

Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19)

Situation Report No. 19 - Kuwait



Data as reported by national authorities by 23:59 local time 3 April 2020

HIGHLIGHTS

- Total 417 confirmed cases, 75 new cases, the largest single daily increase.
- 335 cases remain under treatment, 16 of them are in critical condition.
- 82 cases recovered and were discharged.
- 2,474 individuals remain quarantined.
- No mortality and no community transmission has been reported so far.
- Kuwait contributes an additional US\$20 million to WHO COVID-19 efforts, bringing the total to US\$60 million. The Director General of WHO thanked Kuwait. It is the largest contributor to WHO COVID-19 efforts.
- The second phase of repatriation of Kuwaiti citizens will begin this week. Flights are arranged from the same countries covered in the first phase in addition to new countries. The first phase (25-29 March) helped 2,710 citizens to return to their country. The total number of Kuwaitis abroad is estimated at 23,000.
- 300 Filipino nationals with irregular legal status have been sent home on Friday. Foreign nationals coming forward will leave the country without paying fines. A schedule is in place for the various nationalities to be deported during April.

SITUATION IN NUMBERS

Total (new) cases in last 24 hours

Globally

972,303 confirmed (75,853)
50,322 deaths (4,823)

Eastern Mediterranean Region

62,236 confirmed (4,068)
3,439 deaths (160)

Kuwait

417 confirmed (75)
0 deaths (0)

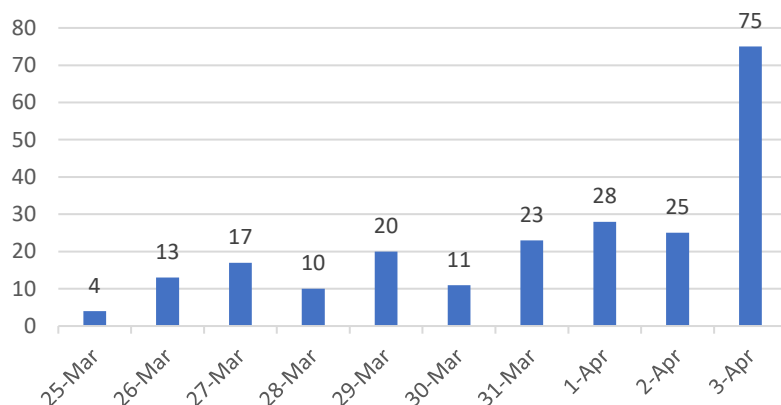
IMPORTANT LINKS

- **For updated information on the spread of COVID-19 in Kuwait:**
<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-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-health)

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Number of New Cases



Total Number of Cases

