



- **Amnesty International has a global campaign calling on Biden to close Guantanamo once and for all.** Join their efforts at [amnestyusa.org/guantanamo](https://www.amnestyusa.org/guantanamo).
- **The Guantanamo prison remains open today with 40 men still imprisoned there.** The vast majority have never been charged with a crime.
- The military detention facility at the US naval base in Guantánamo was opened in 2002 in order to imprison people outside the reach of US law. Guantánamo is one of many ways the US abandoned critical human rights protections in the hopes of gathering intelligence to prosecute its so-called “War on Terror” -- itself a violation of international law.
- Guantánamo is a place where crimes under international law have been committed over the past 19 years, including torture. **There has been no accountability for those crimes.**
- **Guantánamo has imprisoned 780 Muslim men since 2002.** It is a symbol of Islamophobia and fearmongering by the United State government.
- Six of the men who remain at Guantanamo have been cleared for release from the prison by the US government, some for as long as 10 years. They should have been freed a long time ago.
- Obama said he would close the detention camp at Guantánamo, but failed to do so. Let’s make sure President Biden follows through on closing the prison and putting an end to the human rights violations taking place there.

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