

List of **64 women** political prisoners sentenced to execution or in danger of death sentence

A brief clarification:

This document is a list of some of the political prisoners in Iran sentenced to execution or in danger of being given death sentence.

Since the emergence of the "**Woman, Life, Freedom**" movement, Iran has established itself as the country with the highest number of recorded executions in the world (excluding China). Starting on **December 28, 2025**, with the onset of a new wave of mass protests, the regime has responded with unprecedented repression. For instance, on **January 8 and 9, 2026**, state forces carried out massacres resulting in over 30,000 victims during the demonstrations, in addition to making tens of thousands of arbitrary arrests.

Year	Executions in the world	Executions in Iran	% Iran / World	Daily average of executions in Iran
2022	825	576	70%	1,7
2023	1153	853	74%	2,3
2024	1518	975	64%	2,7
2025	There are no verified data yet	2028 Home - Iran HRS		5,6
2026	There are no verified data yet	700 Home - Iran HRS		5,8

The recorded execution data worldwide does not include China



On 20 February 2026, UN human rights experts called on the Iranian authorities to immediately take the following actions: halt all executions and death sentences, including those linked to the protests; disclose the fate and whereabouts of disappeared persons; release all those arbitrarily detained during and after the protests; and guarantee their due process rights. <https://www.ohchr.org/en/press-releases/2026/02/iran-un-experts-demand-transparency-and-accountability-following-nationwide-protests>



In February 2026, Amnesty International reported on the death penalty in connection with nationwide protests in rushed and unfair trials, with allegations of torture and denial of legal assistance. It called on UN member states and international bodies to take coordinated diplomatic action: <https://www.amnesty.org/en/latest/news/2026/02/iran-children-among-30-people-at-risk-of-the-death-penalty-amid-expedited-grossly-unfair-trials-connected-to-uprising/>

Narges Mohammadi Nobel Peace Prize (hospitalized, sentence stopped): *The Islamic Republic is exposing the Iranian people to war and resorting to intensified repression, terror, and increased executions and mass arrests. I hope that international human rights organizations will not remain silent.*

Undoubtedly, international support for those on death row, particularly through **sponsorship**, has helped save the lives of many of them. **On the last page of this list is explained how to be a political sponsorship of a prisoner**

Due to the regime's **lack of information transparency**, it is impossible to provide an exhaustive list of the thousands of citizens accused of "**War against God/Enmity against God**" (**Moharebeh**), a charge that carries the death penalty. Below is a partial list of those currently on death row.

This list can be viewed using this QR code:



