

# Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

## Situation Report No. 16 - Kuwait



Data as reported by national authorities by 23:59 local time 30 March 2020

### HIGHLIGHTS

- Total 266 confirmed cases, 11 new cases reported since yesterday;
- 194 cases remain under treatment, 13 of them are in critical condition;
- 72 cases recovered and were discharged;
- 2,205 individuals remain quarantined;
- No community transmission has been reported so far.
- Ministry of higher education to allow fast-tracking of exams of final-year medical students to enable them to register as doctors to join medical staff fighting COVID-19.

### SITUATION IN NUMBERS

Total (new) cases in last 24 hours

#### Globally

693,224 confirmed (58,411)

33,106 deaths (3,215)

#### Eastern Mediterranean Region

46,329 confirmed (3,552)

2,813 deaths (145)

#### Kuwait

266 confirmed (11)

0 deaths (0)

### IMPORTANT CONTACTS / LINKS

- The National Focal Person is Dr. Buthaina AlMudhaf, Assistant Undersecretary, Ministry of Health, email: [AlMudhaf@gmail.com](mailto:AlMudhaf@gmail.com)
- Updated information on the spread of COVID-19 can be found on the following governmental website: <https://corona.e.gov.kw/en/>
- To obtain WHO's COVID-19 global situation reports: <https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/situation-reports>
- WHO document that highlights the rights and responsibilities of health workers, including measures needed to protect occupational safety and health: [https://www.who.int/publications-detail/coronavirus-disease-\(covid-19\)-outbreak-rights-roles-and-responsibilities-of-health-workers-including-key-considerations-for-occupational-safety-and-](https://www.who.int/publications-detail/coronavirus-disease-(covid-19)-outbreak-rights-roles-and-responsibilities-of-health-workers-including-key-considerations-for-occupational-safety-and-)

