

UNHCR Turkey Syrian Refugee Daily Sitrep

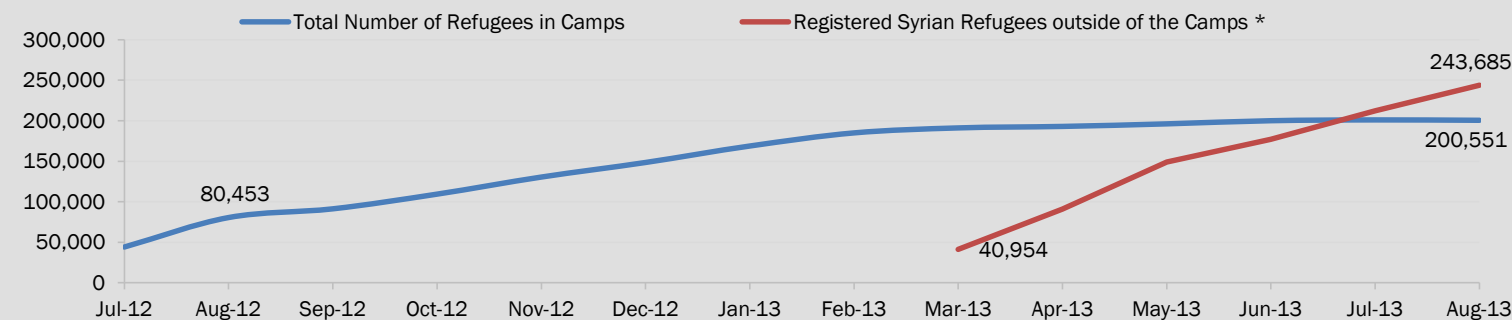
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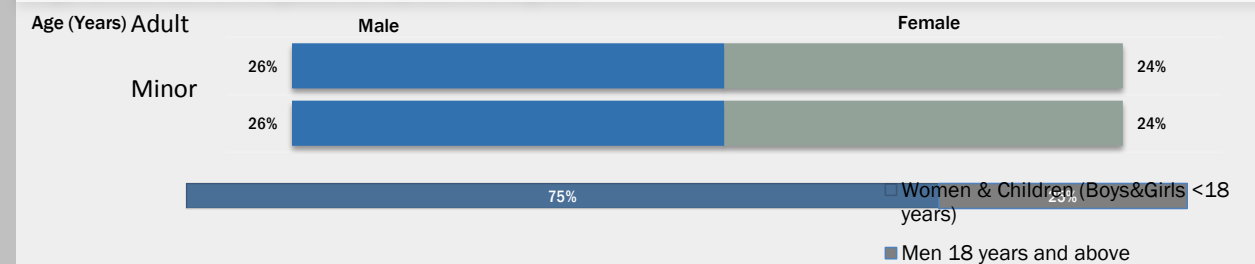
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Total Number of Refugees Registered and with Registration	458,837
Total Number of Refugees in Camps	200,551
Total Number of Refugees Registered outside the Camps *	243,985
Total Number of Refugees with Registration Appointments	14,301
Estimated Total Number of Syrians in Turkey	500 - 600,000

	Registered Syrian Refugees in Camps	Registered Syrian Refugees outside of the Camps *	Total
Gaziantep	32,850	98,855	131,705
Sanliurfa	72,992	33,685	106,677
Hatay	15,417	46,302	61,719
Kilis	26,708	25,200	51,908
Mardin	2,236	33,418	35,654
K.Maras	14,961	9,630	24,591
Adana	10,166	3,000	13,166
Adiyaman	9,911	190	10,101
Osmaniye	8,341	2,006	10,347
Malatya	6,488	0	6,488
Other	481		6,481

