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Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria

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"Lebanon Refuses to Enroll the Palestinian Syrian Students to the Official Exams"



- Two Refugees from Yarmouk were identified within the Leaked Pictures of the Torture Victims in the Syrian Prisons.
- Fatah Movement Mourns One of its Members in Syria, and a Palestinian Refugee Dies at Busra Town Near Daraa.
- The Siege is still Continue on the Yarmouk camp amid the Water Cut for about 7 Months.
- Severely Dangerous Humanitarian Crises at Daraa Camp South of Syria.

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Victims

The pictures of the two young men "Nidal Al Haj Ali" and "Mahmoud Hasan Zaghmout" were found within the leaked pictures of the torture victims in the Syrian prisons. The two young men died due to torture in the Syria Security branches, and they are from the besieged Yarmouk camp.

Meanwhile, Fatah movement mourns the young man "Naser Ali Alawi," 31 years, who died while he was fighting alongside with the Palestinian National Committees affiliated to the Syrian Regime. The young man is from Al Sayeda Zainab camp in Damascus suburb.



Nidal Al Haj Ali

The Palestinian refugee "Muhanna Al Seidi," Abu Fadi also died due to the ongoing clashes at Busra town near Daraa city and he is from al Muzaireeb town in Daraa governorate.

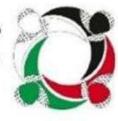
Recent Updates

The Ministry of Education and Higher Education in Lebanon refused to enroll the Palestinian Syrian students to the official exams in the pretext of not having a regular stays in Lebanon.

This comes amid news about that the Lebanese General Security refused to renew the residency permits for many Palestinians who fled from Syria to Lebanon, where they were informed that they must leave Lebanon.

For their part, the Palestinian Syrian refugees in Lebanon renewed their demanding to the Lebanese official authorities, the Palestinian Embassy in Lebanon, the PLO, and the Palestinian factions to work to solve the problem faced by their children in each academic year.

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It is worth mentioning that the Palestinians of Syria in Lebanon suffer from many legal and living problems, such as residencies, high cost of living, and the lack of employment opportunities.

Moreover, they are treated according to volatile policies especially by the public security, sometimes they issue a decision to renew residency for two or three months and when the Palestinian refugees apply for it, it may takes one or two months, as the refugees receive it they find that the period granted to them is nearing to end.

It is noteworthy that the number of Palestinian refugees from Syria amounted to about 51.4 thousand refugees, 45% of them children, distributed in several areas of Lebanon, especially the originally overcrowded camps.

On the other hand, the siege imposed on the Yarmouk camp in Damascus by the regular army and PFGC groups, that is besieged about 20 thousand civilians, is still continue for (624) days, power cut for (704)

days, and water cut for (194) days. Meanwhile, (172) refugees from the camp died due to the lack of nutrition and medical care because of the siege.

In Daraa, the frequent shelling and sniping that targeted Daraa camp southern Syria since the beginning of the war, have led to the destruction of nearly (70%) of the camp's buildings. The rest of the refugees inside the camp are living in a

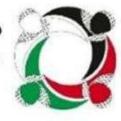


Daraa camp

severely dangerous humanitarian crises, most permanent is health and living aspects.

In terms of health aspect, there is no hospital or medical center in the camp, in addition to the severe shortage of medicine medical materials and equipment for first aid, in addition to the lack of ambulances to transport the injured to receive treatment outside the camp. However, the sniper of the regular army impede the arrival of ambulances, and when

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the residents manage to transfer a patient outside the camp, Jordan refuses the entry of any Palestinian refugees from Syria even the injuries.

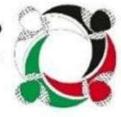
In front of this deteriorated health situation a number of activists inside the camp warned of the spread of disease among the people, especially with having to use contaminated drinking water, due to the lack of drinking water at the camp since about 341 days.

In the living side, the people of Daraa camp suffers from blackouts for long periods of up to several days, also suffer from the lack of fuels and heating materials, in addition to the loss of many varieties of food, and the high prices of other materials dramatically. It is worth mentioning that the repeated bombing and the difficult living conditions forced hundreds of Palestinian families from the camp's residents to seek refuge in neighboring towns.

Numbers and Statistics till 22/3/2015

- At least 27933 Palestinian Syrian refugees have reached Europe during the last 4 years.
- The Yarmouk Camp: Siege, imposed by the Regular Army and PFGC, continued for 624 days respectively. In addition, power cuts continued for more than 704 days, water was cut for 194 days respectively. The number of victims due to the siege has reached to 172 victims.
- 80,000 Palestinian Syrian refugees escaped from Syria to the neighboring towns, including 10,687 refugees in Jordan, 51,300 in Lebanon and 6,000 refugees in Egypt, according to UNRWA statistics till February 2015.
- Al Husayneyya Camp: Regular Army is still preventing the residents of the camp to return back to their houses for 526 days respectively.
- Al Sheina Camp: Regular Army is still preventing the residents of the camp to return back to their houses for 495 days respectively.
- Handarat Camp: Residents have left the camp for 697 days after the Syrian Opposition Groups controlled it.
- Dara'a Camp: It is now almost 341 days without water and 70% of its buildings were demolished.

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- Jermana, AL SaiedaZAinab, Al Raml, Al Aedein Camps 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.