CORONAVIRUS DISEASE (COVID-19): protecting the vulnerable
Between 01 and 31 August 2020, with support of WHO:

- 456 health workers trained on surveillance, case management and risk communication
- 1450 sample collection kits distributed to all federal member states
- 7,065 samples tested in three designated laboratories
- 656 samples transported and shipped from inaccessible areas
- 20 new health facilities added to the EWARN
- 5,400 facemasks distributed to all federal member states
- 4,753 sets of full PPEs distributed to federal member states
- 7,530 suspected cases investigated
- 569,166 households visited by the community health workers (CHWs) for case finding
- 2,879,641 people reached out by CHWs with risk communication messages
- 3,327 community health workers deployed for case finding and contact tracing
- 73 rapid response teams deployed for field investigation and sample collection
- 23 alerts of COVID-19 investigated
- 13 isolation centers supported for patient care
- 25 new risk communication messages developed and distributed

Our operational response to COVID-19 is supported by: