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UPDATE

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UNMISS “PROTECTION OF CIVILIANS” (PoC) SITES ¹

- As of 20 August, the estimated number of civilians seeking safety in six Protection of Civilians (PoC) sites located on UNMISS bases is 201,911 including 121,194 in Bentiu, 28,663 in Juba UN House, 48,840 in Malakal, 2,289 in Bor, 723 in Melut and 202 in Wau.

STATE	LOCATION	Number of civilians seeking protection
Central Equatoria	UN House PoC I & II	8,011
	UN House PoC III	20,652
Unity	Bentiu	121,194
Upper Nile	Malakal	48,840
	Melut	723
Jonglei	Bor	2,289
Western Bahr El Ghazal	Wau	202
TOTAL		201,911

ACTIVITIES IN PROTECTION SITES

Juba, UN House

- The protection of civilians' site 2 in UN House is scheduled to close on 31 August.*
- The United Nations High Commission for Refugees (UNHCR) is providing consultations with foreign nationals who are receiving three options for relocation. Some foreign nationals have committed to UNHCR's options and agreed to voluntarily relocate elsewhere.*

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WEBSITE

UNMISS hands over water system in Malith, Lakes State

<http://bit.ly/1Kfa80h>

Media in Juba stage three-day blackout over journalist's killing

<http://bit.ly/1hC9lvi>

World Humanitarian Day celebrated in Juba

<http://bit.ly/1Jma3T6>

UNMISS and partners relocate new Malakal IDPs

<http://bit.ly/1NJ8QcR>

Bentiu IDPs call for peace deal by IGAD deadline

<http://bit.ly/1MHS0Og>

PHOTO

UNPOL receive medals

<https://www.flickr.com/photos/unmissmultimedia/20573754870/in/dateposted-public/>

VIDEO

SOUTH SUDAN /WORLD HUMANITARIAN DAY

As the United Nations marks World Humanitarian Day, thousands of South Sudanese still remain in displaced persons' sites, with more still awaiting assistance. UNMISS

<http://www.unmultimedia.org/tv/unifeed/2015/08/south-sudan-world-humanitarian-day/>

ⁱ Update on UNMISS figures in PoC sites are produced once a week

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