

Issued:**#: 100/2023****Date: Oct 25th 2023****PRCS Report Update****From Saturday, October 7, 2023, at 06:00 AM****Until Wednesday, October 25th, 2023, at 24:00**

According to PRCS's president announcement, PRCS declared a state of emergency at the highest level in both Gaza Strip and the West Bank where the national society operates to fullest humanitarian and resource capacity for the 19th day on the row.

Latest Update:**Gaza Strip:**

- Due to the increasing number of casualties and martyrs as a result of Israeli targeting in Khan Younis, a medical tent (**triage for the injured**) was set up in front of the emergency entrance of Al-Amal hospital this evening.
- The ministry of health announced today a complete collapse of healthcare services in all hospitals in the southern governorates due to the ongoing targeting of all aspects of life in the Gaza Strip.
- Al-Quds hospital continues to provide its services to the wounded, injured, and displaced individuals out of its national and humanitarian duty, despite the Israeli occupation's threat to evacuate the hospital and the intense targeting and bombardment of the surrounding area and its main headquarters.
- The fuel for Gaza's sole power plant has run out, along with the closure of the Rafah crossing border, and the suspension of fuel supplies, and the interruption of water. This portends a humanitarian crisis that is affecting the vital sectors, particularly the health, water, and environment sectors.
- The Israeli occupation forces continue their intense airstrikes across the strip, targeting towers, industrial and vital facilities, residential buildings with their inhabitants' mosques, churches, main streets, and civilian population in various southern governorates. This has resulted in a significant number of casualties, mostly among children and women, and intensive infrastructure damage, in addition to civilians being displaced in search of safety.
- The numbers of casualties among healthcare workers has reached 73 martyrs, including doctors, paramedics, and nurses, up to this moment.
- The officials have received 1600 notification of missing individuals under the rubble, including 900 are children.
- According to the MoH officials in Gaza 57 health centers are out of service as a result to the constant targeting from the occupation forces, in addition to running out of medicine, medical consumables, supplied, medical equipment, fuel and 25 EMS ambulances are out of service.



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- The MOH confirmed that the number of casualties in Gaza Strip increased after the Al Mamdani hospital massacre, where the number of martyrs during the past 48 hours reached 900 martyrs, a large number of them in the southern governorates of Gaza to which the occupation asked the population to displace.

Escalation statistics:

Statistics on emergency events until 25.10.2023 at 24:00					
Statistics of cases PRCS dealt with					
Martyrs	Injuries	Total	Al Quds Hospital	Al Amal Hospital	Total
2187	6597	8784	878	745	1623
Official Statistics till 15:00					
Martyrs	Injuries	Total	Total demolition	Schools attack	Partial damage
6546	17439	23985	28,000	177	183000
Martyr: 2704 children, 1584 women, 364 elderlies.			These statistics remain preliminary due to the unfortunate fact that the numbers may increase from the missing people under the rubble.		

West Bank & Jerusalem:

PRCS's emergency teams in all West Bank governorates, including Jerusalem, have dealt with (37) fatalities and (1922) injuries since Saturday, October 7th 2023, up to Wednesday, October 25th 2023 at 24:00 AM. The PRCS teams in the West Bank and Jerusalem governorate dealt with (81) injuries on Wednesday (2) of them are martyry, October 25, 2023."

Violations against PRCS services:

Governorate	martyrs	Live bullets/ Field intervention	Rubber bullets/ Transferred to hospital	Gaz inhalation / Field intervention	Shrapnel's/ Transferred to hospital	Shrapnel's/ Field intervention	Fall & Burns Transferred to hospital	Physical violence-transfer	Physical violence- Field
Jenin	1	1			1	1	1		
Nablus								1	1
Hebron								2	
Tubas			5	7			4		
Jerusalem	1	2	2						1
Bethlehem		2		38		8			
Tukaram		1			1				

Gaza Strip: Since the beginning of the Israeli military attack on the Gaza Strip and the declaration of the state of war on October 7th 2023, (19) violations against the teams and PRCS's premises have been recorded. These violations resulted to the martyrdom of (4) paramedics, the injury of (5) paramedics, damage to (10) ambulances, and significant damage to the NS HQ in the northern Gaza Strip, as well as damage to the emergency operations room.

