



**United Nations Country Team in Turkey  
Daily Situation Report on the Situation Pertaining to Syria**

**March 30, 2012**

- 1) Turkish authorities reported that the total Syrian population in Turkey, who are assisted in nine locations with eight tented cities and one container site located in the border provinces of Hatay, Gaziantep, and Kilis, reached to **17,942** with the arrival of 296 persons and the return of 104 persons.

As of March 30, 2012 the city breakdown in the region is as follows:

- ❖ Hatay population in seven sites: 9,634 individuals
- ❖ Gaziantep population in the 8th site in Islahiye : 2,731 individuals.
- ❖ Kilis population in Öncüpınar container site: 5,577 individuals

- 2) Highlights:

- ❖ The relocation of Syrians residing several tented sites in Hatay province to Gaziantep tented site and to the container site in Kilis continues. It has been reported by Turkish authorities that the empty three sites in Hatay will be kept for a while as standby.
- ❖ Antakya Airport is open, only for the flights to and from Istanbul. It has been reported that flights to and from Ankara will start today.

**Individual arrivals to UNHCR Offices in Turkey (as of March 29, 2012)**

Total Approaches to date:

- i. Cumulative number of Syrians who approached UNHCR, 1 Jan 2011 to present (cases/individual persons): 285/500
- ii. Cumulative number of Iraqis ex-Syria who approached UNHCR, 1 Jan 2011 to present (cases/individual persons): 803/1675
- iii. Cumulative number of others ex-Syria who approached UNHCR, 1 Jan 2011 to present (cases/individual persons): 78/102
- iv. Cumulative number of Palestine refugees ex Syria who approached UNHCR, 1 Jan 2011 to present (cases/individual persons): 11/14

**The map of the region including current nine camps in Hatay, Kilis and Gaziantep.**

