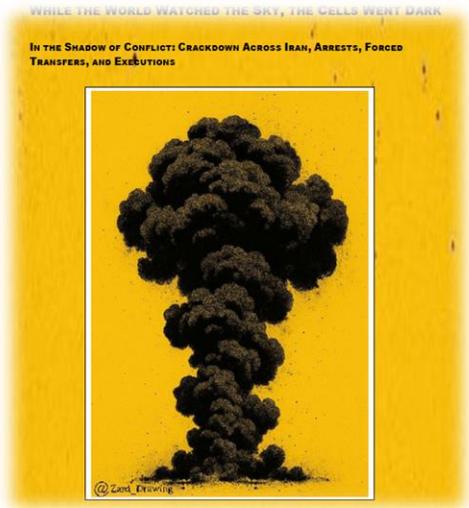


## Escalating Human Rights Crisis in Iran



### CFPPI Issues Urgent Call to Action:

The Campaign to Free Political Prisoners in Iran (CFPPI) has released a new report, “In the Shadow of Conflict: Crackdown Across Iran, Arrests, Forced Transfers and Executions,” documenting a sharp rise in human rights violations following the June 2025 conflict with Israel and the Israeli airstrike on Evin Prison.

The report highlights:

- Forced transfers of political prisoners, including women and foreign nationals, under degrading conditions.
- Surge in executions, with dissent increasingly criminalized under the charge of “collaboration with Israel.”
- Medical neglect and abuse, targeting elderly and chronically ill detainees.
- Disappearances and torture across Qarchak and Fashafouyeh prisons.

CFPPI warns these actions may constitute crimes under international law and amount to collective punishment.

The organization is urging the UN, EU, and global community to:

- Halt executions and release political prisoners.
- Allow access for independent observers.
- Ensure proper medical care for detainees.

The full report has been submitted to UN bodies and is available at [wp.me/p9yWrK-dG2](https://wp.me/p9yWrK-dG2).

## Sharifeh Mohammadi Faces Execution Amid Global Outcry



The death sentence of Sharifeh Mohammadi, a long-time defender of workers, women, and the marginalized, has triggered strong condemnation from labor unions, human rights groups, and the United Nations.

After nearly two years in prison marked by torture and solitary confinement, Iran’s Supreme Court upheld her execution on charges of “rebellion,” widely denounced as fabricated.

Civil society groups, including the Haft Tappeh Sugarcane Workers’ Syndicate, condemned the verdict as a political attack on workers and women, demanding the cancellation of Mohammadi’s sentence and the release of all political prisoners.

At the international level, UN Special Rapporteur Mai Sato warned that executing Mohammadi would violate international law, citing torture, denial of legal counsel, and a flawed trial. She urged Iran to halt the execution immediately and respect fair trial standards.

Sharifeh Mohammadi's case has become a powerful symbol of the systematic repression of workers, women, and political dissidents in Iran. Labor groups, rights advocates, and the UN are urging the global community to apply diplomatic and political pressure to stop her execution and demand freedom for all political prisoners.

Please sign this petition to save her life:

[Petition Against the Unjust Death Sentence Against Sharifeh Mohammadi](#)

## 83rd Week of the "Tuesdays Against Executions" Campaign Across 50 Prisons in Iran

The "Tuesdays Against Executions" campaign entered its 83rd consecutive week, with protests held in 50 prisons across the country. Families of prisoners and activists once again raised their voices against Iran's escalating use of the death penalty.

Recent figures highlight the scale of the crisis: between August 1–18, 2025, at least 136 people were executed, bringing the total for this year to 627 executions. Behind each number, campaigners stressed, are shattered lives and grieving families.

At the same time, activist Sepideh Gholian called for a nationwide, society-wide movement to stop executions. Writing on X, she urged Iranians to move beyond symbolic mourning and instead channel creativity, solidarity, and grassroots action to defend the right to life.

Gholian stressed the importance of allying with families of prisoners, including those convicted of ordinary crimes, and pointed to the role of students and activists who have already faced imprisonment for supporting the "No to Execution" campaign.

"The student movement can make 'No to Execution' a nationwide demand. Executions must become a political issue that engages all of society," she wrote.

Both the campaign and Gholian's message underline a growing demand for unity — urging all citizens to:

- Stand with families of those on death row.
- Oppose unjust verdicts and the death penalty by all available means.
- Transform resistance into organized, collective action.

## The Political Prisoner Dies Under Torture in Iran

CFPPI has confirmed that Reza Saraghi, arrested two and a half months ago, has died under torture while in custody. His family is reportedly under threat from security forces to remain silent.

The campaign noted this case follows a pattern of deaths in detention, citing victims such as Nika Shakarami and others who were killed through torture, sexual assault, medical neglect, or so-called "suspicious deaths."

CFPPI condemned these acts as part of a systematic policy of "silent executions" amounting to crimes against humanity, and called for an independent investigation, accountability for perpetrators, and the unconditional release of all political and sick prisoners.

## Lend your voice

Want to help but don't have the time? Can you help us spread the word? We can come to your organization/work/event to give a talk about the current situation in Iran and what CFPPI is doing to help political prisoners in Iran.

If you would like to support, please check our website and [Take Action](#)

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