



## التقرير اليومي الخاص بأوضاع اللاجئين الفلسطينيين في سورية

Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria

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*“Clashes between the Residents and the Monopolist Merchants of Yelda Town, and the Palestinians of Europe are getting ready to launch a Solidarity Week with Palestinians of Syria”*



- The suspension of distributing urgent food aids at the Yarmouk Camp for the sixth week.
- The Water Cuts at Daraa Camp for 282 Days Respectively.
- Saving Two Palestinians of Syria Children of Death in Lebanon.
- The AGPS: 14 Palestinian Refugees Died since the Beginning of January 2015 till Now.
- Shelling, then Clashes and Torture, are the Most Prominent Reasons for the Palestinian Refugees' Death in Syria.
- The Palestine Charity Committee Distributes an Amount of Spinach to the besieged people of the Yarmouk Camp.

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## **Europe**

*Palestinians of Europe Conference, in accordance with a big number of Palestinian institutions in the continent, are getting ready to launch a solidarity week with the Palestinians of Syria, to end the Yarmouk siege, within the activities and events that were launched by those institutions during the next 5 months. The solidarity weeks and events will begin starting from next February to show solidarity with the Palestinians of Syria, and to demand ending the Yarmouk siege, starting from Friday, 16th of February till Sunday, 25th of the same month. It is worth mentioning that Palestinians of Europe 13th conference is to be held in the German capital, Berlin.*



## **Recent Updates**

*Violent clashes broke out yesterday in the Yarmouk camp between groups affiliated to the Syrian opposition alongside with the residents and the merchants of Yelda town supported with other groups affiliated to the Syrian opposition. The clashes came after the merchants, and those who support them, monopoly all food supplies and raising its prices for several times, taking advantage of the suffering of the Yarmouk siege imposed by the regular army and groups of the General Command. Therefore, the people of Yarmouk had to engage in a verbal argument with the merchants, which rapidly turned into violent clashes between them, resulted in an injury of a child.*

*The residents complain of the suspension of food aids provided by UNRWA for the sixth week respectively, after the clashes that broke out*



*between the Syrian armed opposition forces and the regular army alongside with the Palestinian groups during the beginning of distributing food aids, in addition to the sniping that targeted the residents and resulted in some victims and injuries, As the conflict parties recriminating and assuming the responsibility to each other, while the result is the suspension of food aids.*



*In the South Syria, the water cuts at Daraa camp for 282 days respectively, forcing people to use artesian wells to try to secure a little bit of water to their children, although this water could be polluted, but it is the only option remaining to them. Meanwhile, the people are suffering of great difficulties in extracting water because of the continuing power outages in the camp, in addition to the scarcity of fuel needed for operating electric generators to provide power for these engines, prompting them to use hand pumps to overcome that problem.*







*On the other hand, the LRC saved two children ( a boy, and a girl), who did not exceeded two years and a half, from the displaced people of the Yarmouk camp in Lebanon, after they were alone in cold near a small room at Koukaba town , Rzshia, south Lebanon, after their mother was transferred to the hospital due to illness.*

*The two children were found in poor condition and trembling of cold, as they were sheltered in a house, before being transported to the hospital after attending the Internal Security Forces, who follow-up their status, and transferred them to Rashia governmental hospital, where they took some medical test upon request of the health minister.*



***The two children found in Lebanon***

*A number of Palestinian activists in Lebanon expressed their anger of the Palestinian factions, the UNRWA, and the Palestinian embassy carelessness towards the Palestinians of Syria in Lebanon, while one of the activists confirmed to our correspondent in Lebanon "that UNRWA, Palestinian factions, and Palestinian embassy did not interact with our suffering and did not give us any legal support, as they do not move until after the occurrence of the problem.*

*On the other hand, monitoring and documentation team of the AGPS announced that "14" Palestinian refugees have died since the beginning of January until today, including "5" refugees died under torture in the Syrian regime's prisons, "3" refugees died due to the siege and the lack of*



*medical care, "3" refugees died during clashes and shelling, and a refugees died while trying to reach the Nordic, where his body was found frozen in a forest while trying to reach Greece. It is mentioned that that his five years daughter accompanied him during the trip, where her father died while holding her to protect her from cold in those woods. Another refugee died after a painful accident while trying to reach Europe through Macedonia by land. The total number of Palestinian victims, documented by the AGPS is "2609" victims.*

*In the same context, the AGPS confirmed and published on its website "actionpal.org.uk" that airstrikes and artillery and mortar shelling, are the first causes that led to the death of (986) Palestinian refugee victims in Syria, , while the armed clashes were the second reason, as it led to the death of (535) victims, while due torture to death in Syrian jails comes in third place, as the AGPS documented the names of(289) Palestinian refugees died under torture in the Syrian prisons.*

### ***Civil Work Committees***

*The Charity Committee for Relief of Palestinian people distributed more than 100 KG of spinach to the besieged residents within its project of planting some spaces in the besieged Yarmouk camp, in an attempt to alleviate the consequences of the strict siege imposed by the SRA and the PF groups.*

*It is mentioned that about 20,000 Palestinian refugees are living under strict siege for 565 days, as 161 refugees died due to the lack of medical care and malnutrition.*

### ***The Palestinian Camps in Syria, Numbers and Statistics till 21/1/2015***

- *At least 27933 Palestinian Syrian refugees have reached Europe during the last 4 years.*
- *2609 Palestinian refugees were documented by the AGPS.*
- ***The Yarmouk Camp:** - Siege, imposed by the Regular Army and PFGC, continued for 565 days respectively. In addition, power cuts continued for more than 645 days, water was cut for 135 days*



respectively. The number of victims due to the siege has reached **161** victims.

- **80,000** Palestinian Syrian refugees escaped from Syria to the neighboring towns, including **14348** refugees in Jordan, **42,000** in Lebanon, according to UNRWA statistics till November 2014.
- **Al Husayneyya Camp:** - Regular Army is still preventing the residents of the camp to return back to their houses for **467** days respectively.
- **Al Sbeina Camp:** - Regular Army is still preventing the residents of the camp to return back to their houses for **436** days respectively.
- **Handarat Camp:** - Residents have left the camp for **638** days after the Syrian Opposition Groups controlled it.
- **Dara'a Camp:** - It is now almost **282** days without water and **70%** of its buildings were demolished.
- **Jermana, AL SaiedaZainab, Al Raml, Al AedeinCamps in Homs and Hamma:** - A relatively quiet situation in light of the economic crises.
- **Khan Al Sheih Camp:** - Roads linking the camp to the city center are still closed except for Zakia- Khan Al Sheih road.