

# Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Situation Report

Data as reported by national authorities by 23:00 local time 24 October 2020

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|              | Global              |                  | Eastern Mediterranean Region |                 |
|--------------|---------------------|------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|
|              | COVID-19 Cases      | COVID-19 Deaths  | COVID-19 Cases               | COVID-19 Deaths |
| <b>Total</b> | 42,055,863          | 1,141,567        | 2,884,897                    | 73,266          |
| <b>New</b>   | 1,352,286 in 3 days | 19,642 in 3 days | 72,908 in 3 days             | 1,724 in 3 days |

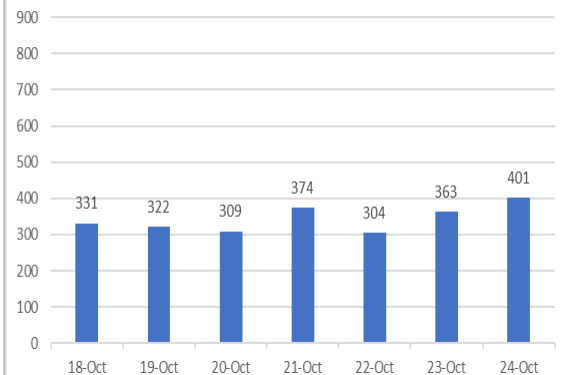
## Kingdom of Bahrain

|            | Confirmed Cases | Recovered Cases | Deaths      | Active Cases | Critical Cases | PCR Tests        |
|------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------|--------------|----------------|------------------|
|            | <b>Total</b>    | 79,975          | 76,474      | 312          | 3,189          | 29               |
| <b>New</b> | 1,068 in 3 days | 1,050 in 3 days | 4 in 3 days | -            | -              | 30,020 in 3 days |

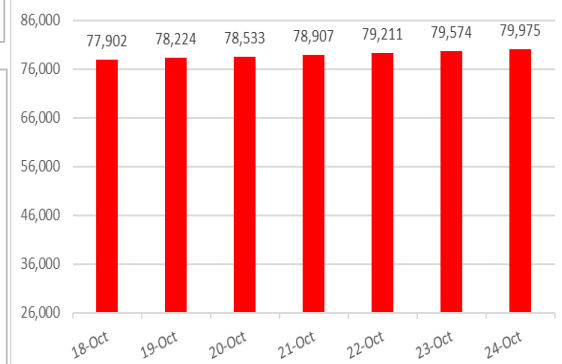
## HIGHLIGHTS

- The mortality were: 4 Bahraini Citizens (3 female (64, 64 and 60 years old) and 1 male (54 years old)).
- His Majesty the King sent a cable of congratulations to the Secretary-General of the United Nations on the 75th anniversary of the UN.
- A COVID-19 patient infected 14 people from six households after attending a family gathering.
- Southern Governorate distributed 10,000 face masks through "Feenah Khair" campaign in collaboration with the Royal Humanitarian Foundation (RHF).
- Ministry of Labour and Social Development stipulated reopening of licensed nurseries on October 25, amid strict precautionary measures to prevent spread of novel coronavirus.
- Ministry of Education's specialized team paid field visits to kindergartens to ensure that all precautionary health measures are enforced to combat COVID-19.
- Ministry of Education indicated that more than 6 million visits to the educational portal have been reached in the Kingdom.
- A comprehensive guide launched on mechanisms of students' evaluation and grading for each stage of study.
- Dine-in facilities of restaurants and cafés resumed operations yesterday after over seven months of closure.
- As more people become infected across at WHO EMRO Region, the pressure on health workers and health systems will continue to increase as they struggle to meet the demands for COVID-19 and non-COVID-19 services.
- WHO: New research helps to increase understanding of the impact of COVID-19 for pregnant women and their babies; see link below.
- WHO: Considerations for school-related public health measures in the context of COVID-19; see link below.
- WHO: Guidance on Informing vaccination programs: a guide to the design and conduct of dengue serosurveys; see link below.
- WHO: COVID-19 could reverse decades of progress toward eliminating preventable child deaths, agencies warn; see link below.
- WHO: COVID-19 pandemic response in the Eastern Mediterranean Region, progress report of the incident management support team, January-July 2020; see link below.
- WHO and UNICEF commit to accelerating health and well-being at all ages; see link below.
- WHO: Guidance on returning to school safely during the COVID-19 pandemic; see link below.
- WHO: Global partnership to make available 120 million affordable, quality COVID-19 rapid tests for low- and middle-income countries; see link below.
- WHO: Responding to non-communicable diseases during and beyond the COVID-19 pandemic; see link below.
- WHO survey: COVID-19 disrupting mental health services in most countries; see link below.
- WHO: Annual report of the Regional Director 2019; see link below.
- WHO: Emergency Global Supply Chain System (COVID-19) catalogue; see link below.
- WHO: Interim guidance on Antigen-detection in the diagnosis of SARS-CoV-2 infection using rapid immunoassays; see link below.
- WHO: Global TB progress at risk; see link below.
- WHO: SAGE Seasonal Influenza Vaccination Recommendations during the COVID-19 Pandemic; see link below.
- WHO Regional Director's statement on COVID-19; see link below.

