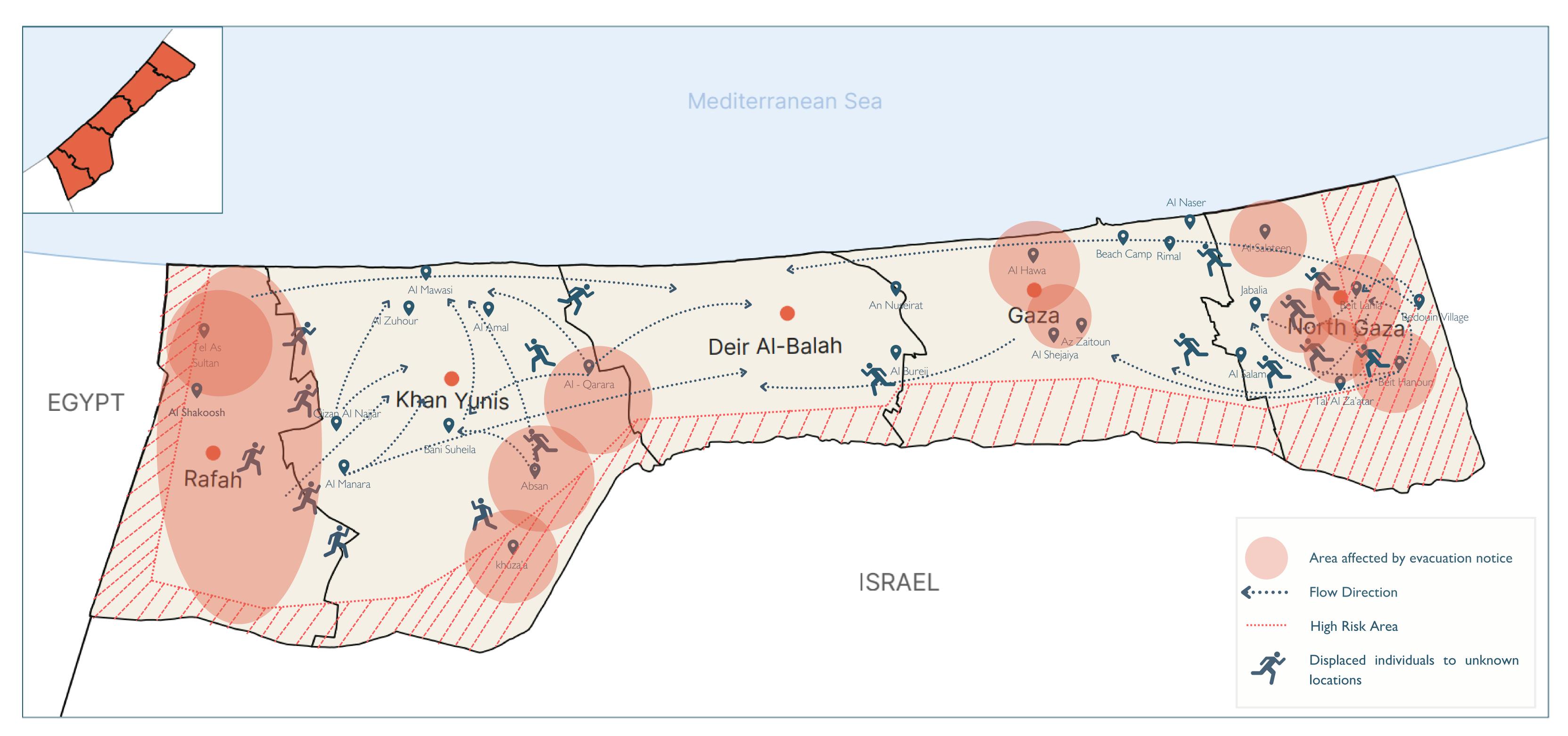
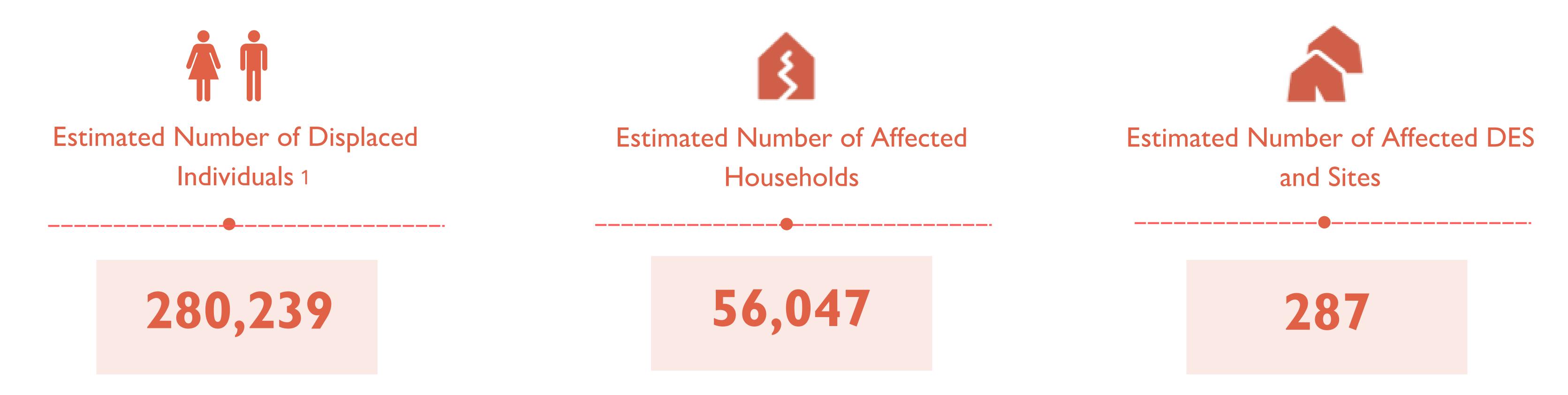
# Population Movement Monitoring Flash-Update

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The humanitarian situation in Gaza continues to deteriorate as displacement rose since the events of March 18, 2025. The end of the ceasefire combined with issued evacuation orders have forced residents to flee their homes, seeking refuge in makeshift shelters and overcrowded displacement camps.

