## **Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19)**



WHO Office - Riyadh

### Situation Report No. 66 - Kuwait

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

#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

- 710 new cases bringing total to 29,359; of the new cases 256 (36%) are nationals.
- Infected cases by health area: Al Farwaniyah (282), Al Jahra (140), Al Ahmadi (130), Hawally (88) and Capital Area (70).
- 4 new mortalities, bringing total to 230.
- Recovery of 1.469 cases bringing total recovered to 15.750.
- 13,379 cases remain under treatment, 191 of them are in ICU.
- 2,934 new PCR tests conducted bringing total to 303,285.
- Plans among different ministries to return to providing suspended services.
- 3 cooperative markets shut down in the past 2 days for sterilization after the emergence of COVID-19 cases among their employees.
- Kuwait's Prime Minister said that return of international flights will be towards the later phases of returning to normalcy, no date given yet.
- WHO released two new documents: key planning recommendations for mass gatherings in the context of COVID-19; and, technical guidance for the prevention and control of COVID-19 across long-term care services (see links below).
- WHO lists all candidate COVID-19 vaccines in various stages of development without endorsing any of them (see link below).

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

#### **Globally**

6,287,771 cases (93,246) 379,941 deaths (3,621)

#### **Eastern Mediterranean Region**

552,497 cases (16,349) 13,181 deaths (282)

#### **Kuwait**

29,359 confirmed (710) 230 deaths (4)

#### **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 14th of April update of the COVID-19 strategy: https://www.who.int/docs/default-source/coronaviruse/covid-strategy-update-14april2020.pdf?sfvrsn=29da3ba0 19
- Immunization programme in context of COVID-19: https://iris.paho.org/handle/10665.2/51992
- WHO prevention and management of COVID-19 across long-term care services:

http://www.euro.who.int/\_\_data/assets/pdf\_file/0004/44 3605/Tech-guidance-6-COVID19-eng.pdf?ua=1

- WHO key planning recommendations for mass gatherings: https://www.who.int/publications-detail/key-planning-recommendations-for-mass-gatherings-in-the-context-of-the-current-covid-19-outbreak
- WHO lists candidate COVID-19 vaccines in development without endorsing any of them:

https://www.who.int/who-documents-detail/draft-landscape-of-covid-19-candidate-vaccines



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