The emergency ambulance service hotline 101 is experiencing frequent disruptions due to repeated Israeli airstrikes in the vicinity of the Society ambulance headquarters and centers. This has posed a significant challenge in responding to distress calls.

The communication channels for the ambulance service within the Society and VHF radio waves are constantly subjected to deliberate interference by the occupying forces. They intentionally make calls, use offensive language in Hebrew, and occupy the lines for extended periods to disrupt the ambulance service

West Bank: Since Saturday, October 7th, 2023, the Palestine Red Crescent Society- PRCS teams have faced numerous challenges and violations, with (65) documented violation incidents.

Occupied Jerusalem: Since Saturday, October 7th, 2023, the Palestine Red Crescent Society- PRCS teams have also encountered several challenges and violations, with (3) violation incidents documented.

The displacement of citizens in Gaza Strip:

- Since the beginning of the escalation, PRCS's HQ, Al-Quds hospital, Khan Yunis branch, and Al-Amal hospital have witnessed the displacement of thousands of citizens seeking refuge. This is due to the continued threats by the Israeli occupation forces to target civilian homes. The two HQs are experiencing extreme overcrowding beyond their capacity, with hundreds of displaced individuals sleeping at the entrance of the facilities, administrative offices, and patient rooms. The estimated number of displaced citizens at the PRCS's premises in Gaza and Khan Yunis is over 13000, with 9000 in Gaza HQ, and 4000 in Khan Yunis branch. This increase in the number of displaced individuals is due to the escalating Israeli threats, with the latest displacement of more than 2000 citizens due to ongoing attacks and the destruction of homes in Tel Al-Hawa neighborhood near the hospital. It's worth noting that there is an increase in the number of displaced individuals at by around 1000 compared to daytime.
- A significant number of citizens have been displaced from border area in the governorates to the middle cities, either to shelter centers or with host families. UNRWA announced that its centers have received more than 400,000 displaced individuals. Furthermore, official sources have reported an increase in the number of displaced individuals to over 1.4 million in various areas.
- Israeli targeting has also affected schools, with the occupation taking 19 schools out of service due to severe damage. Furthermore, 160 schools have suffered varying degrees of damage, exacerbating the suffering and overcrowding of the displaced individuals in shelter centers.

Disaster Risk Management Interventions:



Gaza strip: due to the threats from

occupying forces to target civilians, the provision of immediate field relief services in the governorates of Gaza and North Gaza was impeded. Relief services were limited to providing assistance to internally displaced persons at PRCS's premises (Al-Nour city and Al-Amal city), the hospitals, and shelter centers.

Disaster Risk Management distributed non-food relief items as follow:

Baby drinking bottle	Hy gel	chocolate	Small juice	Large juice	Date	Water carton	Tuna can	Baby food	Pasta box	milk	Children biscuits	Hygiene kits	Pillow	carpet	Food parcel	Cooking gas	Diapers	Water bucket	Water gallon	Kitchen sets	Hygiene kits	Blanket	Mattress	Individual	Beneficiary families	Governorate
												40		35					51	40	7	198	198	293	52	Gaza
																			38	25	0	126	67	185	32	Central
																		64	1	45	44	140	90	245	45	Khan Yunis
																		24	15	34	0	132	70	225	33	Rafah
												60	49	15	1375	1	3		133	12	0	1894	1499	18532	3370	Al Amal & Al Quds Hospitals
2000	2750	664	571	1278	20000	1051	100	2000	157	13704	1760				17811				5632	0	4	8803	4466	167227	30405	Shelters
2000	2750	761	666	1278	20000	1051	100	2000	157	13704	1760	100	49	50	19186	1	3	88	5870	156	55	11293	6390	186707	33937	Total

