

Family of Jawad Parweez remains concerned after his call from the prison hospital



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Jawad Parweez called his family on Monday, 7 September after being transported to Qalaa Hospital. His family is still worried about him.

His son, activist Husain Jawad, confirmed that his father is in Qalaa Hospital and that he “sounded weak on the phone--he could hardly speak.”

Parweez told his family that the medical staff is treating him well, but he said he felt dizzy and unable to stand or concentrate. He also complained that he is suffering from severe back pain.

He added that prison authorities in Jau Prison attempted to handcuff him before taking him to the hospital, but he refused. They eventually transported him without the handcuffs due to his bad health.

Parweez complained of the poor hospital conditions and his restriction from reading the Quran, newspapers, and watching TV. His specific request for a Quran was denied.

The Parweez family expressed their ongoing concerns despite his call. They attributed Parweez's poor health to his age (63 years old) and the lack of proper treatment in jail, along with the prison's atmosphere. They called for his immediate release to provide proper treatment for his conditions.