1. UNRWA Fields of operations summary updates

Access/movement
Field (FO) and Area Office (AO) staff telecommuting until 15 April, except for health and other critical staff. Staff and educational staff remain closed. Field services continue with home visits only in emergency cases. 

UNRWA’s operations

Gaza

Partial lockdown in effect. Enforcing cross is closed for most permit holders and is open for special medical and humanitarian cases. The泡田 Terminal is closed in both directions, opened for imported goods and for urgent medical and humanitarian cases. (NEW) Karim Shalash crying for goods transport is closed. Returning Palestinians are quarantined upon arrival (NEW).

Movement restrictions are severe across the WB. The state of emergency was extended for another three weeks (until 26 April). Movement restrictions in the West Bank are currently only allowed during 10:00 am to 5:00 pm. Border villages, including Biddu (designated as an epicenter area), Qataf, Aljatat, Bitoura and surrounding villages (55% of residents of these villages are refugees) are under curfew & strict lockdown.

Field staff and Area Offices are closed, and are remaining in place to continue delivering critical services in the camps, with PPEs. Staff living in the camps are qurantined on who violates.

UNRWA (SF) incursion to Qalandia camp and Kifl Arab areas yesterday, they announced curfew. All the camps entrances are still open and the emergency tasks are still continue in all the camps.

Israel

(NEW) the government will impose a comprehensive curfew for 48 hours, starting at 24:00 on Thursday, until 24:00 on Saturday, with all the activities in the country to be halted. Partial curfew continues in effect to 6:00 pm in Jerusalem and the city of Hebron.

(NEW) Curfew imposed across the WB, including to/from East Jerusalem. All movement is restricted in the WB. All curfew is still held except for vital sectors. UNRWA FO & AOs are closed, and staff are telecommuting until 15 April. Guards and sanitation workers are working normally. People aged 60 years or older are not allowed to go out for purchase basic commodities from 10:00 am to 6:00 pm. Health staff continue, in cooperation with local authorities. (NEW) Palestinian workers in private sector who live in West Bank, will be allowed to enter Jericho and its area.

Lebanon

(NEW) general mobilization measures will be extended until 30 April. All borders are closed. (NEW) except for medications, which have been increased. Quarantine for those who travel from Lebanon are still halted. Fabule vehicles are only allowed to be on the road for 2 hours per day. The Port is closed, except for Cargo trucks. 

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Syria

Countrywide curfew in effect from 6:00 pm to 6:00 am. All ports are closed except for cargo trucks. Closure of all commercial activities without further notice, excluding banking, groceries, cleaning services, and medical supplies. Government ministries reduced their workforce.

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