

## **Israel-Hamas war**

**On the basis of the current figures, on average, 247 Palestinians are being killed and are at risk of being killed each day, many of them literally blown to pieces.**

**They include 48 mothers each day, two every hour. And over 117 children each day. Leading UNICEF to call Israel's actions a war on children. Entire multigenerational families will be obliterated and yet more children will become WCNSF — wounded child, no surviving family — the terrible new acronym born out of Israel's genocidal assault on the Palestinian population in Gaza.**

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