Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)



WHO Office - Riyadh

Situation Report No. 37- Kingdom of Bahrain

Data as reported by national authorities by 23:59 local time 20 April 2020

HIGHLIGHTS

- Approximately 90,000 tests were conducted.
- 26 newly confirmed cases, bringing total to 1,907.
- At present there are 1,127 active cases still receiving treatment, 2 of them in critical condition, and 773 individuals were discharged.
- No new mortality and no community transmission recorded.
- Repatriation Programme continues with one flight bringing Bahraini's from Iran.
- To reduce density in housing of workers in Central Manama, expatriate workers were moved to temporary housing in "Ain Adhari Park".
- Symbolic presence in Al-Fateh Mosque (Imam + 5 worshipers) will be allowed during Friday prayer, Ishaa and Taraweeh to allow broadcasting of the prayers through audio-visual media.
- "Bahrain International Circuit" engineers design a new breathing aid for non-ICU patients.
- Bahrain orders government agencies to cut spending by 30 percent amid economic fallout caused by the coronavirus.
- Hotline 444 for reporting new or suspected cases.

SITUATION IN NUMBERS

Total (new) cases in last 24 hours

Globally

2,314,621 confirmed (72,846) 157,847 deaths (5,296)

Eastern Mediterranean Region

129,433 confirmed (4,742) 6,048 deaths (140)

Kingdom of Bahrain

1,907 confirmed (26) 7 deaths (0)

IMPORTANT LINKS

- Daily COVID-19 updates on MoH website: https://www.moh.gov.bh/
- To obtain WHO's COVID-19 global situation reports:

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

• To download WHO 14th of April update of the COVID-19 strategy:

https://www.who.int/docs/defaultsource/coronaviruse/covid-strategy-update-14april2020.pdf?sfvrsn=29da3ba0_6

• WHO: Safe Ramadan practices in the context of COVID-19:

https://apps.who.int/iris/bitstream/handle/10 665/331767/WHO-2019-nCoV-Ramadan-2020.1-eng.pdf



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