ID	Name	Age	City-Prison	Legal Status	Charges	Details
1	Aida Azimi	22	Karaj	Risk of Death sentence	Participation in protests	Arrested on 07/01/2026, Fardis – Karaj
2	Ameneh Soleymani	32	Ardebil	Risk of death sentence	Corruption on Earth for treating injured protesters	Arrested on 17/01/2026 at her home in Ardebil; Doctor and director of a clinic in Ardebil
3	Aniseh Nejadi	Unknown	Darab	Risk of Death Sentence	Participation in protests	Arrested on 10/01/2026 , Darab; Mother of a 5-year-old child (Enforced Disappearance)
4	Arshia Afshar	18	Isfahan Central Prison (Dastgerd)	Risk of Death Sentence	Participation in protests	Arrested on 09/01/2026; Bahá'í religion
5	Aylin Sahragar	24	Kerman	Risk of death sentence	Propaganda / National Security	Arrested on 13/01/2026. Bahá'í religion
6	Azar Yahoo	38	Vakil Abad Prison, Mashad	Risk of Death Sentence	Using a sticker in cyberspace and celebrating the death of Khamenei	Arrested on 05/03/2025, Mashhad
7	Bahareh Afshar	Unknown	Dolatabad Prison, Isfahan	Risk of Death Sentence	Participation in protests	Arrested on 09/01/2026, Shahin Shahr; Bahá'í religion
8	Bitá Aghaei	21-24	Tehran	Risk of death sentence	Enmity against God	A student activist arrested in the capital's crackdown
9	Bitá Ali Hemmati	38	Tehran	Death Sentence	Enmity against God	Arrested on 08/01/2026 at her home in Tehran ; Wife of Mohammad Reza Majidi
10	Dasta Farrokhi	20	Arak	Risk of Death Sentence	Participation in protests	Arrested on 10/01/2026 at her home, Arak; There is no news of him(Enforced Disappearance)
11	Diana Taherabadi	16	Kachouyi Correction and Rehabilitation Center, Karaj	Risk of death sentence	Participate in demonstrations	Arrested on 25/01/2026, at her home, Gohardasht, Karaj;
12	Farideh Ketabi	He is old and sick	Miandoab, Urmia	Risk of Death	Arrested to pressure and silence her daughter, an LGBTQI+ activist in exile in Europe	Arrested on 27/03/2026 at her home, Miandoab; Mother of Zahra Seddiqi (Sara), an LGBTQI+ activist in exile in Europe.
13	Fatemeh Afshari	Unknown	Tehran	Risk of Death Sentence	Provide medical care to injured protesters	Arrested during the 2026 protests. Operating Room Specialist at Atieh Hospital, Tehran; Mother of an eight-year-old child,
14	Golnar Naraghi	37	Qarchak Prison	Risk of Death Sentence	Participation in protests	Arrested on 14/01/2026, Tehran; Doctor; ;
15	Hadis Naseri	24	Minab	Risk of Death Sentence	Participation in protests	Arrested on 09/01/2026, Minab; Hairdresser
16	Hadiseh Morvaridi	24	Vakil Abad Prison, Mashad	Risk of Death Sentence	Insulting the Prophet	arrested on 08/01/2026, Fariman
17	Hajar Hamidi	36	Urmia Central Prison, Kurdistan	Death Sentence	Enmity against God	Arrested on 15/12/2022 - Oshnavieh
18	Kamelia Nazari	18	Shiraz	Risk of Death Sentence	Participation in protests	Arrested on 10/01/2026, Shiraz; bahá'í ; case of enforced disappearance (legal limbo)
19	Leila Jafari (Diana)	35	Zanjan	Risk of Death Sentence	Participation in protests	Arrested on 24/04/2026; She is a former political prisoner. During the 2022 protests, she was arrested, held in solitary confinement for 40 days and, after being released on bail, was sentenced to 3 years of probation.
20	Maedeh Daneshmand	Unknown	Isfahan	Risk of Death Sentence	Participation in protests	Arrested on 10/01/2026, Mobarekeh Isfahan.Wife of Peyman Momeni
21	Mahbubeh Shabani	33	Vakilabad Prison , Mashad	Risk of Death Sentence	Transported injured protesters to medical centers on her motorcycle	Arrested on 01/02/2026 in Azadi Square, Mashhad. Her motorcycle was seized;
22	Mahnaz Haddad Kakhki	53	Vakilabad Prison, Mashhad	Risk of Death Sentence	Inquiring at the courts about her son's whereabouts."	Primary school teacher; Arrested on 22/02/2026, Fariman. She is mother of Vahid Qasemi
23	Mahsa Sotoudeh	25	Enforced Disappearance	Risk of Death Sentence	The accusation is unknown, but she professes the Bahá'í faith.	Arrested on 29/03/2026 at her home, Shiraz ; She is sister of Mandana
24	Mandana Sotoudeh	37	Enforced Disappearance	Risk of Death Sentence	The accusation is unknown, but she professes the Bahá'í faith.	Arrested on 01/04/2026 at her home, Shiraz ; she is wife of Behzad basiri and sister of Mahsa;
25	Mani Farhadi	25	Sanandaj Central Prison	Death Sentence	Rebellion against the rgime(Baghy)	Kurdish activist; sentenced without access to a private lawyer.

