## Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19)

### Situation Report No. 40 - Kuwait

Data as reported by national authorities by 23:59 local time 24 April 2020

#### HIGHLIGHTS

- Total 2,614 confirmed cases, 215 new cases.
- 1 new mortality, a 55 years Bangladeshi resident.
- 1,986 cases remain under treatment, 60 of them are in ICU, out of those in ICU 27 are in a critical condition.
- Recovery of 115 coronavirus cases bringing total to 613.
- No community transmission has been reported so far.
- Out of the 215 new cases, 21 are Kuwaiti citizens and 194 are expatriates.
- WHO launches an online course on managing COVID-19 cases and outbreaks in aviation (see link below).

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

#### **Globally** 2,626,321 confirmed (81,529) 181,938 deaths (6,260)

Eastern Mediterranean Region 149,295 confirmed (4,845) 6,608 deaths (139)

#### Kuwait

2,614 confirmed (215) 15 deaths (1)

#### **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

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

https://www.who.int/docs/defaultsource/coronaviru se/covid-strategy-

update14april2020.pdf?sfvrsn=29da3ba0\_6

• WHO: Safe Ramadan practices in the context of COVID-19 (Arabic - English):

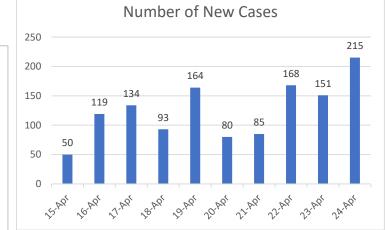
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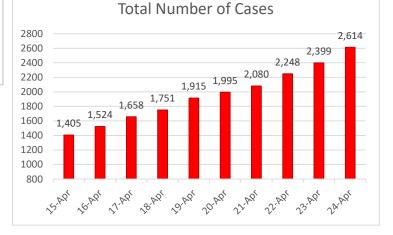
• WHO's online course on managing COVID-19 in aviation:

https://extranet.who.int/hslp/training/course/view.

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