

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Situation Report

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

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25th of August, 2020



	Global		Eastern Mediterranean Region	
	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths
Total	23,311,719	806,410	1,827,441	48,521
New	253,963	5,501	11,234	328

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	Confirmed Cases	Recovered Cases	Deaths	Active Cases	Critical Cases	PCR Tests
Total	308,654	282,888	3,691	22,075	1,635	4,674,950
New	1,175	2,745	42	-	-	52,313

HIGHLIGHTS

- Out of newly confirmed cases, 44% are female and 11% are children.
- Cities with highest new infections were: Makkah (84), Hail (60), Jeddah (58), Sabya (53), Madinah (51), Abu Arish (48), Baish (37), Samtah (37), Riyadh (37) and Jazan (33).
- MoH launches a new drive through "Ta'kkad" COVID-19 testing facility in the south of Riyadh.
- Municipality: 29 shopping malls violated COVID-19 mitigation measures in Asir Region.
- WHO publishes updated guidance on home care for patients with suspected or confirmed COVID-19 and management of their contacts, see link.
- WHO publishes public health considerations while resuming international travel, 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.

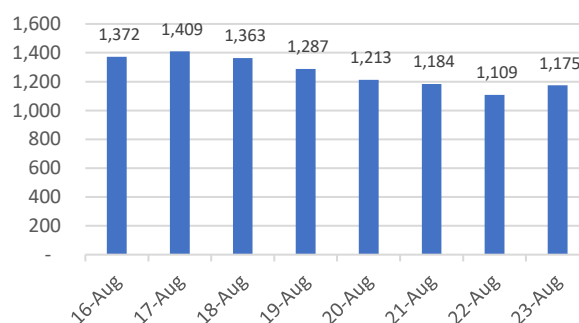
IMPORTANT LINKS

- **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](https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/home-care-forpatients-with-suspected-novel-coronavirus-(ncov)-infectionpresenting-with-mild-symptoms-and-management-of-contacts)
- **Precautions while resuming international travel:** <https://www.who.int/news-room/articles-detail/public-healthconsiderations-while-resuming-international-travel>
- **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

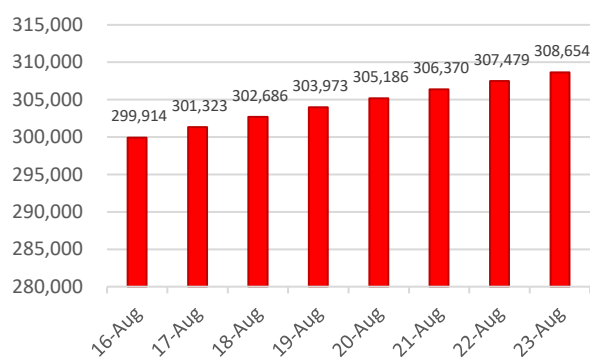
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Number of New Cases



Total Number of Cases



Number of New Deaths

