HOSTILITIES IN THE GAZA STRIP AND ISRAEL - REPORTED IMPACT

DAY 60

OVERVIEW

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- 43,616 Reported injuries
- ~1,93 million internally displaced (78% of Gaza)

- 1,550 Families with multiple fatalities

*Sources: Ministry of Health, Government Media Office

DAMAGE*

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- 250,000+ Partially damaged housing units

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- 26 hospitals and 56 health care centres
- out of service
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- ~5,400 Reported injuries

** According to Israeli media citing official sources

BASIC SERVICES AND LIVELIHOODS

FOOD SECURITY

- Lack of food in the north is of increasing concern
- The situation is catastrophic and WFP stocks inside Gaza are running out
- The last functioning mill in Gaza was destroyed on 15 November

- 4-6 hours average waiting time to receive half of normal bread portion

WATER AND SANITATION

- Two pipelines coming from Israel supply about 1,100 cubic metres per hour for the south and Middle area.
- No Access to clean water in the northern governorates.
- Fuel shortages: 60 water wells, 2 desalination plants, sewage stations and pumps, wastewater treatment.

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- Hospitals are being under heavy strikes.
- The number of functioning hospitals has dropped from 36 to 18

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According to Israeli media citing official sources, the reported fatalities in Gaza include at least 33 children. There are 138 hostages remaining in Gaza (including soldiers and foreign nationals).

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