# Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Situation Report

Data as reported by national authorities by 24:00 local time 18 July 2021

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|       |                      | Global             | Eastern Mediterranean Region   |                             |  |  |
|-------|----------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|--|
|       | COVID-19 Cases       | COVID-19 Deaths    | COVID-19 Cases                 | COVID-19 Deaths             |  |  |
| Total | 188,655,968          | 4,067,517          | 11,644,006                     | 224,702                     |  |  |
| New   | 491,468 (as 16 July) | 8,267 (as 16 July) | 56,411 (as <sup>16 July)</sup> | 582 <sup>(as 16 July)</sup> |  |  |

### Kingdom of Bahrain

|       | Confirmed Cases | Recovered<br>Cases | Deaths | Active Cases | Critical<br>Cases | PCR Tests | Vaccine First<br>Dose | Vaccine Second<br>Dose | Booster Dose |
|-------|-----------------|--------------------|--------|--------------|-------------------|-----------|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------|
| Total | 267,882         | 265,638            | 1,380  | 864          | 14                | 5,272,695 | 1,096,309             | 1,032,792              | 112,393      |
| New   | 86              | 117                | 0      | -            | -                 | 14,966    | -                     | -                      | -            |

#### **HIGHLIGHTS and USEFULL LINKS**

#### MOH

- The Kingdom moves to the orange level starting 19 July to 22 July 2021
- The National Vaccination Campaign continues across the Kingdom
- WHO Director General Dr Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus and WHO Regional Director for the Eastern Mediterranean Dr Ahmed Al Mandhari will be visiting Bahrain after Eid Al Adha holidays to attend the official opening of the WHO office in Bahrain
- > 1 million people in #Bahrain have received 2 doses of the COVID19 vaccine, ensuring that 70% of the population regardless of their citizenship status is now provided with an additional layer of protection for free.
- The National Medical Taskforce for Combatting the Coronavirus (COVID-19) announces the booster dose interval has been reduced to one month after the second dose for high-risk individuals
- Demand for the age group from 12 to 17 years to take the anti-Coronavirus (Covid-19) vaccination in order to preserve their safety and the safety of all

### **WHO**

### • Safe Eid al Adha practices in the context of COVID-19

### Health Systems:

- <u>Tool for diagnostics, therapeutics, vaccine readiness, and other health products for</u> COVID-19
- New global guidance on Modelling the health impacts of disruptions to essential health services during COVID-19

Clinical Interventions: Interim guidance on infection prevention and control during health care when coronavirus disease (COVID-19) is suspected or confirmed Clinical Management: Guidance on the WHO Global Clinical Platform for the Clinical Characterization of COVID-19: Statistical Analysis Plan

### **Vaccines and Vaccine Safety**

- <u>Module on safety surveillance of COVID-19 vaccines in pregnant and breastfeeding women</u>
- Ethical framework for WHO's work in the ACT-Accelerator
- <u>Sentinel surveillance of Adverse Events of Special Interest (AESIs) after vaccination</u> with COVID-19 Vaccines

International Travel: Implementing a risk-based approach to international travel

Essential Health Services: Strengthening real-time monitoring of health services in the context of the COVID-19 (Implementation Guidance for Assessments of Frontline Service Readiness)

IPC: Considerations for quarantine of contacts of COVID-19 Cases (Interim Guidance)

Lab: Recommendations for national SARS-CoV-2 testing strategies and diagnostic capacities (Interim Guidance)

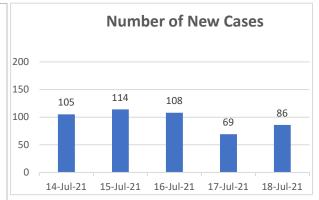
Surveillance : Indicator framework to evaluate the public health effectiveness of digital proximity tracing solutions

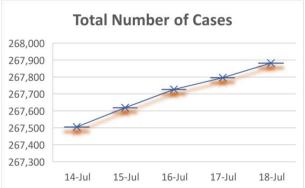
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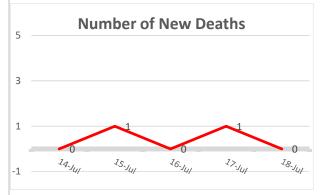
- Joint (WHO-UNICEF-IFRC-GOARN) toolbox for empowering families to manage risks
- Joint (WHO-UNICEF-IFRC-GOARN) toolbox for managing health and happiness

  Public Health and Social Measures: Considerations for implementing and adjusting

  public health and social measures in the context of COVID-19 (Interim Guidance)







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