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PALESTINE

IMPACT REPORT



2024



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**38,345 Palestinians have
lost their lives since
October 7, 2023**

ON THE GROUND SITUATION

Millions of displaced Palestinians have been subjected to great hardship that has completely devastated the population.

The death toll in Palestine has surpassed 38,345, including 14,000+ children and 9,300+ women.

More than 2 million people in Palestine have been displaced and have been forced to evacuate their homes.

More than 10 months of raging conflict has left many families without the basic necessities they need to survive, and each day, the situation gets worse.

With the recent escalation in Rafah, hundreds of thousands have been displaced again and with no place to find refuge.

Humanitarian needs are at an all-time high.



Last Situation Update:

38,345 lives have been lost in Palestine,
with **88,295** people left injured.

Al-Aqsa Hospital is facing a massive influx of patients, many civilians arriving with severe burns, shrapnel wounds, fractures, and other traumatic injuries, according to the UN.

United Nations agencies warn more than one million Palestinians could experience the highest level of starvation by the middle of next month if hostilities continue.

Palestine's Health Ministry says 77 people killed, 221 wounded in the latest 24-hour reporting period.

The World Health Organization has documented 464 healthcare facilities and equipment destroyed in Palestine since October 2023

The WHO says many children in Palestine are on the brink of death due to acute hunger and newborns are dying due to low birth weight.

The current escalation in Rafah has forced millions to be displaced again leaving them with no food and security.

Doctors in Palestine say as many as 3,000 Palestinian children have lost limbs in this conflict.

According to the World Health Organization (WHO), the average bed occupancy rate in Palestine's functioning hospitals is 340%, and the ICU bed occupancy is 242%.

The people have very little to eat and children are drinking salty sea water on a regular basis, leading to rising health concerns.

Since October 7, over 38,345 individuals have lost their lives, and more than 88,295 have been wounded in Palestine.

SITUATION UPDATE

The situation in Palestine has reached a critical juncture, pushing the affected communities to the brink of despair. The continuous onslaught has not only left physical scars on the landscape but has also deeply wounded the social fabric of the region.

Families, once rooted in their homes, are now displaced and grappling with the harsh reality of inadequate living conditions.

As MATW turns its attention to meeting the urgent requirements of the affected population, supplying food essentials becomes a crucial lifeline for those facing difficulties in providing for their families as a famine is looming.

The distribution of essentials and vegetables aims not only to alleviate the immediate hunger but also to combat the pervasive malnutrition that has taken hold, particularly among children and the elderly.

MATW is dedicated to supporting Palestinian families in Egypt by providing them with assistance upon arrival. These packs include essential household items, hygiene products, and food supplies, all designed to help them transition and seamlessly integrate into their new environment.

Recently, those seeking refuge in Rafah have been forced to evacuate. 550,000 people have been displaced again. MATW has made an attempt to provide them security in a village camp in Khan Younis that consists of a kitchen, a mosque and a medical centre.

Palestine has been transformed into a place where the necessities of life are scarce, and the prospects of a better future seem distant. MATW's commitment to providing not only immediate relief but also addressing the long-term challenges underscores the gravity of the situation and the need for sustained support from the global community.

The organization's endeavors to close the divide and instill hope among those facing despair are essential for reconstructing not only the physical infrastructure but also the broken lives of individuals in Palestine. The conditions in Palestine are dire, with one child losing their life every minute and the risk of disease spreading rapidly, leaving nowhere safe.

Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus, Director-General of the World Health Organization (WHO), expressed the indescribable situation, noting hospital corridors filled with the injured, sick, and those in critical condition. Morgues are overwhelmed, and surgical procedures are performed without anesthesia.

"On average, a child dies every 10 minutes in Palestine," he stated. 2 million people are now displaced and looking for shelter anywhere and overcrowding is increasing the risk of diarrhea, respiratory diseases and skin infections, he said. Many families are now also moving to Egypt to resettle.

MATW in partnership with the Jordan Hashemite Charity Organisation has sent more than 100 relief trucks to Palestine, containing food packs, flour bags, rice, oil, hygiene kits and more. Recently, a medical truck was sent to help those with medical needs and those left injured and wounded.

PALESTINE HUMANITARIAN CRISIS

The constant displacement and lack of resources has made survival a big struggle in Palestine.

The people in Palestine are foraging for food, and basic necessities are getting hard to find.

Rafah which only had a population of 250,000 before October 2023, became home to 1.4 million people during the conflict.

After the recent escalation in Rafah, over a million people have been displaced again internally without any shelter or resources.

There is a huge difference in the amount of relief needed and being delivered. The conflict has restricted access.



