# Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Situation Report

Data as reported by national authorities by 24:00 local time 29 September 2021

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		Global	Eastern Mediterranean Region				
	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths			
Total	232,636,622	4,762,089	15,731,766	288,560			
New	407,664 <sup>(29 Sept)</sup>	7,207 <sup>(29 Sept)</sup>	22,560 <sup>(29 Sep)</sup>	459 <sup>(29 Sept)</sup>			

# Kingdom of Bahrain (29 Sept)

	Confirmed Cases	Recovered Cases	Deaths	Active Cases	Critical Cases	PCR Tests	Vaccine First Dose	Vaccine Second Dose	Booster Dose
Total	274,981	272,905	1,389	687	5	6,427,427	1,164,760	1,117,524	299,884
New	56	102	0	-	-	15,544	-	-	-







#### Green level (lowest alert level)

Based on the average percentage of cases to tests, in addition to the level of occupancy in intensive care units. The Green Level is adopted when the rolling average percentage of positive cases out of tests carried out is below 2% for 14 days.

#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

#### Fake face masks are seized in crackdown

Counterfeit face masks and thermometers were seized by inspectors from the local market, in a crackdown to help health authorities tackling the Covid-19 pandemic. Inspectors at the National Health Regulatory Authority (NHRA) also encountered the prevalence of devices sold with the promise of disinfecting the air around a person alongside unsubstantiated anti-coronavirus claims last year.

### **National Taskforce for Combating Coronavirus receives Voluntary Work Award**

Supreme Council for Health (SCH) and Head of the National Taskforce for Combating the Coronavirus (Covid-19) chairman Lieutenant General Dr Shaikh Mohammed bin Abdulla Al Khalifa received Cabinet Affairs Ministry's Undersecretary and Honorary President of the Good Word Society Shaikh Isa bin Ali bin Khalifa Al Khalifa who presented to him the Voluntary Work Award honoring Team Bahrain for the second consecutive year. Shaikh Isa expressed his sincere appreciation for the outstanding and noble contributions made by the members of the National Taskforce for Combating the Coronavirus (Covid-19).

#### Crucial Covid studies carried out in Bahrain

Bahrain has published 23 crucial and ground-breaking studies on coronavirus (Covid-19) in the last 12 months outlining the country's successful pandemic policies, a senior medic has revealed. The list of research papers updated by the National Taskforce for Combating Covid-19 include 12 on clinical and treatment protocols of Covid-19, six on epidemiology and public health, three on Covid-19 vaccines and two on diagnostic topics. The analyses are published on regional and international scientific journals and platforms and could prove essential reading for other countries tackling the pandemic, as well as offer methodology and good practice guidelines to help tackle any future health crises.

### Quarantine-free visa plan 'a success'

More than 90 Bahrainis have taken advantage of a quarantine-free visa agreement with Thailand. The 'Sandbox Programme' allows vaccinated travelers to visit specific areas without quarantining, as long as they remain in the designated area for seven to 14 days.

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