff in Khirbet Al-Jouz borderland. She was rushed to the Jisr Al-Shughur hospital in Syria for urgent treatment.



Palestinians of Syria: December 03, 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 1,264 days in a row. Electricity and water supplies have been cut off, respectively, for 1,323 days and 784 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 1,117 days running.
- Handarat refugee camp: All refugees left the camp since 1,309 days after opposition outfits grabbed hold of the area.
- Deraa refugee camp: Water has been cut off for 967 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 66 days running.