Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Situation Report

Data as reported by national authorities by 23:00 local time 13th of September 2020

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World Health Organization WHO Office - Rivadh

	Glo	bal	Eastern Mediterranean Region		
	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths	
Total	28,637,952	917,417	2,101,676	55,012	
New	307,930	5,537	14,827	288	

State of Kuwait

	Confirmed Cases	Recovered Cases	Deaths	Active Cases	Critical Cases	PCR Tests
Total	94,764	84,995	560	9,209	94	675,742
New	553	591	2	-	-	2,739

HIGHLIGHTS

- MoH recommended cancellation of legislative session after two deputies get infected with COVID-19.
- A Kuwaiti woman reveals that she was reinfected by COVID-19 after 2 and half month of her earlier infection in June.

• The Ministry of Justice and Civil Aviation are coordinating to facilitate the return of 120 judges, advisors and prosecutors from Egypt to return to their jobs in Kuwait.

- Ministry of Interior denies rumours of 100 Dinar fines for failing to wear face masks in public.
- The United Nations will organize tomorrow, a virtual seminar entitled "Urban and future development ... towards rebuilding a better stage after Covid-19".
- WHO publishes public health considerations while resuming international travel, see link.
- WHO and UNICEF provide advice on the use of masks for children in the community in the context of COVID-19, see link.

• WHO: Interim guidance on considerations for quarantine of contacts of COVID-19 cases with updates on ventilation and on the care of children in quarantine; see link.

IMPORTANT LINKS

- MoH update of COVID-19: https://corona.e.gov.kw/en/
- WHO's COVID-19 weekly situation reports:
- https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/situation-reports
- WHO's COVID-19 dashboard: https://covid19.who.int/

• WHO publishes updated guidance on home care of COVID-19: https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/home-care-for-patientswithsuspected-novel-coronavirus-(ncov)-infection-presenting-withmildsymptoms-and-management-of-contacts

• Precautions while resuming international travel:

https://www.who.int/news-room/articles-detail/public-healthconsiderations-while-resuming-international-travel

• WHO and UNICEF: Advice on the use of masks for children in the community in the context of COVID-19

https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/WHO-2019-nCoV-IPC_Masks-Children-2020.1

• WHO: Interim guidance on considerations for quarantine of contacts of COVID-19 cases with updates on ventilation and on the care of children in quarantine: https://apps.who.int/iris/handle/10665/333901

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