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26	Maryam Hodavand	40	Evin Prison, Tehran	Death Sentence	Participation in protests ; set fire to a Mosque	Arrested in 01/2026; Mother of two; Accused of setting fire to a mosque in Pakdash
27	Maryam Shamshiri	32	Unknown	Risk of death sentence	Corruption on Earth	Arrested on 07/01/2026; Long time in an isolation unit;
28	Mastoureh Narimani	35	Ahvaz	Risk of death sentence	Participate in demonstrations	Arrested on 10/01/2026 Ahvaz; She is teacher
29	Melika Azizi	18	Lakan prison, Rasht	Death sentence	Enmity against God	Arrested on 09/01/2026, Masal-Guilan
30	Minou Mehrabani	Unknown	Kerman	Risk of Death Sentence	Zoroastrian religious; manages the Telegram channel Followers of Asha.	Arrested on 15/03/2026, Kerman; Wife of Hooman Farvahari, who was also arrested
31	Mojgan Ilanlou	55	Evin Prison	Risk of Death Sentence	Participation in protests	Former political prisoner; Writer and documentary filmmaker Arrested on 15/03/2026 at her home; Won the Special Human Rights Award at the Vienna Human Rights Film Festival for the film Thousands of Women, 2022.
32	Moohebat Ghafoori	28	Lar, Fars	Risk of death sentence	National Security; She is in a "legal limbo" situation	Doctor detained in danger
33	Najmeh Amini	23	Vakilabad Prison, Mashhad	Risk of Death Sentence	Organize protest	Arrested on 31/01/2026 Mashhad
34	Najmeh Mohammadi	23	Vakilabad Prison, Mashhad	Death Sentence	Enmity against God & Collaboration with Israel	Arrested on 31/01/2026, Mashhad; Confessions under torture
35	Nasimeh Eslam Zehy	41	Qarchak Varamin Prison	Death Sentence	Enmity against God	Arrested pregnant in Malard in 2023, she lives in prison with her newborn, Tasnim. Her husband, Arsalan Sheikhli, was executed in 2026
36	Negar Ajam	25	Tehran (Qarchak)	Risk of Death Sentence	Rebellion against the regime(Baghy)	Journalist; accused of "conspiracy" with foreign media.
37	Negin Khaksar	34	Evin Prison	Risk of Death Sentence	Participation in protests	Arrested during the January 2026 protests; Pianista
38	Negin Rajabi	24	Tehran	Risk of Death Sentence	Participation in protests	Arrested during 2026 protests, Tehran
39	Niloufar Esfahani	18	Qazvin	Death sentence	Corruption on Earth	Arrested on 10/01/2026 at her home in Qazvin; The regime also imprisoned her mother
40	Nita Babanejad	Unknown	Dolatabad Prison, Isfahan	Risk of Death Sentence	Propaganda against the regime	Arrested on 05/03/2026 at her home, Isfahan; Mather of Parsa Emadi; Bahá'í religion
41	Pakhshan Azizi	41	Evin Prison → Qarchak Prison , Varamin	Death Sentence	Rebellion against the regime(Baghy)	Arrested on 04/08/2023 for being a Kurdish humanitarian activist
42	Panah Movahedi Salamat	24	Tehran	Risk of Death Sentence	Participation in protests	Arrested on 09/01/2026, Tehran; There is no news of her(Enforced Disappearance);
43	Raha Moini	23	Qarchak Prison, Varamin	Risk of Death Sentence	Participation in protests	She was shot and wounded during protests in Saadatabad, Tehran on January 2026; Master student in Biomedical Engineering in Italy
44	Raheleh Moini	23	Qarchak Prison- Tehran	Risk of Death Sentence	Enmity against God	Arrested on 18/01/2026; Engineering student in Milan
45	Rezvaneh Sadeghi	28	Evin Prison, Tehran	Risk of death sentence	Enmity against God	Arrested on 11/01/2026 at her home, Karaj.
46	Romina Khazaeli	44	Shiraz	Risk of Death Sentence	The accusation is unknown, but she professes the Bahá'í faith.	Arrested on 10/01/2026 at her home; Pinter
47	Romina Rahimi	20	Dolatabad Prison, Isfahan	Risk of death sentence	Participation in protests	Arrested on 24/01/2026, Isfahan; Twin sister of Taraneh
48	Roxana Ghanbari	19	Shahin Shahr, Isfahan	Risk of Death Sentence	Participation in protests	Arrested on 09/01/2026 at her home in Shahin Shahr; There is no news of him(Enforced Disappearance)
49	Sara Sepehri	41	Adel Abad Prison, Shiraz	Risk of Death Sentence	The accusation is unknown, but he professes the Bahá'í faith.	Arrested on 09/04/2026 at her home, Shiraz; She is ill, and so is her mother, whom she used to care for.
50	Sareh Mansouri (Zahra Seddiqi Hamedani)	34	Urmia Prison, Kurdistan	Risk of Death Sentence	Corruption on Earth	LGBTQI+ activist; Arrested on 27/10/20221 while crossing into Turkey to seek asylum.

