Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Situation Report

Data as reported by national authorities by 24:00 local time 09 November 2021

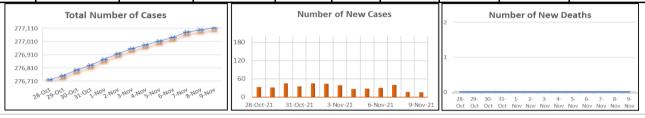
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		Global	Eastern Mediterranean Region				
	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths			
Total	250,154,972	5,054,267	16,492,267	304,035			
New	370,007 ^(09 Nov)	6,183 ^(09 Nov)	15,338 ^(09 Nov)	299 ^(09 Nov)			

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	Confirmed Cases	Recovered Cases	Deaths	Active Cases	Critical Cases	PCR Tests	Vaccine First Dose	Vaccine Second Dose	Booster Dose
Total	277,113	275,404	1,393	316	3	7,064,562	1,182,176	1,146,272	479,664
New	15	41	0	-	-	14,241	-	-	-



Green level (lowest alert level)

The alert level is dependant on the rolling average of positive cases in Intensive Care Units. The Green Alert applies when the rolling average of positive cases in ICU is 50 or less for 14 days.

HIGHLIGHTS

COVID-19 Alert Level Traffic Light System updates

The National Taskforce for Combating Coronavirus (Covid-19) announced an update to Bahrain's Covid-19 Alert Level Traffic Light System. This follows a study on the latest developments on Covid-19 epidemiological data and the Government Executive Committee's approval. Now the alert level will change depending on the rolling average of positive cases within the Intensive Care Unit.

Bahrain travel entry procedures updated

The Civil Aviation Affairs (CAA) announced an update to Bahrain's entry procedures for those arriving via Bahrain International Airport. "From Sunday October 31, all certificates with a QR code for vaccines approved by the WHO or the Kingdom of Bahrain are accepted," the CAA said. "All entry procedures for the Kingdom of Bahrain are available on the Ministry of Health's website: healthalert.gov.bh."

Bahrain authorizes emergency use of Pfizer for children aged five to 11

Children aged five to 11 will be able to receive the Pfizer/BioNtech Covid-19 vaccination in Bahrain from next year. The news was revealed by the National Health Regulatory Authority on its social media accounts. "Two Pfizer/BioNtech Covid-19 jabs have been approved for children aged five to 11 years after the vaccination committee studied all medical recommendations," the statement said.

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Bahrain remains among world's top performers on Nikkei's Covid-19 Recovery Index

Bahrain remained among the world's top countries on the Nikkei's Covid-19 Recovery Index for October, as The Kingdom continues to make great improvements and to consolidate its achievements in confronting the pandemic and returning to a normal way of life. Bahrain scored 70 per cent, behind the UAE (74pc), Chile (73pc) and Malta (70.5pc) and level with Saudi Arabia (70pc). Japan and Colombia follow with 69pc.

New drive-through COVID-19 testing center opened in Awali

The Ministry of Health announced the opening of a new drive-through testing center in Awali, near Bahrain Centre for Strategic, International and Energy Studies (Derasat). Testing appointments at the new drive-through facility are now open. The new drive-through center replaces the previous drive-through center located at the Rashid Equestrian and Horse Racing Club, The Ministry said. The new drive-through center features the latest medical equipment, and it will increase Bahrain's testing capacity and support the Kingdom's comprehensive COVID-19 response, The Ministry added.

WHO Representative meets with Aviation officials

November 7, 2021: Bahrain Airport Company (BAC) Chief Executive Officer Mohamed Yousif Al Binfalah and Airports Council International (ACI) Director General - Asia-Pacific Stefano Baronci visited the World Health Organization's (WHO) Bahrain Representative Dr. Tasnim Atatrah at the WHO's Bahrain office to discuss the recovery of the aviation industry amidst the challenges of the COVID-19 pandemic. The meeting corresponds with Mr. Baronci's first official visit to the Kingdom as part of the ACI Asia-Pacific Middle East International Airport Program, which aims to strengthen the voice of airports in the MENA region. Dr. Atatrah emphasized on

the importance of maintaining strong capacities outlined under the International Health Regulations (IHR 2005) at Points of Entry.

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