

Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19)

Situation Report No. 52 - Kuwait

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

HIGHLIGHTS

- 1,065 new cases, bringing total to 8,688. Of the new cases 192 are nationals.
- All new cases are contacts of cases or are under investigation.
- 9 new mortalities, bringing total to 58.
- 5,901 cases remain under treatment, 114 of them are in ICU, out of those in ICU 45 are in a critical condition.
- Recovery of 107 cases bringing total to 2,729.
- 2,619 individuals are quarantined.
- No community transmission has been reported so far.
- MOI: Kuwaiti female police officer contracts coronavirus. Other reports of COVID-19 cases in men's prison and two deaths are "incorrect".
- Kuwait's Public Authority for Civil Information issues hyperlink for medical permits during lockdown.
- MOH to accelerate the mechanism of drug registration and license 11 local factories for medical disinfectants.
- WHO EPI-WIN webpage provides COVID-19 tailored information (see link below).

SITUATION IN NUMBERS

Total (new) cases in last 24 hours

Globally

3,917,366 cases (61,578)

274,361 deaths (8,499)

Eastern Mediterranean Region

255,728 cases (9,706)

8,878 deaths (130)

Kuwait

8,688 confirmed (1,065)

58 deaths (9)

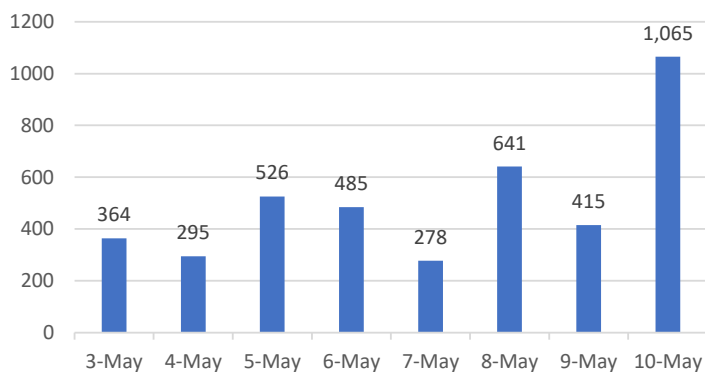
IMPORTANT LINKS

- **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/coronavirus/covid-strategy-update14april2020.pdf?sfvrsn=29da3ba0_6
- **WHO EPI-WIN: COVID-19 information:**
<https://www.who.int/teams/risk-communication>
- **The immunization programme in the context of COVID-19:**
<https://iris.paho.org/handle/10665.2/51992>

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Number of New Cases



Total Number of Cases