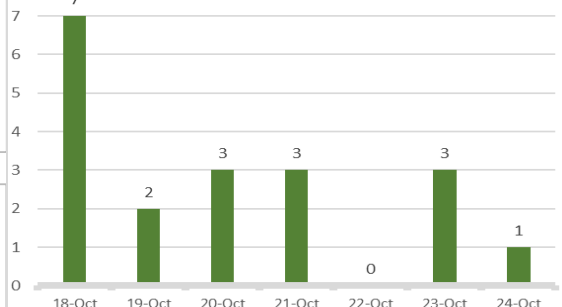
Number of New Cases



Total Number of Cases



Number of New Deaths



## IMPORTANT LINKS

- Daily COVID-19 updates on MoH website: <https://www.moh.gov.bh/>
- WHO's COVID-19 weekly situation reports: [https://www.who.int/docs/default-source/coronavirus/situation-reports/20200817-weekly-epi-update-1.pdf?sfvrsn=b6d49a76\\_4](https://www.who.int/docs/default-source/coronavirus/situation-reports/20200817-weekly-epi-update-1.pdf?sfvrsn=b6d49a76_4)
- WHO's COVID-19 Dashboard: <https://covid19.who.int/>
- WHO: New research helps to increase understanding of the impact of COVID-19 for pregnant women and their babies: <https://www.who.int/news-room/detail/01-09-2020-new-research-helps-to-increase-understanding-of-the-impact-of-covid-19-for-pregnant-women-and-their-babies>
- WHO: Considerations for school-related public health measures in the context of COVID-19: <https://www.who.int/publications/item/considerations-for-school-related-public-health-measures-in-the-context-of-covid-19>
- WHO: Guidance on Informing vaccination programs: a guide to the design and conduct of dengue serosurveys: <https://www.who.int/publications/item/978-92-4-151258-9>
- WHO: COVID-19 could reverse decades of progress toward eliminating preventable child deaths, agencies warn: <https://www.who.int/news-room/detail/09-09-2020-covid-19-could-reverse-decades-of-progress-toward-eliminating-preventable-child-deaths-agencies-warn>
- WHO: COVID-19 pandemic response in the Eastern Mediterranean Region, progress report of the incident management support team, January-July 2020: <https://bit.ly/3c1WYpj>
- WHO and UNICEF commit to accelerating health and well-being at all ages: <https://www.who.int/news-room/detail/18-09-2020-who-and-unicef-commit-to-accelerating-health-and-well-being-at-all-ages>
- WHO: Guidance on returning to school safely during the COVID-19 pandemic: <https://t.co/KsDKF066tw?amp=1>
- WHO Regional Director's press briefing statement on vaccine development and COVAX Facility for COVID-19, 30 September 2020: <https://bit.ly/36eWT11>
- WHO: Global partnership to make available 120 million affordable, quality COVID-19 rapid tests for low- and middle-income countries: <https://bit.ly/3cU77oQ>
- WHO: Responding to non-communicable diseases during and beyond the COVID-19 pandemic: <https://bit.ly/2Svds0r>
- WHO survey: COVID-19 disrupting mental health services in most countries: <https://bit.ly/3ny72Eq>
- WHO: Annual report of the Regional Director 2019: <http://www.emro.who.int/annual-report/2019/index.html>
- WHO: Emergency Global Supply Chain System (COVID-19) catalogue: [https://www.who.int/publications/item/emergency-global-supply-chain-system-\(covid-19\)-catalogue](https://www.who.int/publications/item/emergency-global-supply-chain-system-(covid-19)-catalogue)
- WHO: Interim guidance on Antigen-detection in the diagnosis of SARS-CoV-2 infection using rapid immunoassays: <https://bit.ly/2if0JVF>
- WHO: Global TB progress at risk: <https://bit.ly/34tdt14>
- WHO: SAGE Seasonal Influenza Vaccination Recommendations during the COVID-19 Pandemic: <https://bit.ly/34hvxpf>
- WHO Regional Director's statement on COVID-19: <https://bit.ly/3kmHpMq>

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