Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Situation Report

Data as reported by national authorities by 23:00 local time 09 August 2020

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	Glo	bal	Eastern Mediterranean Region		
	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths	
Total	19,462,112	722,285	1,634,940	43,080	
New	273,552	6,207	11,489	321	

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	Confirmed Cases	Recovered Cases	Deaths	Active Cases	Critical Cases	PCR Tests
Total	288,690	252,039	3,167	33,484	1,816	3,813,274
New	1,428	1,599	37	-	-	58,424

HIGHLIGHTS

- Cities with highest new infections were: Makkah (125), Riyadh (106), Hufuf (68), Jazan (59), Jeddah (57), Madina (50), Buraidah (45), and Dammam (45).
- MoH will participate in a third phase clinical trial for the Ad5-nCOV coronavirus vaccine in cooperation with China's vaccine developing company CanSino and will target at least 5,000 healthy volunteers over the age of 18. Phases one and two were completed in China.
- MoH clarifies: 10 days is the duration of home isolation for an infected person and 14 days for those in contact with a confirmed case.
- Private laboratories accredited to conduct the COVID-19 PCR test reaches 55.
- COVID-19 recovery rates in GCC countries ranges between 87% and 97%.
- WHO provides interim guidance on Water, sanitation, hygiene, and waste management for SARS-CoV-2, see link.
- WHO publishes draft target product profiles for COVID-19 therapeutics and welcomes feedback, see link.

IMPORTANT LINKS

- MoH COVID-19 updates: https://twitter.com/saudimoh
- WHO's COVID-19 global situation reports:

https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/situation-reports

- Ministry of Health COVID-19 Dashboard:

https://covid19.moh.gov.sa/

- WHO interim guidance on Water, sanitation, hygiene, and waste management for SARS-CoV-2:

https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/water-sanitationhygieneand-waste-management-for-the-covid-19-virus-interimguidance

- WHO publishes draft target product profiles for COVID-19 therapeutics: https://www.who.int/publications/m/item/who-targetproduct-profiles-for-covid-19-therapeutics



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