INTERVENTION IN PALESTINE



IMPLEMENTATION STRATEGY

We were able to deliver a quick response in October as we had a long-standing presence in Palestine. Now, it's been over 10 months and we continue to provide emergency relief.

Our primary focus is reaching those most in need, including thousands of orphaned children.

Our current response includes the distribution of food packs, hot meals and clean water for those displaced.



MATW'S RESPONSE ACTIVITY

- ✓ Delivering hot meals to those in need.
- ✓ Providing clean drinking water
- ✓ Providing emergency support to the orphans.
- ✓ Resettling Palestinian families in Egypt
- ✓ Distributing food packs and hygiene kits
- ✓ Providing relief to those displaced from Rafah and resettle them in Khan Yunis village camp.

Alhamdulillah

MATW Project has been consistent in providing support to those in Palestine and to those moving to Egypt.



ORPHANS IN PALESTINE



MATW CARES FOR OVER 7,000 ORPHANS IN PALESTINE

We are providing comprehensive care to over 7,000 orphans across the Palestine. These orphans, who have lost parents or guardians due to the ongoing conflict, are particularly vulnerable and in need of sustained support. We have an unwavering commitment ensuring that these children receive uninterrupted access to essential needs, including food, clothing, and psychosocial support.

Distribution of Orphans by Region:

- * **Khan Yunis: 2,200 orphans**
- * **Deir Al-Balah: 780 orphans**
- * **Palestine North: 3,150 orphans**
- * **Palestine Central: 825 orphans**
- * **Rafah Refugee Camp: 45 orphans**

Impact of the Ongoing Conflict:

The recent escalation in violence in Palestine has had a devastating impact on the lives of children, leaving thousands orphaned and displaced. We estimate that the number of orphans in Palestine has increased significantly, with over 40,000 fatalities, 100,000 injuries, and more than 20,000 missing persons.



ORPHANS IN PALESTINE

MATW's Efforts to Address the Needs of Orphans:

In response to the growing number of orphans, MATW is expanding its efforts to provide holistic care and support. We are prioritizing the following initiatives:

- * **Uninterrupted Provision of Basic Needs:** we are committed to ensuring that all orphans under our care have uninterrupted access to essential needs, including food, clothing, and shelter.
- * **Psychosocial Support:** Recognizing the significant emotional trauma experienced by orphans, MATW provides comprehensive psychosocial support services to help them cope with grief, loss, and anxiety.
- * **Educational Support:** MATW is working to establish additional classrooms to accommodate the increasing number of orphans and alleviate the burden on overwhelmed schools. The organization is also providing educational materials and tutoring support to ensure that orphans continue their education without interruption.

Demographic Breakdown of Orphans:

- * **Gender Distribution:** 57% of MATW's orphans are male, while 43% are female.
- * **Geographical Distribution:** Orphans are distributed across the Palestine, with the highest concentrations in Khan Younis, North Palestine, and Deir Al-Balah.

MATW's dedication to the well-being of orphans in Palestine is unwavering. Our comprehensive approach, encompassing basic needs, psychosocial support, and educational opportunities, provides a lifeline to these vulnerable children, empowering them to navigate the challenges they face and build a brighter future.



51,532,844

Total Palestine Impact since Oct 7th 2023

THESE ARE SOME OF THE ITEMS THAT WE DISTRIBUTED



1 ton of rice

69



Baby Milk

19,800



Bread Packs

14,000



Canned Food

25,500



Hot Meals

621,130



Food Packs

159,337



Tons of Dates

155 Tones



Flour Bag

24,135



Litters of Oil

8,500



Sweet Boxes

500



Ton of Lentil

10



Water

20 Million L



Ton of Macaroni

7



Tons of Sugar

55



Tons of Summac

66



Vegetable Box

150,325

“Allah is in the aid of His servant so long as
His servant is in the aid of his brother”

PROPHET MUHAMMAD (PBUH)



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How is MATW providing support on the ground in Palestine?





1. DELIVERING HOT MEALS TO THOSE IN NEED


MATW has been on the ground in Palestine from the very start, providing essential relief to those in need. With unwavering dedication, our team ensures that hot meals reach those facing hunger and hardship. Through our efficient network, we deliver sustenance and hope to several in need.

2. PROVIDING EMERGENCY SUPPORT TO THE ORPHANS

More than 17,000 children have been orphaned since October 2023 in Palestine. We have been quietly but consistently delivering essential support to these children in need. Our emergency support includes emotional, educational, financial, and psychological support for the orphan's overall well-being, ensuring they receive the necessary assistance during challenging times.

3. DISTRIBUTING FOOD PACKS

Reports have come in of children picking up flour off the roads and saving it to make bread. To cope with the challenge of limited and depleting resources, we are providing essential food packs in Palestine. These food packs contain essentials for making nutritious meals, including **2 rice bags, 2 pasta bags, 6 cans of vegetables, 1 can of fruit, 4 cans of meat and fish, 1 cooking oil, 1 lentil pack and 1 flour bag**





4. PROVIDING HYGIENE KITS

The prices of everyday hygiene products are on the rise amidst the conflict. Our team is providing hygiene essentials to people in need. These kits contain soap, toothpaste, toothbrushes, adult and baby diapers, and other necessary things.

5. PROVIDING URGENT MEDICAL KITS TO THE INJURED


There are more than 85,452 wounded people in Palestine but the medical supplies are limited. We are continuously trying to provide medical relief to those in need, and also sending medical kits that contain: • **Sterile gauze** • **Large wound dressing** • **Medical gloves for personal hygiene** • **Wound plaster** • **Paracetamol** • **Manual pressure gauge** • **Bruise reliever** • **Wide medical tape to change surgical areas** • **Bandage** • **Lodine (medical use)**

These help in stabilizing the patients and preventing further complications.

6. RESETTLING PALESTINIAN FAMILIES IN EGYPT

We are providing ongoing support to Palestinian families residing in Egypt by offering monthly allowances to cover their essential needs, including food, medical expenses, and education costs whenever feasible.

Our efforts extend beyond borders as we undertake the vital task of resettling Palestinian families in Egypt. Through this initiative, we aim to provide a new beginning for families facing displacement and uncertainty. By offering support and resources, we want to ensure that these families can rebuild their lives with dignity and stability.





Starter Pack Contents

Essential household appliances

Washing Machine, Cooker, Fridge, Kettle, Water Heater,
Water Filter, Stand Fan, Heater

Household essentials

Clothes Hangers, Cleaning Kit, Kitchen Utensils, Carpets, Prayer Mat
Mattresses, Pillows, Bed Sheets, Towels

Hygiene Kit

Toothpaste, Toothbrush, Hand Soap, Shampoo, Sanitary Pads, Razors, Toilet
Tissue, Laundry Detergent, Hairbrush, Deodorant

Food Box

2kg Rice, 4 x Pasta(400g), 1kg Sugar, Tea, 2 x Lentil(500g),
2 x Beans(400g), 1 kg date 700ml Oil and 500g Ghee

7. PROVIDING CLEAN DRINKING WATER

We are dedicated to ensuring access to safe and clean drinking water for families facing water scarcity in Palestine. We aim to provide a week's supply of drinking water to families in need, addressing a critical need for hydration and promoting overall health and well-being. Specially designed water packages, sufficient for a week, are provided to each family to meet their hydration requirements. We are providing immediate relief by addressing the urgent need for clean drinking water in households, ensuring families have access to safe water for drinking and cooking.

8. IMPACT OF SUPPORT AND TEAM MEMBERS

The impact of the humanitarian team on the ground is immeasurable. Their presence serves as a beacon of hope for the affected and their families. Despite the relentless challenges they face, the team works with unwavering dedication, often exceeding sixteen hours of work each day. Furthermore, their collaboration with other teams showcases their commitment to the relief work.





9. EMERGENCY RELIEF FACTS

With a long-standing presence in Palestine and supplies on standby for an immediate response, our MATW team has been quick to deliver urgent essentials to those directly affected by the conflict in Palestine. Our direct response efforts are focused on those who are most vulnerable, including orphans, widows, the elderly and families.


Our operations team is delivering emergency medical kits, urgent food packs, fuel, hot meals and more to those who have been displaced.

Our medical response within hospitals proved to be a critical lifeline. Thanks to donors, our team was able to deliver stretchers, beds, mattresses, blankets, medical kits and supplies. We also were able to provide staff support and fuel to ensure medical make-shift camps and operational hospitals continue to run. Moreover, the team recognizes the importance of psychological and moral support to alleviate the emotional burden on the affected individuals, helping them cope with the trauma of the crisis.

Our team has now partnered with the Egyptian Youth Council, the Egyptian Red Crescent and The Jordanian Hashemite Charity Organisation (JHCO) to ensure relief is reaching those in need in Palestine.

We are providing urgent essentials and family relocation support to Palestinian families seeking refuge in Egypt. Through these projects, donors will be able to help us provide family sponsorship and settlement support to ensure a new start for families with all that they need.

More recently, we are focused on helping those displaced from Rafah. These people have no shelter and security and are foraging for food. We are providing them with tents, food, medical care and clean drinking water. We have established a village camp in Khan Younis that currently houses 500 refugees from Rafah, of which 70% are orphans and 30% widows. This camp has a store, a kitchen, a mosque and a medical centre.