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51	Sarvenaz amiri	30	Tehran	Risk of Death Sentence	Medical assistance and treatment of the injured	Arrested on 11/01/2026 in her home, Tehran; Doctor and humanitarian worker,
52	Seydeh Ghazal Shafie	23	Dalahu-Kermanshah	Risk of death sentence	Participate in demonstrations	Arrested on 09/01/2026 at her home; She belongs to the Yarsan religion.
53	Shakila Ghasemi	26	Kerman Central Prison	Risk of Death Sentence	Participation in protests	Arrested on 02/02/2026; Long time in individual cell Bahá'í religion
54	Sharifeh Mohammadi	45	Lakan prison, Rasht	Death Sentence	Rebellion against the regime(Baghy)	Arrested on 05/12/2023, Rasht for being a women's rights activist
55	Sheida Riahi Chelwani	30	Isfahan	Risk of Death Sentence	Brindar atención médica a los manifestantes heridos)	Arrested on 09/01/2026, Isfahan; Dr. Physician at Seyed Al Shohada Hospital
56	Shiva Esmaili	58	Ghezel Hesar prison, Karaj	Risk of Death Sentence	Assembly, Collusion and Propaganda against the regime; Membership in an Opposition Group	Arrested on 02/2022 Mother of Mehdi Esmaili; She was sentenced to 10 years in prison.
57	Somayeh Nazari	Under-age	Kermanshah Juvenile Correction Center	Risk of Death Sentence	Enmity against God	Arrested on 09/01/2026, Kermanshah
58	Taraneh Rahimi	20	Dolatabad Prison, Isfahan	Risk of death sentence	Participation in protests	Arrested on 24/01/2026, Isfahan; Twin sister of Romina
59	Tayebeh Saraji	37	Taybad, Khorasan	Risk of Death Sentence	Participation in protests	Arrested on 08/01/2026, Taybad-Khorasan; Mother of an 8 or 10-y.o. child. Some sources report its possible execution on 31/01/ 2026
60	Venus Hosseini-Nejad	28	Kerman Central Prison	Risk of Death Sentence	membership in an Israeli-linked "satanic" network	Arrested on 15/01/2026; She is a Bahá'í;
61	Verisheh Moradi	40	Evin Prison, Tehran	Death Sentence; Temporarily stopped (10/12/2025);	Rebellion against the regime(Baghy)	Arrested on 01/08/2023, Sanandaj; Kurdish women's rights activist; The application of the death penalty has been studied again (10/04/2026)
62	Zahra Shahbaz Tabari	68	Lakan prison, Rasht	Death Sentence	Rebellion, Collaborating with opposition groups	Arrested on 16/04/2025, Rasht - Gilan province; Her trial lasted about 10 minutes.
63	Zahra Torkamani	Unknown	Chobindar Prison, Qazvin	Risk of Death Sentence	Participation in protests	Arrested during December protests; Mother of Sarina rezai
64	Zeynab (Aban) Mousavi	24	Vakilabad Prison, Mashhad	Death Sentence	Enmity against God	Arrested 24/02/2026 in connection with the january protests, accused throwing Molotov cocktails; Sister of Hassan

How can you be a political sponsorship of a prisoner?

Choose a political prisoner from this list (it is also possible to choose more than one) and:

1. **Publish on social networks** (X, Facebook, Instagram...) that accept political sponsorship of this person, for example:

Through this message, I assume the political sponsorship of **NameOfPrisoner**, who is at risk of execution in Iran. I demand the immediate suspension of this death sentence and urge the release of **NameOfPrisoner**.
I call on the Government and the European Commission to exert pressure on the Iranian regime to halt this injustice.

2. **Send an email to the Iranian embassy** in the EU (Belgium) to request that the execution be stopped and to inquire about his legal and physical situation. For example:

To: secretariat@iranembassy.be

Subject: To the Attention of Head of Judiciary Mr. Gholamhossein Mohseni Ejei

I am, of the **Parliament(or City Council)** of, and as a human being and a committed democrat, I firmly oppose the death penalty, particularly in the case of political prisoners. Regrettably, Iran has the highest rate of executions per capita in the world.

I want to express my deep concern regarding the situation of **NameOfPrisoner** and my interest in knowing both the legal status and physical condition of this person. I also request the annulment of the death penalty and the immediate release of **NameOfPrisoner**.

I look forward to your response.

3. From time to time, post some news on social media about that prisoner's situation