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Palestine Red Crescent Society: Response Report**As of Saturday, October 7th 2023, 6:00 PM****Until Tuesday, November 21st 2023, 24:00 AM**

Palestine Red Crescent Society teams are still responding to the developments on the ground in both Gaza Strip and the West Bank, where the operations are carried out 24/7, For the 44 day in a row.

The following information in this report is the maximum which our crews were able to collect from direct follow-ups and different sources due to the complete loss of telecommunications and the great difficulty in reaching the sources of information.

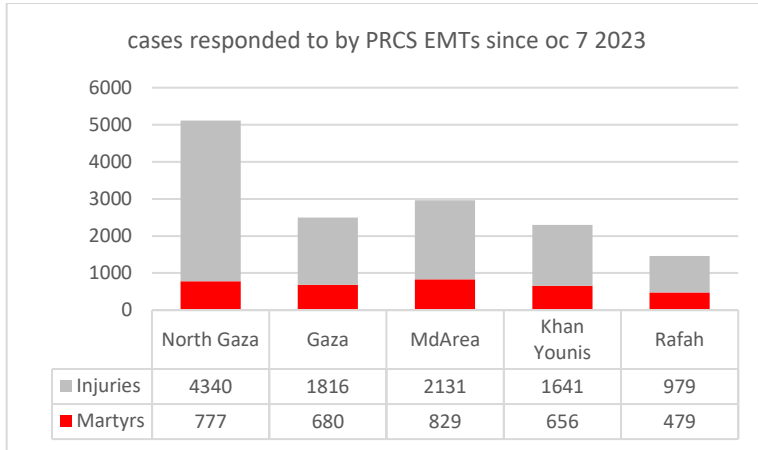
Latest Updates:**Gaza Strip:**

- This afternoon (November 21st, 2023), the Israeli Occupation's artillery has directly targeted and struck the third and fourth floors of Al-Awdeh Hospital north of Gaza, leading to the complete destruction of said floors and to the martyrdom of 3 of the hospital's doctors along with 1 displaced person seeking refuge in the hospital.
- PRCS ambulance crew has been fully evacuated from Gaza after its siege in Gaza Field Hospital where it was prevented from performing its medical services and from responding to calls for humanitarian relief. In light of this, PRCS services in Gaza have come to a halt; meanwhile, the ambulance crews of Northern Gaza remain operational in spite of the challenging circumstances and dangers they face.
- All hospitals in Gaza are out of service including Al-Shifa and Al-Quds Hospitals due to the Israeli Occupation's siege and ban on medical services. The crews and patients have also been forced into displacement towards the south, increasing the size of the disaster in north of Wadi Gaza, precluding hundreds of victims due to the halt of first aid and medical services to the wounded.
- The Israeli Occupation forces continue to penetrate into various central regions in Gaza and the north, separating the north of the Strip from the south. This increases the challenges faced by operating crews as the Israeli Occupation prevents ambulance vehicles from moving within the areas being penetrated and directly targets anyone moving there.
- The Ministry of Health confirms that the occupation forces deliberately target medical personnel and crews, which led to the loss of (205) medical personal lives, (22) from the rescue team members and the wreckage of (55) ambulances that are now un-operable.
- Based on official data, 62 journalists have been directly targeted and martyred since the beginning of the aggression on Gaza
- The Israeli occupation targeting has reached the schools, where (266) schools were damaged to varying degrees, while (63) schools are out of service as a result of being deliberately targeted, which exacerbated the suffering of the displaced and overcrowding in shelter centers.
- Official authorities have received approximately (6500) reports of missing persons in the rubble and corpses laying in the streets including well over (4400) children and women. In addition, tens of bodies that are piling in the streets of Gaza as medical crews remain unable to remove them due to the dangerous circumstances on the ground.
- The fuel crisis in PRCS' Al-Amal Hospital in Khan Younis persists as consumption is reduced to the minimum level, affecting the services provided to the wounded and the sick, including first aid and emergency medical services.



