



Situation Report #42: Occupied Palestine

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The Government Communication Center at the Prime Minister's Office issues the Situation Report once a week in English, Arabic, Spanish, and French. The next Situation Report will be issued on 7 July 2025.

Key Developments

DAY 633: ISRAEL'S ONGOING GENOCIDE AGAINST GAZA

While weaponizing starvation and thirst, Israel, the occupying Power, continues to bombard the Gaza Strip by air, land, and sea. This has led to hundreds of casualties, ongoing destruction of civilian infrastructure, and widespread displacement of the population. Testimonies of Israeli soldiers and officers, published in the Israeli newspaper [Haaretz](#) during the past week, revealed that they were ordered to kill starving Palestinian civilians who attempted to obtain humanitarian aid at the distribution centers of the Gaza "Humanitarian" foundation, even though these civilians did not pose a threat. The testimonies indicate a systematic policy of repressive use of artillery, snipers, and shells against civilian crowds searching for food aid, which has so far resulted in the [killing of 583 Palestinians and the injury of more than 4,186 others](#). Moreover, due to the blockade and severe fuel shortages, Gaza's vital services such as health, water, and sanitation are on the verge of collapse. According to the [latest reports](#), only 40% of Gaza's drinking water production facilities are functioning, leaving [93% of households water-insecure](#). Palestinians in Gaza also remain confined to "[ever-shrinking spaces](#)," with 82.6% of the Gaza Strip currently designated as an Israeli military zone or under displacement orders. Between 18 March and 24 June, over 684,000 Palestinians in the Gaza Strip were displaced.

MALNUTRITION RATES AMONG CHILDREN IN GAZA CONTINUE TO RISE

The malnutrition crisis among children in Gaza is worsening rapidly. From January to 15 June 2025, [UN reports](#) show that 18,809 children under five were hospitalized for acute malnutrition, including 2,558 with severe, life-threatening cases. Since the start of the year, an average of 112 cases has been recorded daily, highlighting the severe decline in humanitarian conditions. Just 20 months ago, such cases were nonexistent. With the continued blockade, food shortages, crossing closures, and bans on importing baby formula and nutritional supplements, particularly affecting infants and the sick, the death toll of children in Gaza due to hunger and malnutrition has reached 66, according to [medical sources](#).



ISRAELI SETTLERS' TERROR ATTACK ON KAFR MALIK

At 7:40 PM on 25 June, a group of [armed Israeli settlers stormed the village of Kafr Malik](#), setting fire to 10 civilian vehicles. They also fired on Palestinian civilians defending the village, killing three and wounding ten others. About two hours later, the Israeli occupation forces (IOF) intervened to protect the settlers and used tear gas, stun grenades, and live ammunition against Palestinian civilians. They also shot at a Palestinian military liaison patrol in the village, injuring two personnel and causing property damage. Three Palestinians from Kafr Malik were killed: Mohammad Al-Naji (20), Lutfi Tarshan (22), and Murshid Hamayel (35). Two days before this attack, the [IOF shot 13-year-old Ammar Hamayel from Kafr Malik](#), detaining him briefly before handing him over to a Palestinian ambulance.

IN 10 DAYS, IOF TOOK OVER 243 PALESTINIAN HOMES / DISPLACED 1,300 CIVILIANS

IOF military assaults in the West Bank have increased, with more [Palestinian buildings being taken over and converted into temporary military barracks and interrogation centers](#). Between 13 and 23 June, [UNOCHA](#) documented at least 32 incidents involving the takeover of 243 Palestinian homes and a school rooftop, for durations spanning from hours to days. In most cases, residents were forcibly evacuated, only to return after the IOF soldiers left to find their homes destroyed. Consequently, during the reporting period, at least 1,300 Palestinians were displaced in Hebron, Ramallah, Tubas, Nablus, Tulkarem, and Jenin, which recorded the highest number of displaced people (785).

ISRAELI COLONIAL INSTALLATION STEALS PALESTINIAN LANDS IN KAFR QADDUM

The Israeli occupation authorities have expanded a recently established colonial installation (outpost) on lands belonging to the Palestinian village of Kafr Qaddum, east of Qalqilya. [Murad Shteivi, director of the Colonization and Wall Resistance Commission in the northern West Bank](#), reported that the occupation authorities had transported 12 mobile homes to this colonial installation, which houses ten settler families. He explained that the occupation began leveling and paving a settlement road in the area six months ago, razing about ten dunams of land. This newly established colonial installation, named "Gideon Neighborhood" and considered part of the "Kedumim" settlement, will isolate lands with thousands of dunams of olive trees and deprive their Palestinian owners of access and cultivation.

