Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Situation Report

Data as reported by national authorities by 23:00 local time 15 August 2020

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World Health Organization

	Glo	bal	Eastern Mediterranean Region		
	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths	
Total	21,026,758	755,786	1,710,272	45,361	
New	857,345 in 3 days	23,631 in 3 days	40,339 in 3 days	1,073 in 3 days	

Kingdom of Bahrain

	Confirmed Cases	Recovered Cases	Deaths	Active Cases	Critical Cases	PCR Tests
Total	46,430	42,806	170	3,454	35	962,334
New	1,166 in 3 days	970 in 3 days	4 in 3 days	-	-	28,572 in 3 days

HIGHLIGHTS

• The mortality were: a 57 years old male Bahrainin Citizen and 3 male expatriates (54,56 and 73 years old).

• National Medical Taskforce highlighted the importance of adherence to the public health precautionary measures during Ashura season. This call was echoed by several doctors and medical managers at the MoH.

Education and Health Ministries held a lecture on the precautionary measures to prevent COVID-19.

• Bahrain participates in the seminar on the impact of the Corona pandemic on Gulf higher education.

• MOH: Within 48 hours of opening, a total of 2,220 volunteers have registered to take part in the third phase of clinical trials of potential Covid-19 vaccine.

• The Supreme Council for Islamic Affairs reiterated that prayers at mosques, collective worship and religious assemblies will remain suspended.

 The Institute for Political Development organizes the second session of Tarabot 2 Program; documenting distanced education practices under the COVID-19 pandemic circumstances and presented its recommendations.

• Bahraini Red Crescent develops its strategy on response to the needs of the (Covid-19) pandemic.

- An electronic drug tracking system launched to ensure the safety of imported medicines.

• WHO, UNICEF: 2 in 5 schools around the world lacked basic handwashing facilities prior to COVID-19 pandemic; see link below.

• WHO, INCBUNODC statement on access to internationally controlled medicines during COVID-19 pandemic; see link below.

• WHO: Emergency Global Supply Chain System (COVID-19) catalogue; see link below.

 \bullet WHO: Home care for patients with suspected or confirmed COVID-19 and management of their contacts; see link below.

IMPORTANT LINKS

• Daily COVID-19 updates on MoH website:

https://www.moh.gov.bh/ • WHO's COVID-19 global situation reports:

https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/situation-reports

• WHO, UNICEF: 2 in 5 schools around the world lacked basic handwashing facilities prior to COVID-19 pandemic:

https://www.who.int/news-room/detail/13-08-2020-2-in-5-schools-around-the-world-lacked-basic-handwashing-facilities-prior-to-covid-19-pandemic-unicef-who

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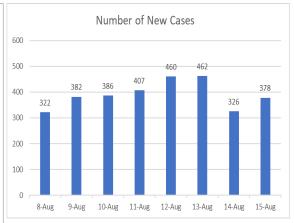
management of their contacts:

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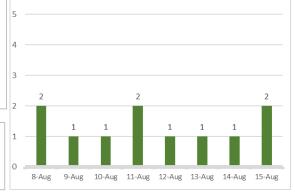
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Number of New Deaths



Total Number of Cases