

# **United Nations Mission in South Sudan (UNMISS)**

Media & Spokesperson Unit Communications & Public Information Office

# UPDATE

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# UNMISS "PROTECTION OF CIVILIANS" (POC) SITES I

• As of 1 October, the estimated number of civilians seeking safety in six Protection of Civilians (PoC) sites located on UNMISS bases is 184,282 including 107,649 in Bentiu, 27,950 in Juba UN House, 45,462 in Malakal, 2,289 in Bor, 700 in Melut and 232 in Wau.

STATE	LOCATION	Number of civilians seeking protection
Central	UN House PoC I	7,434
Equatoria	UN House PoC III	20,516
Unity	Bentiu	107,649
Upper Nile	Malakal	45,462
	Melut	700
Jonglei	Bor	2,289
Western Bahr	Wau	232
El Ghazal		
TOTAL		184,282

#### ADDITIONAL LINKS - CLICK THE LINKS

### **WEBSITE**

UN Chief addresses high level meeting on South Sudan http://bit.ly/1FOUCIe

UNMAS clears millions of square metres of land in South Sudan http://bit.ly/1KVwUsL

Lack of rain threatening crops and livestock in Pibor http://bit.ly/1LapI92

Fun run held in Bentiu protection site http://bit.ly/1FOV4GB

Inter-Church Committee leads prayers for peace in Bentiu http://bit.ly/1JO5GQG

#### **PHOTO**

UNMAS briefs media on their activities in South Sudan **UNMISS flickr album:** 

https://www.flickr.com/photos/unmissmultimedia/albums/72157658841340818

#### **UNMISS facebook link:**

https://www.facebook.com/permalink.php?story\_fbid=899907966751542&id=160839527325060

Radio Miraya visits those wounded in Maridi fuel tanker explosion at Juba Teaching Hospital **UNMISS flickr album:** 

https://www.flickr.com/photos/unmissmultimedia/albums/72157658924620408

UNMISS contingent's plant crops in Rejaf as part of CIMIC activities **UNMISS flickr album:** 

https://www.flickr.com/photos/unmissmultimedia/albums/72157657049423923

## **VIDEO**

As part of continued efforts to protect civilians, the head of the UN Mine Action Service (UNMAS) in South Sudan Tuesday told reporters in Juba that UNMAS has cleared millions of square meters of land in the African country from dangerous and hazardous explosives. UNMISS

http://www.unmultimedia.org/tv/unifeed/2015/09/south-sudan-mine-action-presser/

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>i</sup>Update on UNMISS figures in PoC sites are produced once a week