ISRAEL'S CONTINUED AGGRESSION AGAINST THE NORTHERN WEST BANK

The occupation's aggression has persisted for 161 days against Jenin and its refugee camp, 155 days against Tulkarem and its refugee camp, and 142 days against the Nour Shams refugee camp. Since January this year, according to local reports in [Jenin](#) and [Tulkarem](#), the IOF has entirely destroyed over 1000 homes across those three refugee camps.



Summary

Figure 1: Gaza Strip (Since 7 October 2023)

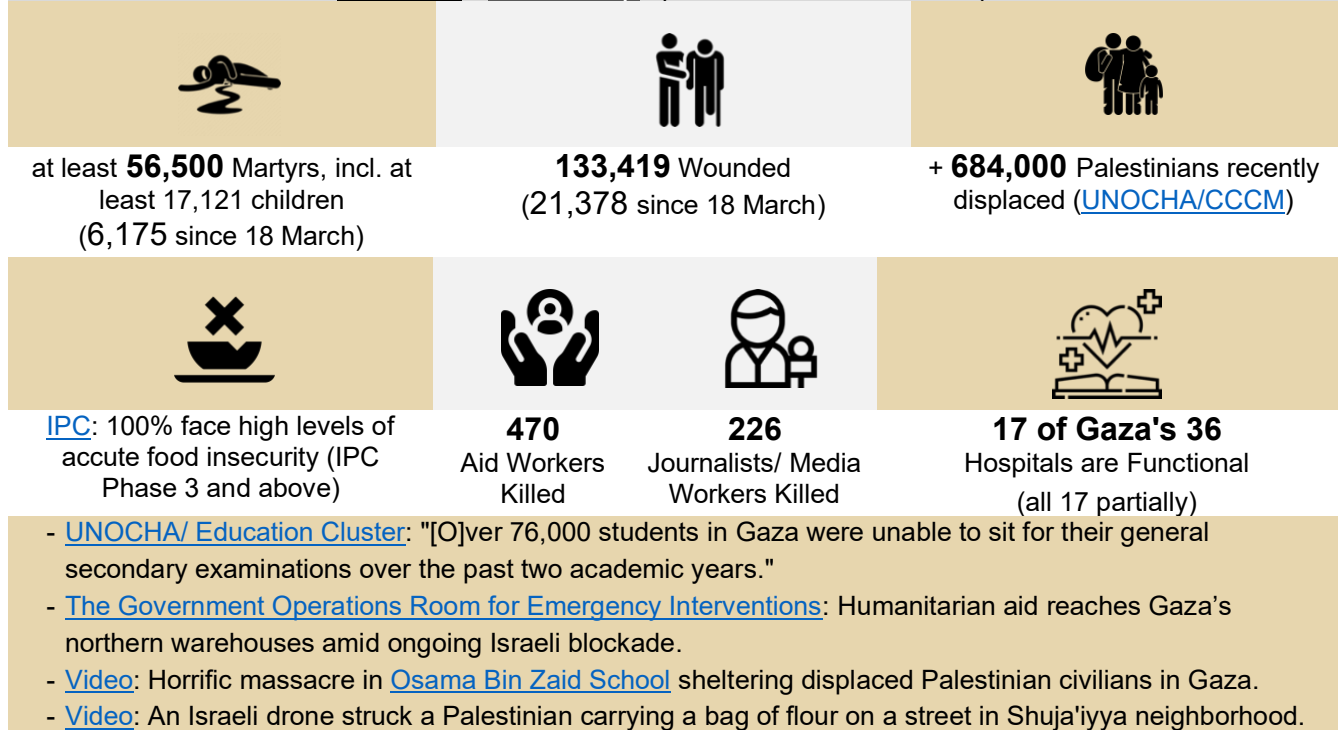
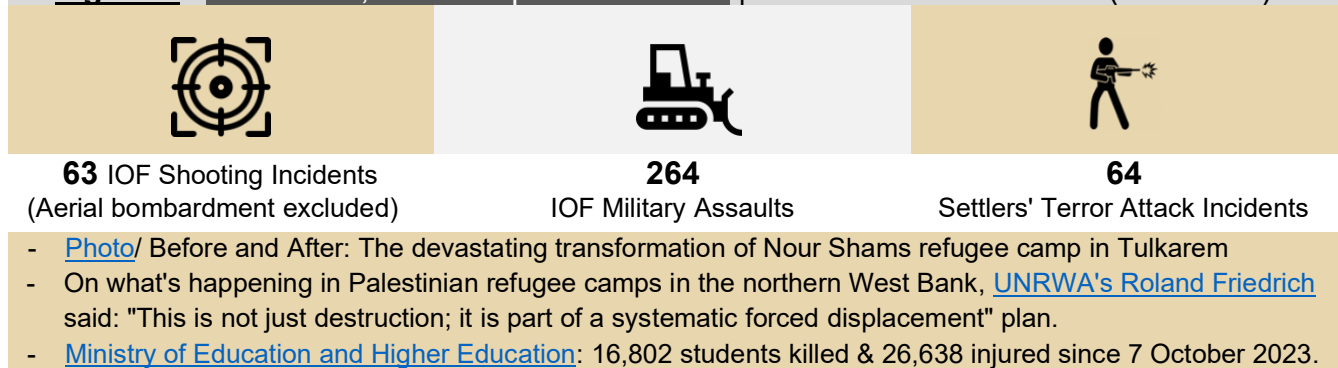


