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"PLA troops cordon off Khan Al-Sheih Camp as Ambulances Evacuate Wounded Refugees"



- **Blockaded Yarmouk Camp sustains serious damage in renewed onslaughts**
- **Medical delegation provides checks up for Palestinians of Syria in Lebanon**
- **Saudi Arabia contributes \$1 million for food assistance for Palestinians of Syria**

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Latest Developments

Reporting from Khan Al-Sheih Camp for Palestinian refugees, in Rural Damascus, AGPS news correspondent said ambulances evacuated the injured civilians to Damascus hospitals so as to be urgently treated for wounds inflicted by recent offensives on the camp.

The move comes after Syrian troops deployed at government checkpoints denied medics, paramedics, and ambulances access out of and into the camp for nearly three months.



Meanwhile, heavily-armed battalions from the Palestine Liberation Army (PLA) have been deployed in and around the camp.

Recently, over 2,000 civilians and activists were forced out of the camp as part of an accord struck between the regime troops and the opposition outfits.

At the same time, a couple of days earlier, the Syrian government forces and their war partners struck the main entrance to the blockaded



Yarmouk Camp, precisely the Al-Thalatheen Street, with a round of missiles, razing several civilian structures and homes to the ground.

Videos and live snapshots propagated on social media networks bear witness to the material damage inflicted by the offensive. Government fighters also figure as launching rockets and mortar shells from the rooftops of civilian homes.

The targeted area has been controlled by Fatah Al-Sham quads. ISIS militias have also tightened grip on the area, particularly on Al-Rija, Ein Ghazal, and Haifa Street, in Yarmouk.

The camp has been blockaded by the government army and the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine (PFLP)-General Command for 1,270 days running. Power and water supplies to the camp have also been cut off respectively for 1,329 and 790 days.



In another development, the Syrian American Medical Society Foundation (SAMS), in partnership with MABS organization, announced the launch of its medical program for the displaced Palestinians of Syria in Lebanon.



Sick refugees diagnosed with cardiovascular diseases, vision disorders, urinary and blood problems, tumors, and infections are expected to undergo checks up.

Patients can register online to benefit from the medical mission or submit their applications in SAMS centers in Tripoli, Akkar, Arsal, and Bekaa.

The Association of Humanitarian Cooperation in Lebanon also announced Friday, December 9, 2016, a free medical day in Sidon clinics for children and for refugees diagnosed with diabetes, digestive disorders, and blood-related diseases, including anemia, leukemia, and thalassemia.

According to unofficial data, 33,000 Palestinian-Syrian refugees are taking shelter in Lebanon.



In a related development, the King Salman Center for Humanitarian Aid and Relief (KSRelief) has contributed US\$ 1 million to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East (UNRWA) to help provide urgently needed food assistance to Palestine refugees in Syria.



“I would like to express my deepest gratitude to the King Salman Center for Humanitarian Aid and Relief for this generous contribution. It will help ensure that Palestine refugees affected by the devastating conflict in Syria feel they are not forgotten, particularly as the harsh winter months approach,” said UNRWA Commissioner-General Pierre Krähenbühl.

“We are deeply encouraged by this promising new agreement with the Centre, as well as by our continued partnership with the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. It has enabled us to provide critical services to Palestine refugees across the region, including in times of emergencies,” he further stated.

Since the outbreak of the Syrian conflict, UNRWA schools and structures in such refugee camps as Yarmouk, Khan Al-Sheih, Deraa, and Handarat, have been hit with deadly military onslaughts, killing several refugees and leaving hundreds of others severely wounded. The latest such onslaughts targeted the UNRWA-run Beer Al-Sabe' School.

Palestinians of Syria: December 09, 2016 Statistics:

- *There are 15,500 Palestinian-Syrian refugees in Jordan.*
- *42,500 Palestinian-Syrian refugees are in Lebanon.*
- *6,000 Palestinian-Syrian refugees are sheltered in Egypt, according to UNRWA figures covering the period from July 2015 backwards.*
- *8,000 Palestinian-Syrian refugees are taking shelter in Turkey.*
- *1,000 Palestinian-Syrian refugees reside in the blockaded Gaza Strip.*



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- *Over 79,000 Palestinian Syrian refugees fled to Europe until mid 2016.*
- *Yarmouk refugee camp has been blockaded by the Syrian regime army and Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine - General Command (PFLP-GC) for 1,270 days in a row. Electricity and water supplies have been cut off, respectively, for 1,329 days and 790 days. The number of those killed due to the blockade has hit 191.*
- *Sbiena refugee camp: Refugees could not go back to their homes as a result of the blockade slapped by the Syrian regime forces since 1,123 days running.*
- *Handarat refugee camp: All refugees left the camp since 1,315 days after opposition outfits grabbed hold of the area.*
- *Deraa refugee camp: Water has been cut off for 973 consecutive days while 70% of its buildings have been knocked down.*
- *Homs camp, Hama camp, Jaramana camp, al-Sayda Zeinab camp, Al-Raml camp: A of State of relative calm has been reported in the abovementioned areas. However, economic crises have been on the rise.*