This update outlines the scale, patterns, and impact of displacement in Gaza, offering insights into the ongoing humanitarian situation. Data was collected from eyewitness accounts, social media posts, and available datasets from Site Management Cluster (SMC) partners on the ground. The information was cross-referenced and analyzed to establish displacement patterns and the impact on local infrastructure.

Between 30 March and 2 April 2025, an estimated 95,960 individuals were displaced, based on reported movements and evacuation orders issued during the period.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Estimated number of displaced individuals since March 18, following widespread airstrikes and military evacuation orders

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#### Overview of Affected Areas and Displacement Patterns

North Gaza:

Affected Neighborhoods/Geographical Areas: Beit Hanoun, Beit Lahia, Al Sheikh Zayed, Al Manshieh, Tal Al-Za'atar.

Displacement Patterns

#### Observed Movements on 31 March 2025:

On March 31st, 2025, some residents who had returned to Northern Beit Lahia, the Bedouin village, and Ezbt Beit Hanoun between March 27th and 30th were forced to evacuate once again due to ongoing instability.

• Northern Beit Lahia, the Bedouin village, and Ezbt Beit Hanoun → Al Sheikh Zayed: 150 individuals.

#### Observed Movements on I April 2025:

On the evening of April 1st, 2025, an evacuation order was issued, urging residents of Beit Lahia, Beit Hanoun, Al Sheikh Zayed, Al Manshieh, and Tal Al-Za'atar to flee and seek shelter in the Gaza Governorate.

- Beit Hanoun and the Hamouda Junction → Gaza City and Jabalia: 125 individuals
- Beit Hanoun, Beit Lahia Project, Al Sheikh Zayed, Al Manshieh, Tal Al-Za'atar → Old Gaza City and Jabalia: 150 individuals

#### Gaza City

#### Affected Neighborhoods/Geographical Areas: Gaza City

#### Displacement Patterns

Apart from the influx of internally displaced persons from the North of Gaza-to-Gaza Governorate (outlined above), Gaza City has witnessed the following displacement movement.

#### Observed Movements on 31 March 2025:

Gaza → South Deir Al Balah: 25 individuals

#### Deir Al Balah

#### Affected Neighborhoods/Geographical Areas: Deir Al Balah

#### Displacement Patterns

Since 31 March 2025, Deir Al Balah has witnessed an increase of internally displaced people from several areas of Gaza, mainly from North Gaza, Khan Younes and Rafah.

#### Observed Movements on 31 March 2025:

- Bedouin Village, Beit Lahia → South Deir Al Balah: 200 individuals
- Khan Younes → South Deir Al Balah: 275 individuals
- Rafah → South Deir Al Balah: 60 individuals
- Rafah → Al Bruk, Deir Al Balah: 75 individuals

**Note:** The above figures reflect displacement reported by partners to date and represent a partial picture of the overall situation. Additional displacement figures are expected to be captured in subsequent updates as more information becomes available.

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#### Khan Younis

**Affected Neighborhoods/Geographical Areas:** Khuza'a, Abasan, Bani Suhaila, Al-Qarara, Al Kateeba, Qizan Al-Najjar, Al Manar. **Displacement Patterns** 

Due to prevailing conditions, Khan Younis has witnessed an internal displacement of around 43,730 individuals towards Al Mawasi area. The following are the displacement movements that have been observed since the last SMC Population Movement Monitoring update, published on 30 March 2025:

#### Observed Movements as of I April 2025:

- Absan Al Jadida → West & South Bani Suhaila, Khan Younis City Center, KY Camp (Schools) and Al Mawasi: 1,000 individuals
- Abasan al-Kabira → West & South Bani Suhaila, Khan Younis City Center, KY Camp (Schools), and Al Mawasi: 2,500 individuals
- East Bani Suhaila → West & South Bani Suhaila: 100 individuals
- North Bani Suhaila (Al Zanna) → Bani Suhaila (West & South), Al Mawasi: 1,000 individuals
- East of Al-Qarara → Al Mawasi, and West Salah Eldeen: 1,000 individuals
- Al Manara → Khan Younis town, Bath Al Sameen and Al Mawasi: 1,100 individuals
- Qizan Al-Najjar → Khan Younis (Mawasi, Batin Al Samin, Khan Younis town): 2,500 individuals

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#### Rafah

Affected Neighborhoods/Geographical Areas: All neighborhoods of Rafah.

#### Displacement Patterns

On March 31st, residents of Rafah were issued an urgent evacuation order, forcing them to seek refuge along the coast of Khan Younis Governorate. According to UN estimates, approximately 90,000 people have fled from Al-Naser, El-Shoka, and surrounding areas to Al Mawasi, Khan Younis, in search of safety amid escalating uncertainty.

#### Observed Movement of ongoing displacement (31 March 2025 - Current):

• From all neighborhoods of Rafah → Khan Younis and Deir Al-Balah: 90,000 individuals