Figure 2: West Bank, incl. occupied Jerusalem (Since 7 October 2023)



Figure 3: West Bank, incl. occupied Jerusalem | 23 June – 29 June 2025 (until 8 AM)



Sources: Ministry of Health, [Wafa](#), [UNOCHA](#), [NAD's Palestinian Monitoring Group](#), [Palestinian Prisoners' Society](#), [Palestinian Journalists Syndicate](#)



In Focus

On the United Nations International Day in Support of Victims of Torture, observed each year on 26 June, the prisoners' institutions, [the Commission of Detainees and Ex-Detainees Affairs](#), [the Palestinian Prisoner's Society](#), and [Addameer Prisoner Support and Human Rights Association](#), stated that the Israeli occupation regime continues to escalate its systematic use of torture and crimes against Palestinian prisoners and detainees in prisons and detention camps, which have become sites of torture. The institutions added that Israel's genocide against the Palestinian people marked a turning point in assessing the scale of crimes and the serious repercussions of its widespread use, which resulted in the martyrdom of dozens of prisoners and detainees, making this phase the bloodiest in the history of the prisoners' movement. The institutions highlighted numerous detainees' testimonies that demonstrate various methods of psychological and physical torture, particularly the testimonies of detainees from Gaza, due to the atrocities they entailed, especially in the occupation army camps, which detainees described as "hell," "slaughterhouses," and "one of the gates of hell." Among the most infamous of these sites is the "Sde Teiman" detention camp, where dozens were martyred, and where cases of amputation without anesthesia and rape crimes were documented. Other prisons include "Negev," "Megiddo," "Gilboa," and "Ofer," in addition to detention centers and field camps in Gaza, which have witnessed torture crimes, field executions, and the use of detainees as human shields.

Government Updates

- During the [Cabinet's weekly meeting](#) last Tuesday, Prime Minister Dr. Mohammad Mustafa reaffirmed the Government's continued efforts to mobilize financial resources across four key tracks: advancing the European support program, engaging with Arab countries to resume financial assistance and activate the financial safety package, working to release Palestinian funds illegally withheld by the Israeli occupation, and enhancing internal fiscal performance. During the meeting, the Cabinet approved the 2025–2027 Strategic Plan of the Palestinian Energy and Natural Resources Authority.
- The [Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Expatriates](#) urged the international community to fulfill its legal and moral responsibilities under international law and relevant UN resolutions, especially Security Council Resolution 2334, by implementing deterrent measures to stop the crimes committed by Israeli settler militias against unarmed Palestinian civilians. The Ministry emphasized that the recent coordinated attacks by armed settler groups on Palestinian towns and villages clearly show a divided and organized effort between these settler militias and the Israeli occupation forces.