Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19)

Situation Report No. 26 - Kuwait

Data as reported by national authorities by 23:59 local time 10 April 2020

World Health Organization

HIGHLIGHTS

- Total 993 confirmed cases, 83 new cases.
- No new mortalities recorded.
- 869 cases remain under treatment, 26 of them are in critical condition.
- 123 cases recovered and were discharged.
- 2,552 individuals remain quarantined.
- No community transmission has been reported so far.
- Out of the 83 new cases, 5 are Kuwaiti citizens and 78 are expatriates.
- Kuwaiti Minister of health urges Covid-19 recovered persons to donate blood to use immunoglobulin rich plasma to treat infected people.

SITUATION IN NUMBERS Total (new) cases in last 24 hours

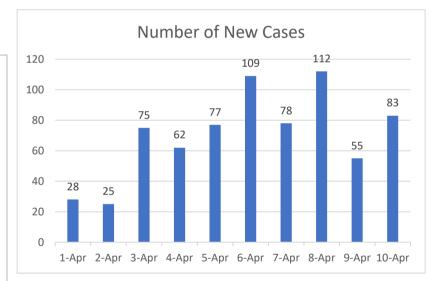
Globally 1,521,252 confirmed (85,054) 92,798 deaths (7,277)

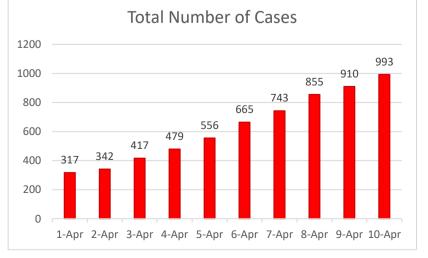
Eastern Mediterranean Region

88,657 confirmed (3,307) 4,607 deaths (148)

Kuwait

993 confirmed (83) 1 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/nov el-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/publicationsdetail/coronavirus-disease-(covid-19)-outbreakrights-roles-and-responsibilities-of-healthworkers-including-key-considerations-foroccupational-safety-and-health

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