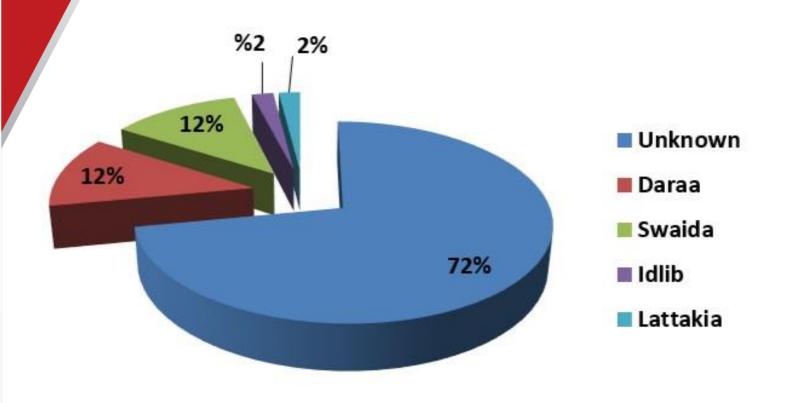


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Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria



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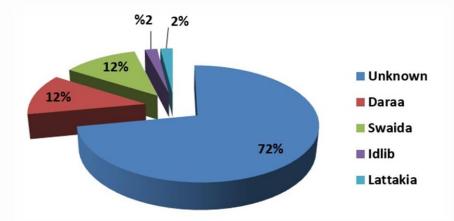
- Syrian Official Urges Damascus Governor to Advance Reconstruction Plan
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- Palestinian Refugee from Syria Appeals for Urgent Cardiac Surgery
- Clothes Handed Over to Palestinian Families from Syria in Lebanon-Based Refugee Camp



Latest Developments

50 Palestinian refugees died of war-related incidents in Syria in July 2018, among them 31 refugees tortured to death in Syrian government dungeons.

The list includes 17 Palestinians who were fatally gunned down, a refugee who died in a blast, and another who breathed his last as a result of the blockade and medical negligence.



Daraa and AlSuweida provinces topped the list with six victims each. One refugee was pronounced dead in Idlib and another in Latakia. As many as 36 Palestinians from Syria died in unknown locations.

Meanwhile, the director of Planning and Urban Development at Syria's Ministry of Public Works and Housing, Hala Shabana, called on local authorities in Damascus governorate to put forth a roadmap for the rehabilitation of Barza, Qabun, Jober and Yarmouk.

A booklet outlining the approaches and procedures to advance reconstruction plans was put forth to that end.



In statements released sometime earlier, Syrian and Palestinian leaders in Damascus said that Yarmouk Camp, south of Damascus, will not undergo a comprehensive rehabilitation process and that reports on a new reorganizational plan in the camp are just groundless. Up to now, Yarmouk's fate remains unknown.



The Syrian government forces recaptured Yamrouk and other southern Damascus zones following a 33-day large-scale military operation launched on April 21, 2018, and which took away the lives of 33 civilians, left dozens more wounded, and wrought massive destruction on civilian property.

In the meantime, Palestinian refugee Omar Yakoob Hejazi, born in 1975, has been locked up in Syrian government prisons for the fourth year running.

Hejazi, a resident of Yarmouk Camp, was kidnapped by the Syrian government troops on the Lebanese-Syrian borders. No data has yet been revealed as to his fate and location.

According to AGPS data, over 1,800 Palestinian refugees have been held captive in Syrian government lock-ups, among them 106 women and girls. Their fates have been shrouded in mystery.



In another development, a 60-year-old Palestinian refugee displaced from Yarmouk Camp in Syria to Lebanon appealed for urgent cash assistance so as to enable her to undergo balloon angioplasty to open narrowed coronary arteries to restore proper blood flow to the heart.

Speaking with AGPS on condition of anonymity, the lady said the intervention costs up to \$5,000. UNRWA pledged to contribute only \$2,000 in aid.

The patient's husband, who underwent a similar surgery sometime earlier, said he has failed to secure treatment fees for his wife and that his family has been left at the mercy of charities.

Meanwhile, The Ataa AlKhayr Association distributed Eid clothes to Palestinian refugee families in the Badawi camp, north of Lebanon.

A volunteer said some 200 Lebanese and Palestinian families from Syria taking shelter in the Badawi camp benefited from the move, which makes part of underway endeavors to assuage the crises endured by refugee communities with the advent of the Holy Eid AlAdha (Festival of Sacrifice).

