

Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19)

Situation Report No. 49 - Kuwait

Data as reported by national authorities by 23:59 local time 05 May 2020

HIGHLIGHTS

- 526 new cases, bringing total to 5,804. Of the new cases 86 are nationals.
- 6 of the new cases are travel related, 520 are contacts of cases or are under investigation.
- No new mortality recorded.
- 3,732 cases remain under treatment, 90 of them are in ICU, out of those in ICU 31 are in a critical condition.
- Recovery of 85 coronavirus cases bringing total to 2,032.
- No community transmission has been reported so far.
- The Minister of Health advises everyone not to leave their homes unless absolutely necessary.
- WHO EPI-WIN webpage provides COVID-19 tailored information (see link below).

SITUATION IN NUMBERS

Total (new) cases in last 24 hours

Globally

3,517,345 cases (81,454)
243,401 deaths (3,797)

Eastern Mediterranean Region

213,376 cases (7,077)
8,115 deaths (144)

Kuwait

5,804 confirmed (526)
40 deaths (0)

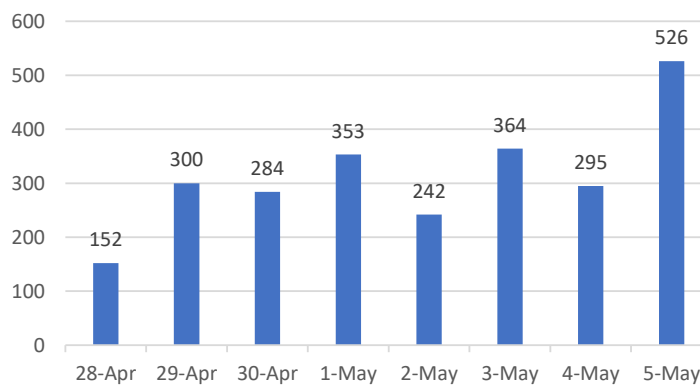
IMPORTANT LINKS

- **For updated information on the spread of COVID-19 in Kuwait:** <https://corona.e.gov.kw/en/>
- **To obtain WHO's COVID-19 global situation reports:**
<https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/situation-reports>
- **To download WHO 14th of April update of the COVID-19 strategy:**
https://www.who.int/docs/defaultsource/coronavirus/covid-strategy-update14april2020.pdf?sfvrsn=29da3ba0_6
- **WHO EPI-WIN: COVID-19 information:**
<https://www.who.int/teams/risk-communication>
- **The immunization programme in the context of COVID-19:**
<https://iris.paho.org/handle/10665.2/51992>

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Number of New Cases



Total Number of Cases

