

## التقرير اليومي الخاص بأوضاع اللاجئين الفلسطينيين في سورية

## Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria

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"Humanitarian Conditions Worsen On the Third Day of Clashes
Inside the Al-Yarmouk"



- Two Palestinians killed in Handarat camp.
- Regime's officers extortionate relatives of detainees for information.
- PRS sufferings aggravate in Qudsayya Town.

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#### **VICTIMS**

The Palestinian refugees "Mohammad Ayman Al-Khatib" and "Jamal Ahmad Mousa" were killed in clashes around Handarat camp of Aleppo.

Both of the victims were conscripted in the pro-regime Al-Quds Brigades and were fighting alongside the regime to restore control on Handarat camp.



#### **RECENT UPDATES**

Drinking water crisis in Al-Yarmouk Camp is aggravating as the clashes continue between ISIS and Al-Nusra Front for the third day.

Both of the fighting parties have imposed curfew, especially in Lubuya, Jaouna, Haifa, Safad, Saffouriya and the 15th streets as all of the mentioned streets are sniped.

Activists demanded both of the fighting parties to cease fire and allow water supply to arrive in that areas.

Few families managed, in great difficulty, to flee the region after rumors about ISIS' intention to break into the Alnusra-controlled Al-Jaouna neighborhood.

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On the other hand, around 6.000 Palestinian families displaced from Al-Yarmouk camp to Qusayya Town are suffering from tough living conditions, these conditions come as a result of the continuing siege imposed by the regime's army months ago.

The regime's army has closed the entrances and exits of the town back and forth, put strict rules on movement of students and employees who need to pass the checkpoints on daily basis.

It is noteworthy that most of the town's inhabitants came from Al-Yarmouk camp in 2012 and 2013 following the bombings and siege.



In a different topic, tens of Palestinian families have been victimized to greed and extortion by regime's officers and officials.

The extortion comes under the pretext of bringing information about Palestinian detainees, place of detention and facilitating family visits for big amounts of money.

Family of the detainee "Ahmad" – nick name- had to pay \$5.000 to an officer who promised to get their son released within few days, they had

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to sell their own house to collect the money. In return, they got nothing but death threats if they speak out.

Another family talked to the AGPS about its experience; they paid \$1.500 to an officer for information about the fate of their detained son. Eventually, the only information they got is that he is not in any of the regime's prisons.

#### Palestinians from Syria in numbers and statistics Until 9 April 2016

- 15,000 Palestinian refugee from Syria in Jordan,
- 6,000 Palestinian refugees from Syria in Egypt, according to the UNRWA's statistics of July 2015.
- More than 71,200 Palestinian refugee from Syria arrived Europe by the end of December 2015.
- Al-Yarmouk Camp: still under the siege imposed by Syrian Regime's Army and the PFLP-GC (Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine General Command for 1029 days. Power cut for 1090 days, water cut for 579 days. The number of victims resulting from the siege is 186.
- Al-Sbeina Camp: Syrian Regime's Army still preventing the residents from returning to their houses for 884 days.
- Handarat Camp: All of its residents have left the camp for 1077 days after the Syrian Opposition Groups controlled it.
- Dara'a Camp: water cut continues for 737 days. 70% of its buildings are destroyed.

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- Jarmana, AL-Saieda Zainab, Al-Raml, Al-Aedein Homs and Al-Aedein camp of Hama: A relatively quiet situation with economic crises.
- Khan Eshieh Camp: All roads linking the camp to the city are still closed back and forth except for Zakia-Khan Eshieh road.