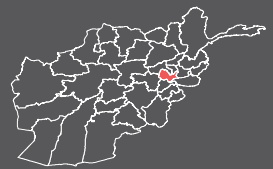




Informal Settlement Profile: Qala-e Musa

Kabul District, Kabul Province, Afghanistan

November 2016



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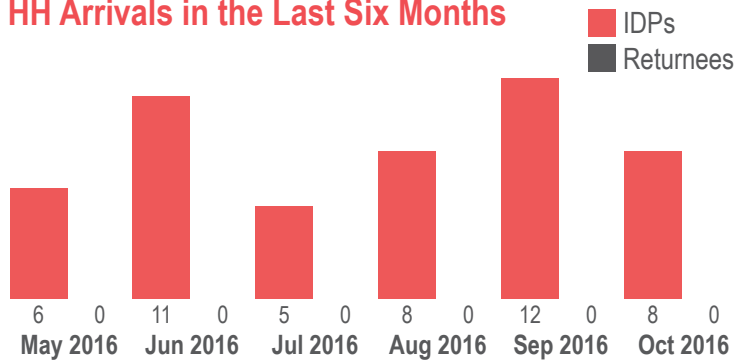
This profile provides an overview of conditions in the informal settlement **Qala-e Musa**, located in Kabul district, Kabul province. This settlement is **urban** and its residents live in **full mud houses**.

Key Figures

	Households (HH)	Individuals	Avg HH Size
Current residents	106	636	6
IDPs	106	636	6
Returnees	0	0	N/A

Size of settlement	44,060 sq m
Average area per person	122 sq m
Altitude	1,775 m

HH Arrivals in the Last Six Months



Displacement

This informal settlement is spread across a large area in the Qala-e Musa neighbourhood of Kabul, with residents renting private houses integrated amongst the host community. Each household pays an average monthly fee of 3,000 Afghanis. The majority of the population (88%) is Tajik, while the remaining communities are Uzbek (9%), Hazara (2%) and Pashtun (1%). All residents are IDPs.

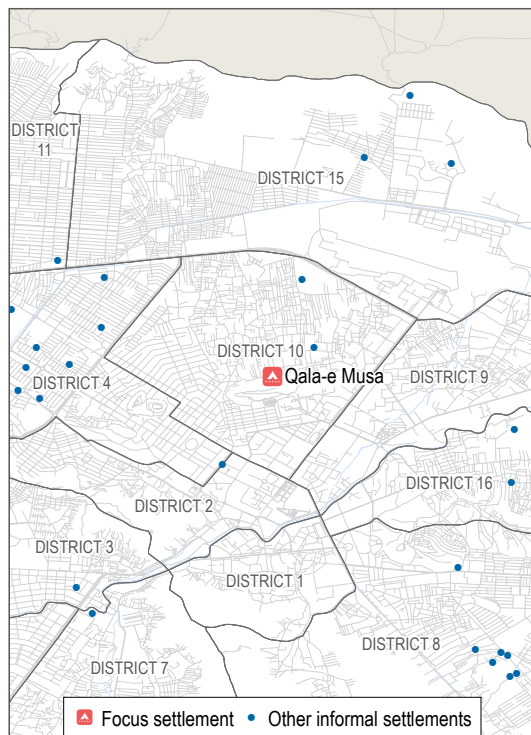
The settlement was first established in 2014 when 24 households moved from Has-e Awal, Panjsher. A year later, 30 households from Eshkmesh, Takhar joined the site. The last reported 52 households travelled from Dahana-e Ghor in Baghlan during 2016. The neighbourhood has space to expand, with more residents expected to join in 2017.

Nearly all residents reportedly plan to stay in Qala-e Musa camp as it is secure and rent is affordable.

Previous Areas of Residence



Location Map



Informal Settlement Map



Lat. N 34.54527 Long. E 69.18245