

Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19)

Situation Report No. 50 - Kuwait

Data as reported by national authorities by 23:59 local time 06 May 2020

HIGHLIGHTS

- 485 new cases, bringing total to 6,289. Of the new cases 99 are nationals.
- All new cases are contacts of cases or are under investigation.
- 2 new mortalities recorded, bringing total to 42.
- 4,028 cases remain under treatment, 88 of them are in ICU, out of those in ICU 40 are in a critical condition.
- Recovery of 187 cases bringing total to 2,219.
- 4, 715 individuals are quarantined.
- No community transmission has been reported so far.
- The end of the fourth and final phase of repatriating Kuwaiti citizens.
- Kuwait committed to resuming education August 4th.
- Two flights will operate each week to return 600 Bangladeshi migrants home and Kuwait will bear the flight operation expenses for the workers.
- WHO EMRO thanks Kuwait for its generous & continued support.
- WHO EPI-WIN webpage provides COVID-19 tailored information (see link below).

SITUATION IN NUMBERS

Total (new) cases in last 24 hours

Globally

3,588,773 cases (71,463)

247,503 deaths (4,102)

Eastern Mediterranean Region

221,230 cases (7,854)

8,290 deaths (175)

Kuwait

6,289 confirmed (485)

42 deaths (2)

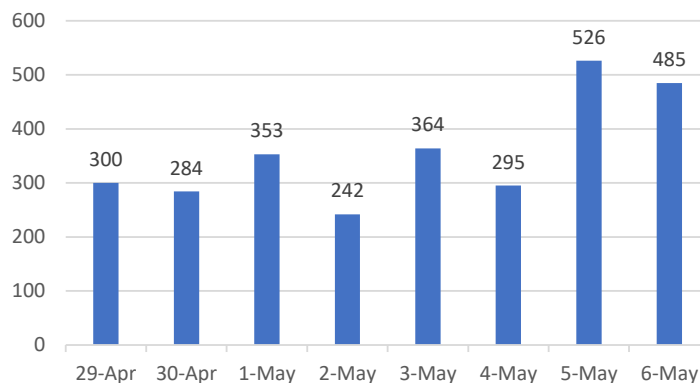
IMPORTANT LINKS

- **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-e/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