• **PRCS Emergency medical services response**

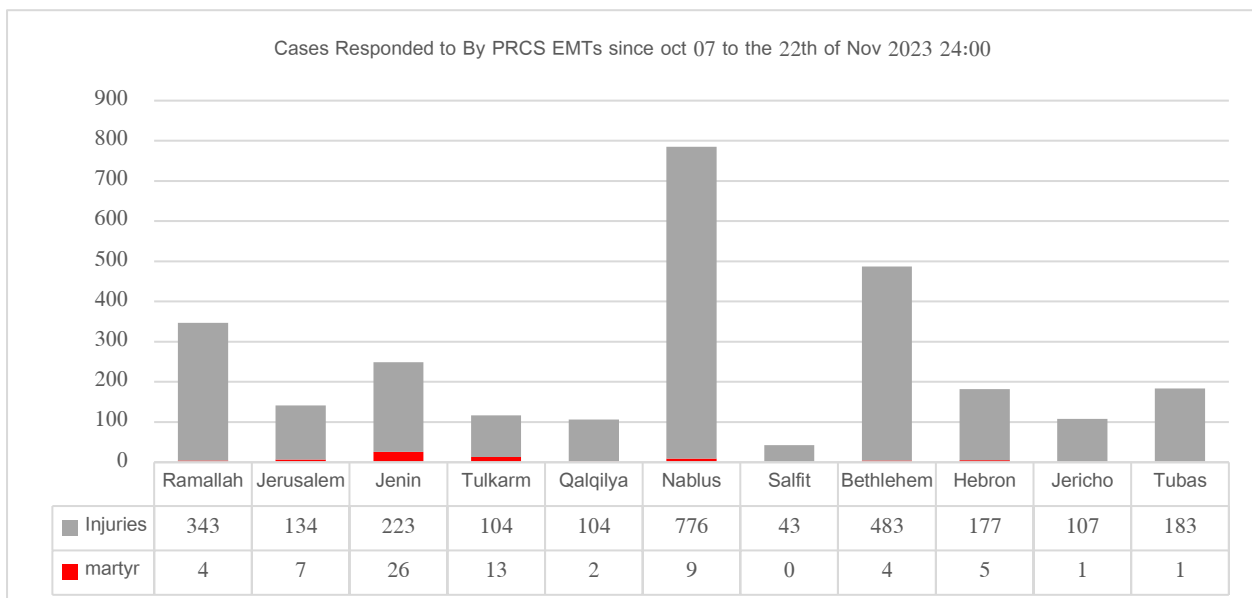
Gaza Strip: According to the Central Operations Room in Gaza on November 21st, 2023 at 24:00 AM, PRCS EMTs responded to (10912) casualties, and (3421) martyrs since the beginning of the escalation. The chart below indicates to the figures. As the Ministry of Health announced that (14128+) martyrs and (+30,000) injuries "5840 children - 3920 women - 685 elderly, these statistics remain preliminary due to the many of missing people under the rubble."



Cases treated at PRCS hospitals		
Al-Quds Hospital (Until 11/11/2023)	Al-Amal Hospital	Total
1,169	950	2,119

Ambulance centers continue to operate at high capacity in light of the events taking place. Today's operational capacity was (14) ambulance vehicles operating in the field, (2) of which were special use vehicles. The number of staff working within this capacity is (55) including ambulance crews, drivers, emergency response, administration, and volunteers.

West Bank and Jerusalem: PRCS EMTs responded to (10) casualties during the Israeli Occupation's raid of Al-Faraa Refugee Camp in Nablus and confrontations in Jericho as of today November 21st 2023 until 24:00. Thus, the total number of casualties responded to by PRCS teams from Oct 7th 2023 until November 21st 2023 24:00 AM is (2687) casualties and (72) martyrs. And the Ministry of Health reported (216) martyrs and more than 2850 casualties since 7th October, 2023 until 20th November, 2023.



Violations against PRCS teams:

The Palestine Red Crescent Society enjoys special protections yielded by international humanitarian law, particularly the Geneva Conventions, and operates within the framework of its humanitarian responsibilities governed by said legal documents. The following recorded violations against our crews, vehicles, and patients are documented in accordance with the First and Fourth Geneva Conventions, the Additional Protocol (I) to the Geneva Conventions, and customary international law.

Gaza Strip:

Total Number of violations	Violations Reported				
	Martyrdom of paramedics	Injury of paramedics	Buildings	PRCS vehicles un-operable	vehicle have sustained several damages
32	4	24	5	12	15

West Bank and Jerusalem:

89 incidents of violation	
Type of violation	Number
Prevent to access	38
Obstacle to access	36
Violations against EMT's documented and reported	40
Violations against ambulances documented and reported	27
Violations against Patients	29
Total	170

Disaster Risk Management Response:

Gaza Strip: a total of (68,913) families were reached through the DRM services, as (379,037) family members, the relief items included: food parcels and items, hygiene kits, milk for children and safe drinking water.

Shipments received for PRCS's services:

The number of shipments reached (840) shipments for PRCS's services, which are as follows: (food parcels and items, medical supplies, consumables and equipment, non-food items, safe drinking water, milk and diapers for children, tents and cleaning materials) as well as (16) ambulance vehicles until 18.11.2023.

Displacement and Evacuation of Civilians in the Gaza Strip:

PRCS premises	Khan Younis & Al-Amal hospital	UNRWA Shelter Centers	Official statistics
# of IDPs	12,000	700000	1.6M+

Community work department interventions:

District	CACs	MHPSS		Volunteers
Gaza Strip	59,306	(29816) paramedics and volunteers		166
West Bank		(4,635) Gazan workers who were deported by the IOF	(2,207,882) online views	

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