

# Clan conflict displaces 702 individuals in Taleh district, Sool region



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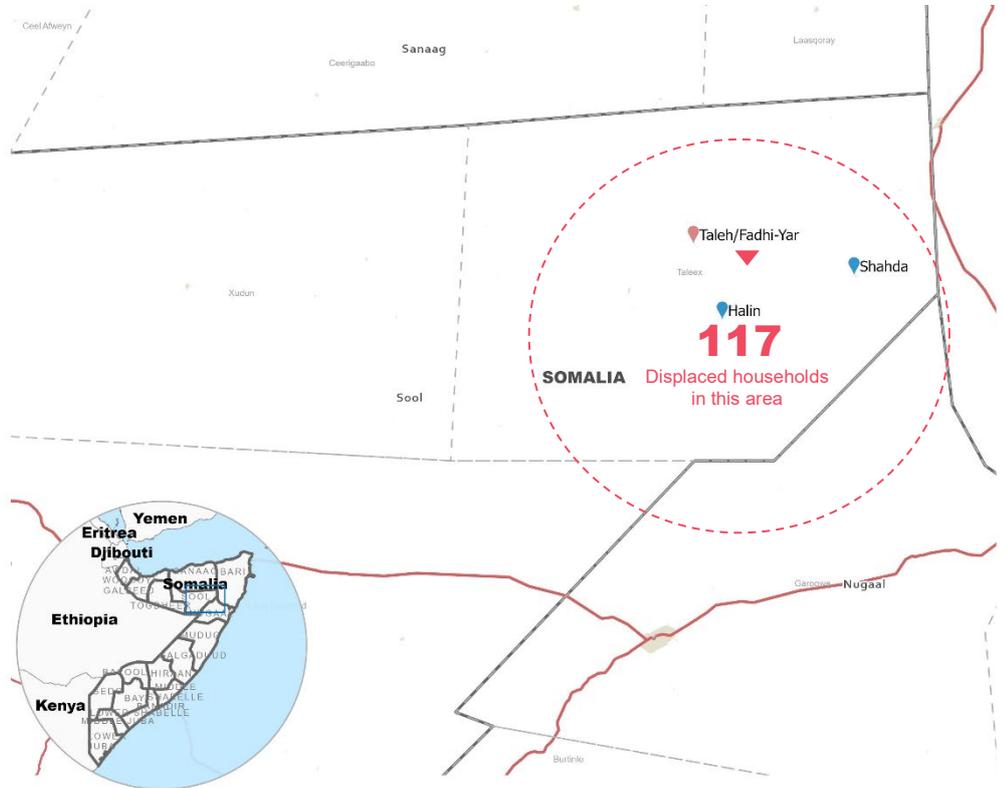


Previous location.  
Taleex/Fadhi-Yar  
9.2482° N, 48.5587° E  
Current location  
Haln  
9.0854° N, 48.6204° E  
Shahda  
9.1806° N, 48.9014° E



Incident Date

14 September 2022



## Background

Growing tensions and generalized insecurity between neighbouring clans in Fadhi-Yar Village, Taleh district, Sool region, has resulted in increased displacement and protection violations for the civilian population. On 9 September, two neighbouring clans clashed, resulting in four civilian casualties (one death and three injuries). This event displaced 117 households (approximately 702 individuals). The fighting started after two men from the neighboring clans argued about ownership and the usage of a water point (shallow well) in Fadhi-Yar village under Taleh district. Protection and Return Monitoring Network (PRMN) monitors reported that the affected pastoralist communities were displaced to nearby villages, mainly Taleh, Haln and Shaxda Villages.

#	Previous Location	Arrival location	Households
1	Taleh	Taleh	34
		Haln	57
		Shaxda	26
<b>117 households (approximately 702 individuals)</b>			

PRMN reports also indicate that the warring clans are mobilizing their militias, which could lead to further clashes and increased human casualties and displacement of communities. Women, children, and the elderly are among those most affected, and no humanitarian response or other assistance has been provided to the displaced population. The most urgent needs reported include protection, clean water, food, shelters, and NFIs.

## Protection Issues

- **Heightened vulnerabilities:** Most of the people affected population by the conflict are women, children, and the elderly, who are also severely affected by the ongoing drought.
- **Child protection issues:** Some of the displaced children are malnourished and in need of urgent treatment, care and support.

- Violence against women:** Women who have been displaced from their homes report heightened protection risks of violence, abuse, and exploitation from the fighting clan militias, which may lead to an increase in occurrences of Gender-based Violence and psychological issues.

## Urgent Needs



Food



Emergency Shelter



Protection



Non-Food Item



Communal Latrine



Safe Drinking Water



Treated Mosquito Net



Figure 1. Water source (shallow well) at centre of conflict



Figure 2. Conflict affected village-Fadhi-yar.

The PRMN is a UNHCR-led project which identifies and reports on displacements as well as protection risks and incidents underlying such population movements. On behalf of UNHCR and the Norwegian Refugee Council (NRC), 38 local partners in the field in Somalia (South Central regions, Puntland and Somaliland) undertake data gathering (primarily through interviews with affected communities and key informants) and monitoring at strategic locations.

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