

Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19)



World Health Organization

Situation Report No. 71 - Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

WHO Office - Riyadh

Data as reported by national authorities by 23:59 local time 09 June 2020

HIGHLIGHTS

- 3,288 new cases bringing total cases to 108,571. Of the new cases, 52% were Saudis, 32% females and 11% children.
- 1,815 new recoveries, bringing total to 76,339.
- 37 new mortalities bringing total to 783.
- There are 31,449 active cases, 1,686 of them in critical condition.
- 20,858 PCR tests were conducted, reaching a total of 997,673.
- Saudi Red Crescent and Saudi Health Council have launched an "emergency medical permit" service through Tawakkalna application.
- Ministry of Health provides the service of knowing the locations of "Tatamin clinics" through the "Mawid" application.
- Out of 85,000 citizens who wish to return to Saudi Arabia, 47,500 have returned from 51 countries through 250 flights.
- Ministry of Health releases a new awareness video on alternative health habits, stressing the importance of wearing a face mask.
- WHO updates guidance on the use of face masks in context of COVID-19 (see link below), and stresses that mask use is only one component of a comprehensive approach to prevent and control COVID-19 and should be adopted with hand hygiene, physical distancing and other measures.

IMPORTANT LINKS

- **Daily MoH COVID-19 updates on Twitter:** <https://twitter.com/saudimoh>
- **WHO's COVID-19 global situation reports:** <https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novelcoronavirus-2019/situation-reports>
- **Ministry of Health COVID-19 Dashboard:** <https://covid19.moh.gov.sa/>
- **WHO prevention and management of COVID-19 across long-term care services:** http://www.euro.who.int/__data/assets/pdf_file/0004/443605/Tech-guidance-6-COVID19eng.pdf?ua=1
- **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-healthcare-settings-in-the-context-of-the-novel-coronavirus-\(2019ncov\)-outbreak](https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/advice-on-the-use-of-masks-in-the-community-during-home-care-and-in-healthcare-settings-in-the-context-of-the-novel-coronavirus-(2019ncov)-outbreak)

SITUATION IN NUMBERS

Total (new) cases in last 24 hours

Globally

7,039,918 cases (108,918)

404,396 deaths (3,539)

Eastern Mediterranean Region

658,614 cases (17,185)

14,913 deaths (311)

Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

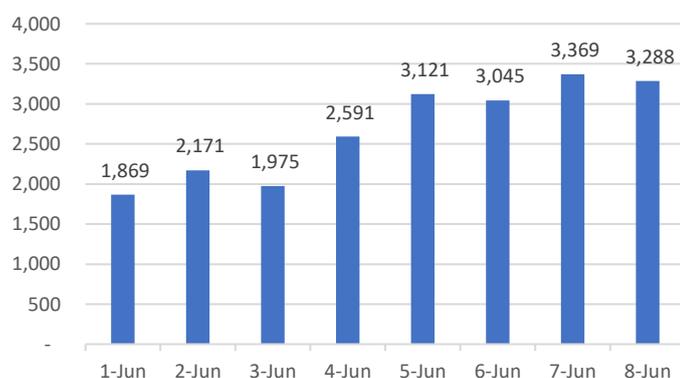
108,571 confirmed (3,288)

783 deaths (37)

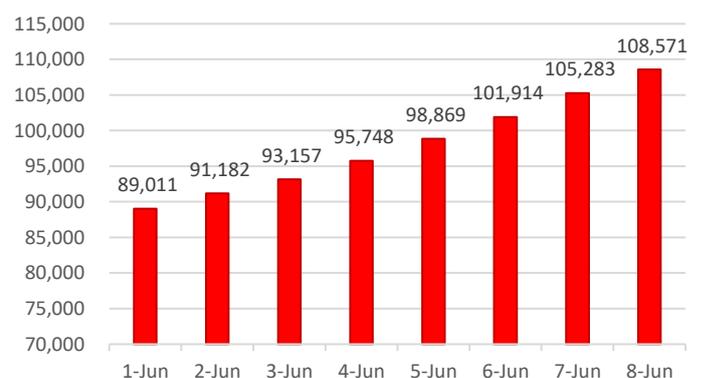
DISTRIBUTION OF COVID-19 CASES

#	City	New Cases	Recovered
1	Riyadh	1,099	369
2	Jeddah	447	269
3	Makkah	411	263
4	Dammam	198	210
5	Madinah	161	38
6	Khobar	145	72
7	Qatif	131	20
8	Hufuf	94	61
9	Jubail	53	99
10	Khamis Mushayt	50	0
11	Al Mubarraz	46	4
12	Taif	42	78
12	Al Muzahmiah	39	0
13	Dhahran	38	26
14	Ras Tanura	24	15
15	Hafr Albatin	23	2

Number of New Cases



Total Number of Cases



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