Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Situation Report

Data as reported by national authorities by 23:00 local time 12th of September 2020

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| | Glo | bal | Eastern Mediterranean Region | | |
|-------|-------------------|------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|--|
| | COVID-19 Cases | COVID-19 Deaths | COVID-19 Cases | COVID-19 Deaths | |
| Total | 28,329,790 | 911,877 | 2,086,849 | 54,724 | |
| New | 842,830 in 3 days | 16,894 in 3 days | 46,584 in 3 days | 975 in 3 days | |

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| | Confirmed Cases | Recovered Cases | Deaths | Active Cases | Critical Cases | PCR Tests |
|-------|------------------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|-------------------|
| Total | 325,050 | 301,836 | 4,240 | 18,974 | 1,343 | 5,686,255 |
| New | 2,038 in 3 days | 2,870 in 3 days | 75 in 3 days | - | - | 138,053 in 3 days |

HIGHLIGHTS

- In 2 days: 43% of the new cases were female and 10% children.
- Cities with highest new infections were: Jeddah (174), Makkah (170), Dammam (138), Hufuf (137), Madinah (125), Riyadh (110), Al Qatif (97) and Hail (72).
- The UN General Assembly adopted a draft resolution calling for the coordination of a practical global response to combat the Covid-19 pandemic.
- A third Taa'kaad centre starts providing services in Riyadh at Al Faysalia Area.
- COVID-19 recovery reaches 92.9%.
- 5 players from Al-Hilal sport club are infected with Corona.
- WHO publishes updated guidance on home care for patients with suspected or confirmed COVID-19 and management of their contacts, see link.
- WHO and UNICEF provide advice on the use of masks for children in the community in the context of COVID-19, see link.
- WHO: Interim guidance on considerations for quarantine of contacts of COVID-19 cases with updates on ventilation and on the care of children in quarantine; 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

- WHO's COVID-19 dashboard: https://covid19.who.int/
- Ministry of Health COVID-19 Dashboard: https://covid19.moh.gov.sa/
- WHO publishes updated guidance on home care of COVID-19: https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/home-care-forpatients-with-suspected-novel-coronavirus-(ncov)-infectionpresenting-with-mild-symptoms-and-management-of-contacts
- WHO and UNICEF: Advice on the use of masks for children in the community in the context of COVID-19

 $https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/WHO-2019-nCoV-IPC_Masks-Children-2020.1$

- WHO: Interim guidance on considerations for quarantine of contacts of COVID-19 cases with updates on ventilation and on the care of children in quarantine: https://apps.who.int/iris/handle/10665/333901



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