During the day, the Scociety distributed the following:

1. 1051 cartons of water to the Ministry of Health hospitals in the southern governorates as part of aid coming through the Rafah border crossing.
2. 1278 cartons of 1-liter juice, 571 cartons of children's juice, 664 cartons of chocolate milk, and 2750 hand sanitizer bottles to the Ministry of Social Development for distribution to displacement centers in Gaza and North Gaza.
3. 20,000 cartons of dates and 100 cartons of tuna to the Ministry of Social Development for distribution to displacement centers in Gaza City and North Gaza.
4. 2760 cans of baby milk to the Ministry of Social Development for distribution to displacement centers in Gaza City and North Gaza.
5. 872 food parcels and 157 cartons of pasta for displacement centers in the Nuseirat area and Al-Bureij in partnership with the Ministry of Social Development.
6. 1375 food parcels distributed to displaced individuals in Gaza City and the Al-amal Hospital.
7. 100 cartons of children's juice and 100 cartons of chocolate milk for children and the elderly in Jerusalem Hospital.

The Society also received food aid and hygiene kits from partner today:

1. 1000 health hygiene kits from the KIR Foundation supplied to Al-Quds Hospital.
2. 900 health hygiene kits from Qatari Red Crescent supplied to Al-Quds Hospital, with an additional 1100 hygiene kits yet to be supplied.
3. 2760 cans of baby milk from the Relief of Palestinian Children organization.
4. 2278 cartons of 1-liter juice, 1571 cartons of children's juice, 1500 cartons of chocolate milk, and 5500 hand sanitizer bottles from the Relief of Palestinian Children organization.
5. 20,000 cartons of dates and 100 cartons of tuna from the Relief of Palestinian Children organization.

West Bank and Jerusalem:

The disaster risk management provided relief items to Gaza workers who were relocated by occupying forces from their workplaces in the occupied territories to the West Bank governorates, Ramallah and Al-Bireh, Tubas, Qalqiliya, Nablus, Jerusalem and Jenin. Relief items included mattresses, blankets, hygiene kits, kitchen kits, and towels for a total of 405 individuals.

Community Awareness Committees Interventions:

Gaza Strip: since the beginning of the escalation, PRCS's teams have been providing support to 58,618 beneficiaries.

Conducted an awareness session for both genders among the displaced individuals at PRCS's branch in Khan Yunis, the session included personal hygiene, water, and sanitation topics. Where 285 people were reached by the session.

Psychological Health Interventions:

Gaza strip: the psychological intervention teams continue to provide initial psychological first aid to the emergency medical teams working in the ongoing events. This service has benefited 4386 individuals.

West Bank: the psychosocial health department provided its services to 'Gaza workers who were relocated by occupying forces to West Bank governorates'. The total number of beneficiaries in shelter centers was 2966. Additionally, daily informational material was funded on social media platforms, with a total of 59151, which included:

- Dissemination of informative message.
- Provision of initial psychosocial first aid.
- Social and psychological support during times of war and crises.
- Supply of assistive devices through the rehabilitation department.
- Daily guidance posts on social media platforms.

Youth and volunteers' contributions:

Gaza Strip: Volunteers have been actively working since the moment of Society declared a state of emergency, responding to work in all the Society's facilities. The operational capacity of the volunteers on this day reached (146) volunteers.



N	Branch	First Responder	Media	Hospital	Logistic Warehouses	National Team	Volunteer Coordinator	Volunteers at the Crossing	Employees in the Department"
1	Northern Gaza	10	1	–	–	–	1		–
2	Gaza	10	1	17	13		1	5	2
3	Central	10	1	–	26	–	1		–
4	Khan Yunis	10	1	8	30	–	1		–
5	Rafah	10	1	–	–	–	1	10	–
Total		50	5	25	69		5	15	2
Total		146							

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