



## التقرير اليومي الخاص بأوضاع اللاجئين الفلسطينيين في سورية

Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria

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### *"Over 76 Palestinian Children Killed by Shelling, Blockade on Yarmouk Camp"*



- PLA fighter killed in Rural Damascus
- Sporadic clashes flare up in Damascus-based Yarmouk Camp
- Resident of Khan Al-Sheih Camp released from Syrian lock-up
- Palestinians of Syria grappling with temperature nosedive in Lebanon

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### **Victims**

*Palestinian refugee Mohamed Ali Rahma, a resident of al-Neirab Camp in Aleppo, was killed while fighting alongside the pro-government Palestine Liberation Army (PLA) and the Syrian opposition outfits in the Rural Damascus town of Adra.*



*Mohamed's death brings the number of PLA casualties in war-torn Syrian to 193.*

### **Latest Developments**

*AGPS kept record of the death of 76 Palestinian refugee children due to the unabated shelling and the tough blockade on the Yarmouk Camp, in Damascus province.*





*AGPS team estimates the real number of casualties to be much higher. Hindrances encountered in the documentation process included difficulties in recording the age of all the casualties due to the simmering tension and unabated shelling on and around Palestinian refugee camps in Syria.*

*Meanwhile, the death toll among Yarmouk residents has hit 1,277, including 185 casualties who died as a result of undernourishment and medical neglect in the blockaded shelter.*

*On Tuesday, sporadic clashes rocked the outer edges of Yarmouk Camp as heavy machinegun fire targeted ISIS militias deployed in the camp.*

*Those who have remained in the shelter have been subjected to abject living conditions due to the tough blockade slapped by the Syrian regime troops and the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine-General Command (PFLP-GC). The situation has gone far worse after ISIS militias broke into the camp in early April.*



*In another development, the Palestinian-Syrian refugee Abd Muhammad Awad Eid, a resident of Khan Al-Sheih Camp, was released from Syrian penitentiaries, where he had been locked up for over 36 days.*





*The newly-released refugee was kidnapped on November 15, 2016 at a government-led checkpoint in Jdeidat Artouz, in Damascus Suburbs.*

*AGPS documented the incarceration of 1,135 Palestinian refugees in Syrian government jails since the outburst of deadly hostilities in Syria.*

*Along the same line, Palestinian-Syrian refugees in Lebanon have sounded distress signals over the swift nosedive in weather temperatures, along with the chronic power blackouts rocking the Lebanese territories.*

*The situation has sharply gone down due to the price-hike and shortage in fuel supplies.*

*Palestinian Syrian refugees in Lebanon have also been housed in under-equipped shelters, makeshift tents, and warehouses that have long been deemed by human rights watchdogs uninhabitable, to say the least.*

### ***Palestinians of Syria: December 21, 2016 Statistics:***

- *At least 3,411 Palestinians, including 455 women, were killed in war-torn Syria.*
- *1,135 Palestinian refugees, including 80 women, are incarcerated in Syrian government lock-ups.*
- *Yarmouk refugee camp has been blockaded by the Syrian regime army and Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine - General Command (PFLP-GC) for 1,281 days in a row.*
- *192 Palestinians died of undernourishment and medical neglect in the blockaded Yarmouk Camp.*



- *Water supplies cut off in Deraa and Yarmouk camps respectively for 985 and 801 days.*
- *Residents of Handarat Camp, in Aleppo, denied access to their homes for 1,327 days. Government battalions have been holding sway over the camp for more than 633 days.*
- *Government troops ban residents of Al-Sbiena Camp from returning to their homes for 1,135 days running.*
- *Over 79,000 Palestinian Syrian refugees fled to Europe until mid 2016.*
- *31,000 Palestinians are housed in Lebanon.*
- *17 Palestinians are taking refuge in Jordan.*
- *6,000 Palestinian-Syrian refugees are sheltered in Egypt.*
- *8,000 Palestinian-Syrian refugees are taking shelter in Turkey.*
- *1,000 Palestinian-Syrian refugees are sheltered in the blockaded Gaza Strip.*