

Gaza doctors see increase in ankle injuries as Israeli forces shoot at protesters' legs



Gaza City, October 7 (RHC)-- Emergency medical workers in Gaza have reported a spike in ankle injuries among protesters. Israeli forces, including snipers, appear to be deliberately shooting at Palestinians' legs and ankles — wounds that are extremely difficult to treat and can lead to amputations.

Human rights groups also say the brutal tactic is unlawful. Recent protests in Gaza have condemned Israeli raids in the West Bank, the storming of East Jerusalem's Al-Aqsa compound by Jewish settlers and the blockade of the Gaza Strip.

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