

Outgoing

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Response Report of the Palestinian Red Crescent Society

From Saturday, October 7, 2023, at 6:00 AM

Until Sunday, October 8, 2023, at 00:00

- For the second consecutive day, the society's teams continue to respond to the field events in the southern governorates, following the declaration of a state of emergency within the society.
- The Central Emergency Operations Room at the main headquarters in Gaza continues to operate 24/7 basis.
- Israeli forces are still targeting towers, facilities, residential buildings, mosques, and civilian populations in various areas of the southern governorates, resulting in a large number of casualties, including children and women.
- The electricity distribution program continues, providing only 4 hours of electricity supply per day, which poses a humanitarian catastrophe affecting most vital sectors, especially health, water, and the environment.
- The society received the first shipment of medical assistance today, donated by the Egyptian Red Crescent Society, through the Rafah border crossing in southern Gaza. This action is part of the coordination and mutual cooperation between the society and its partners in the international movement, including the Egyptian Red Crescent, to support the society's efforts in providing medical services, especially during the current escalation.
- The society received a set of medical and surgical kits and medical supplies from the International Committee of the Red Cross.
- Ambulance centers continue to operate at their highest capacity in response to ongoing events, with a total of 26 ambulance vehicles, 17 vehicles on standby, and 100 paramedics, drivers, and first responders.
- **The total statistics, according to official sources, for cases since the beginning of the events are 413 martyrs and 2300 injuries as of 21:00, and no updates have been reported up to the moment.**
- **The total number of cases that the ambulance teams of the society have dealt with since the beginning of the events is 711 cases, including 151 martyrs and 560 injuries.**
 - Al-Quds Hospital received 127 cases, including 126 injuries and 1 martyr, with 9 critical cases transferred.
 - Al-Amal Hospital received 40 injuries.
- A large number of citizens from the border areas in the governorates have been displaced to urban centers in shelters or with host families due to random Israeli shelling.

- Since the beginning of the events, a total of 5 violations against the society's teams and facilities have been recorded, resulting in injuries to 5 ambulance crew members and damage to 2 vehicles, as well as significant damage to the society's headquarters in northern Gaza and damage to the Emergency Operations Room.
- Disaster Risk Management teams are preparing to initiate field interventions with displaced families whose homes have been demolished, in coordination with service providers among partners.

West Bank:

- The number of ambulance vehicles operating in the field is 39 ambulance vehicles, with 78 paramedics, drivers, and first responders.
- The total number of cases dealt with by the ambulance teams of the society in the West Bank since Saturday, October 7, 2023, until Sunday, October 8, 2023, is 249.

Governorate	Martyr	Live bullet Transfer	Live bullet Field	Rubber bullet Transfer	Rubber Bullet Field	Tear gas Transfer	Tear gas Field	Shrapnel Transfer	Shrapnel Field	Beating Transfer	Beating Field	Stabbing
Hebron	0	7	0	0	0	2	0	4	0	1	0	0
Jerusalem	0	14	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	5	0	0
Salfit	0	5	0	0	3	4	6	0	0	0	0	1
Jenin	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Ramallah	0	18	0	3	16	0	22	0	0	0	4	0
Jericho	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0
Qalqilya	0	5	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	2	0	0
Bethlehem	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	9	1	1	1	0
Nablus	0	10	1	1	3	0	67	2	2	10	4	0
Total	0	64	1	4	26	7	99	16	3	22	9	1

The society's teams dealt with (74) injuries on Sunday, October 8, 2023, from 15:00 to 00:00 as follows:

- Nablus Governorate: The PRCS teams transported (13) injuries, including (3) live bullet injuries, (2) injuries with metal-coated rubber bullets, and (8) assault injuries (4 of them were transported by our teams, and 4 were treated on-site).

- Hebron Governorate: The PRCS teams transported (10) injuries, including (6) live bullet injuries, (2) injuries with metal-coated rubber bullets, (1) shrapnel injury, and (1) assault injury during confrontations with Israeli forces in Bab al-Zawiya, Ras al-Jura, Tel Armida, and Masafer Yatta.
- Jerusalem Governorate: The PRCS teams transported (21) injuries, including (16) live bullet injuries, (1) injury with metal-coated rubber bullets treated on-site, and (4) assault injuries.
- Jenin Governorate: The PRCS teams transported (4) injuries, including (3) live bullet injuries and (1) shrapnel injury.
- Ramallah and Al-Bireh Governorate: The PRCS teams transported (6) injuries with live bullet injuries.
- Jericho Governorate: The PRCS teams transported (1) injury with a live bullet.
- Qalqilya Governorate: The PRCS teams dealt with (7) injuries, including (4) live bullet injuries and (3) gas inhalation injuries treated on-site.
- Bethlehem Governorate: The PRCS teams dealt with (12) injuries, including (1) live bullet injury, (9) gas inhalation injuries treated on-site, (1) shrapnel injury, and (1) assault injury.

Violations against the society's services in the West Bank and the Holy Jerusalem:

Date	Government	Violations
October 7, 2023, in	Nablus	The ambulance teams from Nablus were prevented from passing through the Awarta, Huwara, and Beit Furik checkpoints. The teams were detained at the two checkpoints, and coordination was made with the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC).
October 7, 2023	Al-Eizariya	A private ambulance vehicle, which had members of the PRCS ambulance teams on board, was detained due to a malfunction in the Society vehicle. This led to the use of a private ambulance to attend to an injury in the town of Al-Eizariya. Israeli forces arrested them, and coordination was made with the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) for their later release.
October 8, 2023	Nablus	The teams were prevented from reaching Beitah, and laser targeting was used, along with warning shots being fired.
October 8, 2023	Jerusalem	The society's team was obstructed from reaching the Al-Ram area when responding to an injury.
October 8, 2023	Ramallah	Shooting live ammunition at the society's ambulance and directly hitting it.