

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Situation Report

Data as reported by national authorities by 23:00 local time 14 June 2020

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	Global		Eastern Mediterranean Region	
	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths
Total	7,690,708	427,630	758,551	16,640
New	137,526	4,281	20,910	380

State of Kuwait

	Confirmed Cases	Recovered Cases	Deaths	Active Cases	Critical Cases	PCR Tests
Total	35,920	26,759	296	8,865	171	334,612
New	454	877	7	-	-	2,324

HIGHLIGHTS

- Of the new cases 193 (42.5%) are nationals.
- New infections by health area: Al Farwaniyah (135), Al Jahra (107), Al Ahmadi (88), Hawally (66) and Capital Area (40).
- Hawally shows positive indicators supportive of lifting isolation followed by Farwaniya and Khaitan.
- 66 stores shut for violating precautionary measures.
- WHO updates guidance on the use of face masks, stressing that mask use is only one component of a comprehensive approach to prevent and control COVID-19 (see link below).
- WHO clarifies comments made earlier regarding COVID-19 transmission: transmission is known to occur by symptomatic cases and pre-symptomatic cases (who later develop symptoms). More data is still needed about transmission via asymptomatic cases (who never develop symptoms). See link below.

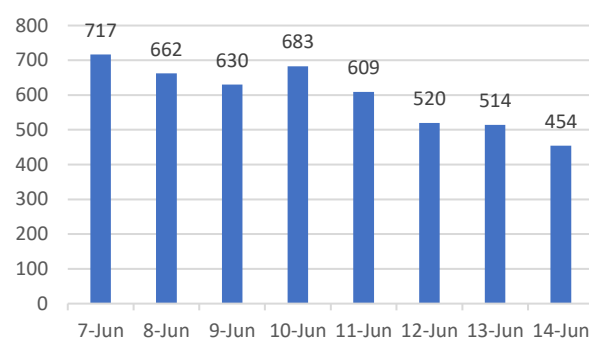
IMPORTANT LINKS

- **MoH updates on COVID-19:** <https://corona.e.gov.kw/en/>
- **WHO's COVID-19 global situation reports:** <https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/situation-reports>
- **WHO updated recommendations on the use of face masks:** [https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/advice-on-the-use-of-masks-in-the-community-during-home-care-and-in-health-care-settings-in-the-context-of-the-novel-coronavirus-\(2019-ncov\)-outbreak](https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/advice-on-the-use-of-masks-in-the-community-during-home-care-and-in-health-care-settings-in-the-context-of-the-novel-coronavirus-(2019-ncov)-outbreak)
- **WHO clarification regarding transmission of COVID-19 by asymptomatic cases:** <https://twitter.com/WHOEMRO/status/1270769638922768387>

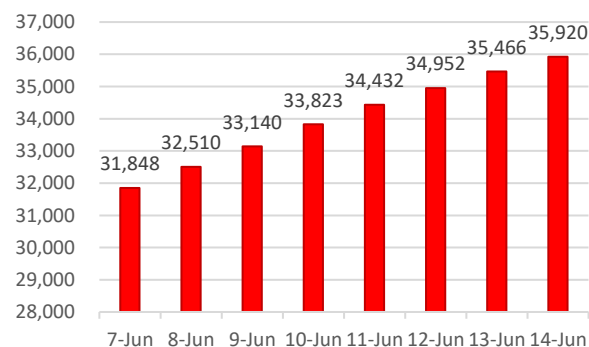
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Number of New Cases



Total Number of Cases



Number of New Deaths

