



Informal Settlement Profile: Pul-e Charkhi Naw Abad Families

Kabul District, Kabul Province, Afghanistan
November 2016



Background

This profile provides an overview of conditions in the informal settlement **Pul-e Charkhi Naw Abad Families**, located in Kabul district, Kabul province. This settlement is **peri-urban** and its residents live in **full mud houses**.

Key Figures

	Households (HH)	Individuals	Avg HH Size
Current residents	54	324	6
IDPs	24	144	6
Returnees	30	180	6

Size of settlement	265,280 sq m
Average area per person	818 sq m
Altitude	1,754 m

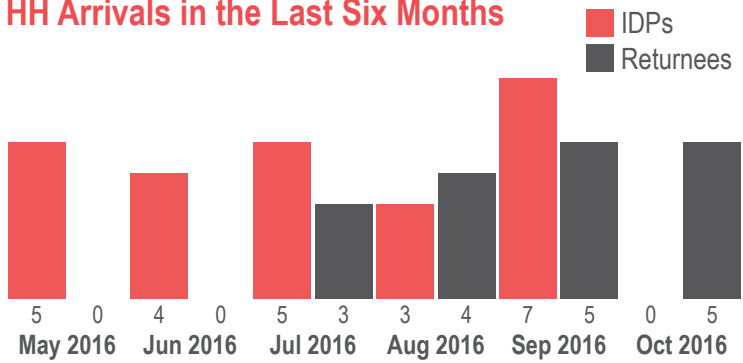
Displacement

Naw Abad Families is an integrated settlement, with residents renting private properties from local landlords in the Pul-e Charkhi neighbourhood. Households pay an average monthly rent of 4,500 Afghanis. The settlement is populated by Pashtun communities. The site is almost equally occupied by IDPs, from Kunduz, Kapisa and Baghlan, and by returnees from Pakistan.

The settlement was first established in 2014 when 8 households returned from Peshawar, Pakistan. In 2015, an additional 5 returnee households moved from Peshawar. The settlement continued to grow throughout 2016, with 41 IDP households mostly from Kunduz and Baghlan, and returnees from Mardan, Pakistan entering the site.

Residents reported feeling insecure in the settlement. Despite this, they also reportedly plan to stay in the settlement as the rental costs are affordable and there are employment prospects in the area.

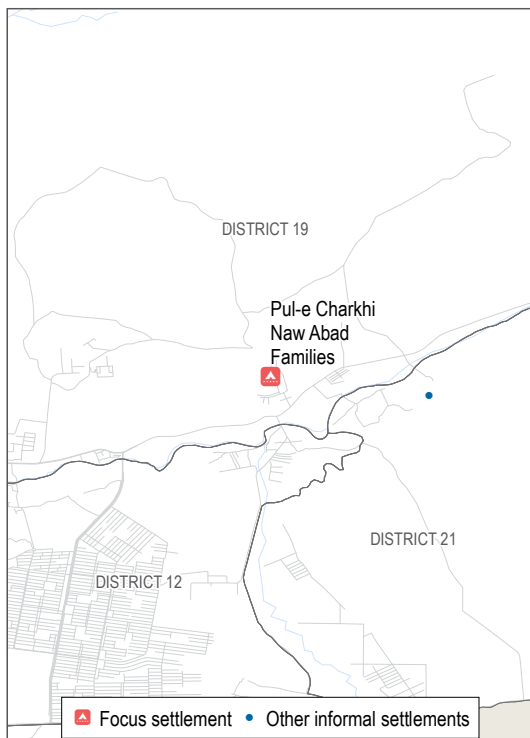
HH Arrivals in the Last Six Months



Previous Areas of Residence



Location Map



Informal Settlement Map

Lat. N 34.55865 Long. E 69.35793

