



வடகிழக்கு மனித உரிமைகள் செயலகம்
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Confirming details on victims from hospitals

All cases of deaths and injuries caused by bombing and shelling in Vanni are taken to either Kilinochchi or Mullaitivu hospitals. Both districts have a Regional Director of Health Services (RDHS) under whose supervision the government hospitals in that district function. Many of these hospitals are presently functioning in displaced locations. All the information provided in this report is obtained through the above mentioned hospitals and in some cases the homes of the victims are visited to obtain further details. If anyone wishes to confirm the reports of incidents noted in this report they can contact the respective Regional Director of Health Services (RDHS) by the phone number provided below.

The victims of bombing and shelling attacks in Kilinochchi are mostly taken to the Kilinochchi District Hospital now functioning in Tharmapuram. There is also a branch hospital functioning in Vaddakachchi in Kilinochchi. The Kilinochchi RDHS can be contacted for confirmation of cases in these two hospitals. The contact details of RDHS for Kilinochchi are:

Dr Sathiamoorthy (RDHS Kilinochchi)
Phone: 060 215 8086

Mullaitivu District Hospital is presently functioning in its old complex in Mullaitivu town. However, major cases are presently handled in the Putukudiyiruppu hospital. In Mullaitivu District there is also a private hospital, the Ponnambalan hospital where some cases are taken. The Mullaitivu RDHS can be contacted for confirmation of cases in these three hospitals. The contact details of RDHS for Mullaitivu are:

Dr Shanmugarajah (RDHS Mullaitivu)
Phone: 060 224 2150

6-13 January Bombing and Shelling victims in Vanni

Killed

1. Suthaharan Sudarnilavan, 11 months old baby
2. K Pratheepa, female aged 20
3. Kamala, female aged 56



Injured

1. Charanya, female child aged 6
2. Jeganathan Rathees, male child aged 14
3. Thommai Kaliston Dular, male child aged 15
4. Markandu Janakaraj, male child aged 16
5. Sasikaran Sasi, female aged 25
6. Vijayan Usha, female aged 30
7. Thommai Venitta, female aged 38
8. Pachchiamma, female aged 66
9. Revathy, female aged 36
10. Subramanium Suganthini, male aged 28
11. Anthonipillai Thevathas, male aged 41
12. Ramesh, male aged 22
13. Mariathas Anthony, male aged 17



Shelling attack
on 8 January
at 1.00pm on
Vadakachi in
Kilinochchi

6-13 January Bombing and Shelling victims in Vanni

Killed

1. Balanayagam-Nachchipillai, female aged 78 years,
2. Yogan-Tharsha, female aged 19 years,
3. Thurairajah-Kandeepan, male aged 20 years



Injured:

1. Murugesu Sinnarajah, male aged 51 years,
2. Kulaveerasingam-Kulatheesan, male aged 27 years,
3. Sinnarajah-Jegatheepan, male aged 16 years,
4. Sarvesvaran-Kavitha, female aged 35 years,
5. Mathivannan-Mirunisha, female aged 12 years,
6. Ramachandran-Thulasikah, female aged 12 years,
7. Ramachandran-Kumanan, male aged 30 years,
8. Subramaniam-Sivaparan, male aged 26 years,
9. Karthigesu-Vijayasoorya, female aged 27 years,
10. Arulnesarajah-Anusan, male aged 13 years,
11. Jeyatharshan, male aged 15 years,
12. Kanapathipillai-Poobalasingam, male aged 67 years,
13. Sellaiyah-Leelawathy, female aged 83 years,
14. Mathews-Anthoniammah, female aged 62 years,



Shelling attack
on 8 January
on
Tharmapuram
in Kilinochchi
around
1.30pm

6-13 January Bombing and Shelling victims in Vanni



Mother, father and daughter celebrating a family culture

Killed:

1. Thuraisamy Thamilini, female aged 17
2. Thuraisamy Chinnammah, female aged 57
3. Kaththan Thuraisamy, male aged 65
4. Suppaih Thavakumar, male aged 17

The IDP camp hit by shelling was made up of around eight families from Chilawathai in Mullaithivu. Their displacement history is a window into the displacement history of Tamils. These people originally from the upcountry were evicted by the 1983 racial pogrom and they were settled the Kokkilai area in the Mullaithivu District in the large farms that used to be called Dollar and Kent farms which were managed by wealthy Tamils. In 1984, they with all the other Tamils in Kokkilai and the surrounding areas were ordered out with 24 hours notice by the Sri Lankan military. They then settled in the Chilawaththai area in Mullaithivu by the Catholic Parish priest. In 1992 they displaced from here due to SLA military. In 2002, they went back to this land and were again affected by the 2004 tsunami. They displaced again in December 2008 following SLA shelling.

