



# Informal Settlement Profile: Qala-e Khatir Camp

Kabul District, Kabul Province, Afghanistan  
November 2016



## Background

This profile provides an overview of conditions in the informal settlement **Qala-e Khatir Camp**, located in Kabul district, Kabul province. This settlement is **urban** and its residents live in **partial mud houses**.

## Key Figures

	Households (HH)	Individuals	Avg HH Size
<b>Current residents</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>6</b>
IDPs	20	120	6
Returnees	40	240	6

Size of settlement	11,355 sq m
Average area per person	32 sq m
Altitude	1,757 m

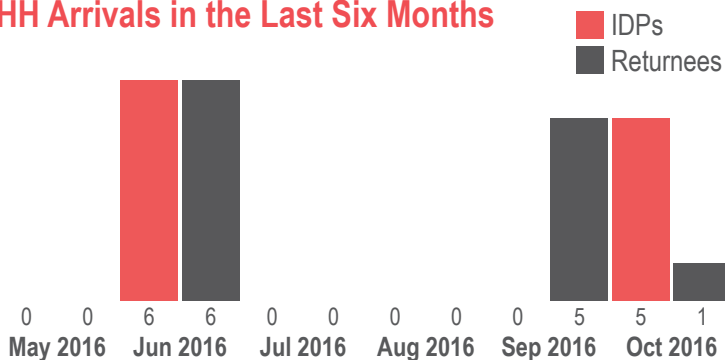
## Displacement

Located in Kabul's central District 10, this small informal settlement has been established on privately-owned land which is not integrated in any Kabuli neighbourhood. Each household's rent is collected and pooled by a settlement committee which then pays the landowner a monthly sum of 47,000 Afghanis. The site is entirely comprised of Pashtun communities. Two thirds of the population are returnees from Pakistan and the remaining third is IDPs from Laghman province.

The settlement was established in 2011 by 12 households returning from Peshawar, Pakistan. In 2013, a further 16 households from Peshawar moved to the site. A year later, 5 IDP households travelled from Alishang, Laghman to join to settlement. The site reached saturation in 2016 when 15 IDP households arrived from Alishang, Laghman and 12 returnee households travelled from Peshawar. After the last reported arrivals in 2016, there have been no new residents in the settlements due to spatial constraints.

Residents reportedly intend to remain in the settlement as they feel they have no alternative shelter and the site provides access to food and health facilities.

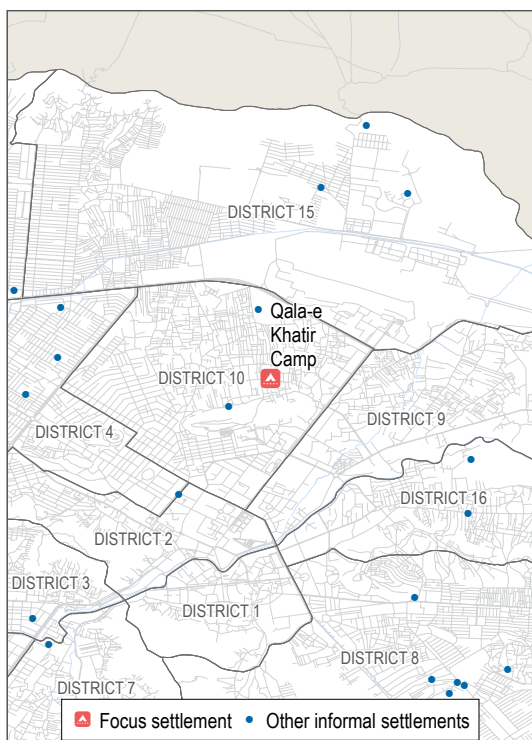
## HH Arrivals in the Last Six Months



## Previous Areas of Residence



## Location Map



## Informal Settlement Map

Lat. N 34.55029 Long. E 69.18933