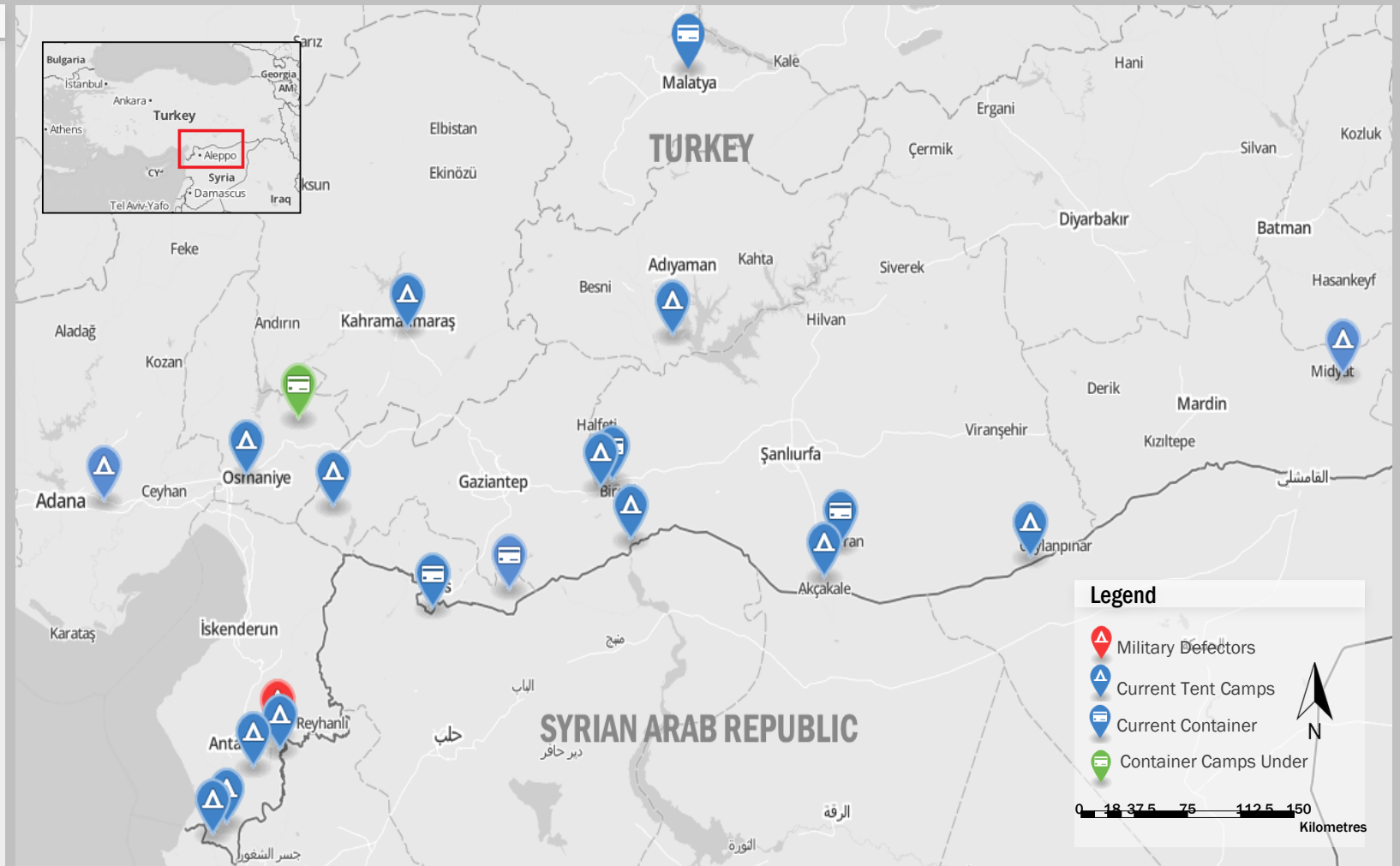


Age & Gender of Registered Syrian Refugees



Highlights

- On 25 August 2013, AFAD - the Disaster and Emergency Management Agency of Government of Turkey - announced that the total number of Syrians registered and assisted in 20 camps in 10 provinces was 200,551, including 481 Syrians receiving medical treatment in hospitals. AFAD reported that during the weekend (23-25 Aug), 1,577 Syrians were admitted and registered in the camps while 2,178 Syrians voluntarily returned to Syria.
- It was reported in the national media that during last week some 4,000 Syrians have crossed to Turkey from Reyhanli border. The local officials in Reyhanli did not verify the numbers however informed UNHCR that there were some few hundreds of new arrivals processed and referred to the camps through the reception center in Reyhanli. Local officials in Sanliurfa also informed UNHCR that they have received some 140 new arrivals to Ceylanpinar on Friday 23 Aug. 2013.
- Local Officials in Sanliurfa informed UNHCR that the camp in Viransehir is completed and ready to admit refugees. Reportedly the camp has a capacity for more than 18,000 persons. Officials informed UNHCR that in consultation with AFAD Ankara, they are intending to move some 1,000 Syrians from Akcakale who are temporarily accommodated in the big tents.
- The registration of the non Camp Syrians is on-going in 3 main provinces (Gaziantep, Sanliurfa and Mardin). In Gaziantep and Sanliurfa registered refugees are issued an ID card while in Mardin the registered ones are issued a document which will also allow them to have access to medical assistance. In Kilis the local officials informed UNHCR that they are waiting for the mobile registration units to start the registration of the non-camp Syrians in Kilis.
- In Kilis, despite the decision of the local officials to admit all those living in Musalla park to Elbeyli container site, there were more and more spontaneous new arrival Syrians appearing in all the parks and mosques in Kilis. It is not clear to the authorities whether all these people are indeed new arrivals or some have already been registered in other camps or other provinces in urban areas. UNHCR Field Team will visit some of these locations and talk to the people to understand from where then and when they arrived.



Sources

AFAD, Turkish Ministry of Foreign Affairs

*Please note that the number of non-camp refugees are not updated on a daily basis.

For more information, consult <http://data.unhcr.org/syrianrefugees>