Shelling attack on 10 January at 10.10 pm in Ward-9 in PTK in Mullaithivu District




Mother and daughter injured




Injured:

1. Kalathepan Thivya, female child aged 5
2. Kalathepan Manjula, female aged 25
3. Rasaih Suppaih, male aged 42 (lost both legs)

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	<p>Some among the ten injured IDPs:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Rameshkumar Sanjeevan, male child aged 2 2. Selvarasa Tharsika, female aged 17, 2. Singarasa Nithya, female aged 25, 3. Mariathas Anthony, male aged 85, 4. Ponnamah, female aged 75, 5. Arasaratnam Piramilan, male aged 17 6. M Shanmugalingam, male aged 35, 7. Koneswaran, male aged 24 8. Jeyanantha, male aged 25 		<p>Shelling attack around 1.00pm on 11 January on Theravil in Mullaitivu District</p>
	<p>Among the injured are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A Murugaih, male aged 68 2. Perumal Amaravathy, female aged 60 3. S Govinthasamy, male aged 63 		<p>Shelling attack all morning on Tharmapuram in Kilinochchi District on 11 January</p>
	<p>Among the injured are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Puniyamoorthy Sarujan, male child aged 01 2. A Manonmani, female aged 54 		<p>Shelling attack near Kallaru in Kilinochchi District on 11 January</p>

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	<p>Puthukudiyiruppu (PTK) hospital ward damaged in the attack.</p>	<p>PTK Hospital shelling on 13 January at 10..00am</p>
<p>Damage to the PTK hospital</p>	<p>Killed: Vijayaratnam Vathsala, female aged 38 killed in a simultaneous shelling attack in Ananthapuram nearby.</p>	
	<p>Injured Ananthakumaran Manonmani, female aged 26 of Ward-3 Kombavil Murugaih Sivalingam, male aged 61 of Vernavil PTK</p>	<p>Shelling attack on Manthuvil in PTK at 12.20pm</p>
<p>Manonmani injured</p>	<p>Selvanayagam Seeralan, male aged 26 of Ward-3 Mulliyavalai</p>	
	<p>Injured: Kandaih Santhakuru, male aged 56, Kumulamunai Krishnapillai Vijayan, male aged 30, Ward-1 Vernavil Paramakuru Pratheepan, male age 23 Ward-9 PTK</p>	<p>Shelling attack on Manthuvil in PTK at 12.20pm</p>
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Mother and brother of the two sisters killed

Killed:

1. Suthaskaran Sujeevan, male child aged 14 years (one of the two sisters)
2. Suthaskaran-Sujitha, female aged 16 years (one of the two sisters)
3. Sumanan Mayoori, female aged 19 years



One of the three injured women over the age of

80

Injured

1. Suntharalingam Nithishanth, male child aged 13years,
2. Rajagopal Rukmany, female aged 89years,
3. Rathnam Nageswary, female aged 83 years,
4. A civilian, female aged 80 years,
5. Vimalanathan Kajintha, female aged 16 years,
6. Suppaiah Kanagaratnam, male aged 60 years,
7. Sellappah Markandu, male aged 64years,
8. Veerapathirar Parameswaran, male aged 62years,
9. Ganeshan Chandramalar, female aged 57years,
10. Sukumar Uthayakumar, male aged 16 years,
11. Markandu Pratheepa, female aged 18years,
12. Subramaniam Kunaranjiny, female aged 37years,
13. Singarajah Sugirthan, male aged 18years,
14. Ramasamy Maniam, male aged 49 years,
15. Subramaniam Suthaskaran, male aged 40years,

Shelling
attack on
Thoddiyadi
in
Visuvamadu
on 13
January at
11.00am