10. FINANCIAL ALLOCATIONS

The majority of these funds are directed towards addressing the immediate daily requirements of those affected. This includes providing essential items like food supplies and hot meals, emergency support to the orphans, urgent medical kits to the injured, distributing hygiene kits consisting of essential items for daily use and resettling Palestinian families in Egypt.

11. SUPPORT WITH DONATIONS

The donations received are instrumental in providing critical support. They are utilized for procuring ingredients for meals, getting food packs ready for families, gathering hygiene essentials and facilitating operations of relief delivery. Your donations help in offering support to those displaced internally and to those moving to Egypt.





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All your questions, *Answered*





What assistance is MATW offering in Palestine?

We are currently delivering various essential supplies in Palestine, such as food packages, cooked meals, bedding, mattresses, and medical supplies. Our focus is on promptly meeting the urgent requirements of the Palestinian people and providing ongoing support to Palestinian families resettling in Egypt by offering monthly allowances to cover their essential needs, including food, medical expenses, and education costs whenever feasible.

How can I donate, and can I use Zakat for my contributions?

You can donate through our website and yes, you can use your Zakat donations to support our efforts in Palestine. Zakat is about helping those in need, and providing aid to those in Palestine who have been forcibly displaced is an important cause. At MATW, we ensure that Zakat funds are used for their intended purpose and adhere to Islamic guidelines for Zakat distribution. Your donations will directly benefit those who require assistance in Palestine. We have a 100% donation policy.

How are you able to work in Palestine despite the blockade and security concerns?

MATW has been present in Palestine for many years, working on various projects including orphan care, education, water projects, Ramadan and Qurban. We did not need to seek an entry point as we were already established on the ground with teams of volunteers and warehouse facilities for processing and distributing relief supplies.

How does MATW adapt to the changing needs in Palestine?

We're dedicated to ongoing monitoring of the situation in Palestine and the dynamic needs of its people. Collaborating closely with local partners and humanitarian organisations, we stay updated on shifting circumstances. This flexibility enables us to adapt our initiatives and support as necessary, ensuring our support remains impactful and responsive.

What occurs when resources for support become exhausted in Palestine?

With the blockade preventing further supplies from reaching Palestine, the risk of exhausting essential resources is a significant concern. However, we are diligently storing and preparing vital materials for future distribution. We are also proactively collecting relief materials outside and ready to send them across as soon as permissions are granted. So far we have sent 100+ trucks of relief supplies.

How do I know my contributions are reaching those in need in Palestine?

We're committed to absolute accountability and transparency. Our process involves meticulous record-keeping of resource distribution, coupled with regular audits to ensure efficiency. Donors and supporters can rest assured that their contributions are actively making a meaningful difference on the ground.

How can I help?

You can participate by contributing to our emergency Palestine appeal and spreading the word about our efforts. If you're keen on engaging directly with our support operations and distribution efforts, please contact our volunteer coordinator for details on how you can get involved in volunteer opportunities and contribute your time and expertise to this important cause.

How can I stay informed and up to date with the latest information on MATW's work in Palestine and the impact of my donations?

To stay updated on our ongoing efforts and the impact of your contributions, you can visit our website or follow our social media channels. We regularly share news, reports, and stories from the field to keep our donors informed about the situation and the progress and development of our work in Palestine.

Want to help Palestine?

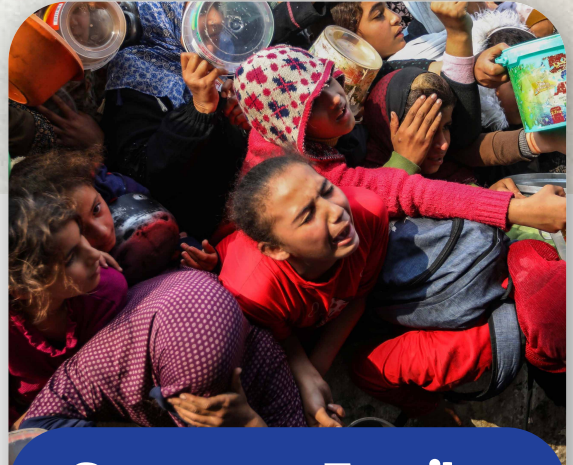
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Palestine Appeal:

Deliver crucial support such as food, water, medical attention, and housing to areas in Palestine where it is most needed. Impact the lives of those impacted by the Palestinian crisis.

DONATE



Sponsor a Family:

Provide monthly support to a Palestinian refugee family. Your donation will cover essential costs for a month for an entire family residing in Egypt. This monthly allowance covers essential needs, including food, medical expenses, rent and education costs.

DONATE



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