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Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria



### "ISIS continues to tighten its procedure towards students of Yarmouk camp in Damascus"

- 115 Palestinian-Syrian families are suffering from inhumane conditions at the Zayzon gathering in southern Syria
- Residents of Al-Aedin camp in Homs complain of the continued raids and arrests
- Syrian security continues to detain 5 Palestinian refugees, of which 4 are from Al-Dawood family, keeping their fate mysterious

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## Latest Developments:

ISIS, which is in control of most areas in Yarmouk camp, continues to practice a strict approach towards the students of the camp. Several months ago, ISIS began targeting the alternative schools inside the camp for various excuses, while terrorizing the teachers and manipulating the curriculums they teach.



Recently, the camp has seen tight procedures being imposed towards the students that are enrolled in the alternative schools in the neighboring towns. Members of ISIS would confiscate books and schools supplies from the students. During this week, ISIS and the armed Syrian opposition groups in Yelda, rotationally closed the crossing leading to Yarmouk camp, after several clashes broke out between the two sides.

According to our correspondent in Yarmouk camp, members of ISIS imposed extremely tight procedures on the students yesterday morning, in an attempt to ban them from reaching their schools in the neighboring towns. The day before yesterday, ISIS banned the students travelling to the adjacent towns from leaving the camp.



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In another context, approximately 115 Palestinian-Syrian families living in Al-Zayzon gathering are suffering a life of extreme cruelty that lacks the most precious elements of a decent life. These families live in primitive houses built of cane and some textiles, that they don't protect them from the cold winter or the heat of summer. These families were displaced from their houses due to the continuous bombardments by the Syrian regime, which targeted their homes, in addition to ISIS's control over some areas in the city, as what happened in the Jileen gathering.



In addition, a large proportion of them do not have access to the financial assistance provided by UNRWA, because they are unable to reach the distribution centers, since they are within the areas controlled by ISIS, making them fear being subjected to detention.

Regarding the relief aid which reaches Al-Zayzon gathering, it is very little compared to the number of families living there. Some of the aid is distributed through the local councils or through other organizations.





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The residents called on UNRWA and all the Palestinian and international parties concerned with the Palestinian refugees in Syria, to urgently make their efforts towards the suffering of families in the gathering, asserting that UNRWA should fulfill its obligations to them as an international institution responsible for Palestinian refugees.

Al-Zayzon gathering or camp, is located in Deraa, south of the Arab Republic of Syria.

In another context, residents of Al-Aedin camp in Homs are living in a state of ongoing fear and tension, as the Syrian security forces continue to carry out raids and searches on the houses of the camp, almost daily and under various pretexts. The camp has turned into a huge detention center, in complete control by the Syrian security, as quoted by one of its residents.



Our correspondent confirmed that the Syrian security forces carried out several raids on the houses inside the camp during the last few days. On 28 September 2017, the Syrian security forces summoned a number of men and women for interrogation. Four women from



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the camp were arrested and transferred to Damascus, without knowledge of their charges and the reasons for their arrest.

On 4/11/2017, the Syrian security forces arrested two female Palestinian refugees, which the Action Group decided to reserve their names, from Al-Aedin camp. They were taken to an unknown location.

In a similar context, the Syrian security forces continue to detain five Palestinian refugees, of which four are from Al-Dawood family. Their names are: “Nour Ahmed Dawood,” born in 1987 from Al-Hajar Al-Aswad. He is married and father to a girl and was detained in 2013. “Dawood Ahmed Dawood,” born in 1986 is also from Al-Hajar Al-Aswad and was arrested by members of Al-Bateekha barrier, in the beginning of Yarmouk refugee camp. He is married and has two sons and a daughter. Brothers “Mahmoud Mohamed Kheir Dawood,” born in 1996 and “Ali Mohamed Kheir Dawood,” born in 1998 from Al-Hajar Al-Aswad were arrested in 2014 from Al-Dwelaa area in Damascus. Refugee “Mostafa Marawan Hussein,” born in 1989, residents of Masraba, was arrested in 2013 from UNRWA's vocational and technical training center in the Mezzeh area of Damascus.

### **Palestinians of Syria: November 7, 2017 Statistics:**

- The total number of victims documented by the Action Group is 3607, including 462 women
- 1640 Palestinians are locked up behind Syrian government's bars, 105 of which are women



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- Yarmouk refugee camp is under the Syrian regime army and Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine's siege for 1,574 days in a row
- 202 refugees, mainly in Yarmouk Camp, have died due to lack of medical care and malnutrition
- Water supplies have been cut off Deraa Camp for 1311 days, and 1151 days in Yarmouk Camp
- Residents of Handarat Camp, in Aleppo have been banned from their homes for 1,647 days. Government troops have taken over the camp for more than 398 days.
- Approximately 85 thousand Palestinian-Syrian refugees fled to Europe by the end of 2016
- 31 thousand refugees are located in Lebanon
- 17 thousand refugees are sheltered in Jordan
- 6 thousand refugees are in Egypt
- 8 thousand refugees are staying in Turkey
- One thousand refugees are present in Gaza