

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Situation Report

Data as reported by national authorities by 23:00 local time 08 July 2020

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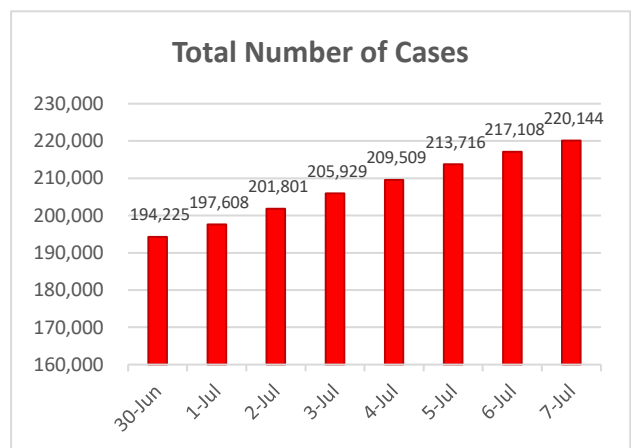
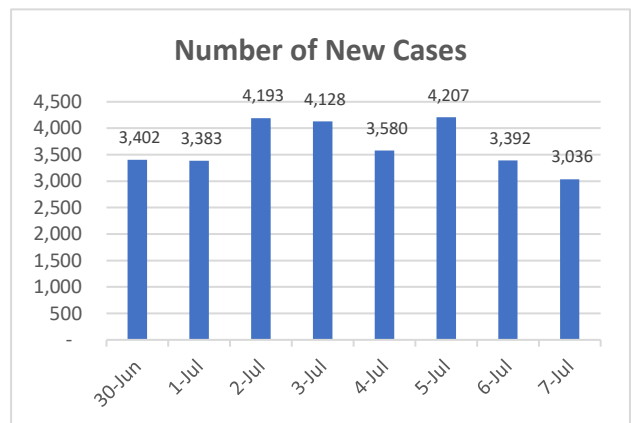
	Global		Eastern Mediterranean Region	
	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths
Total	11,669,259	539,906	1,204,698	28,664
New	168,957	4,147	17,078	562

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	Confirmed Cases	Recovered Cases	Deaths	Active Cases	Critical Cases	PCR Tests
Total	220,144	158,050	2,059	60,035	2,263	2,071,823
New	3,036	3,211	42	-	-	53,166

HIGHLIGHTS

- 37% of the new cases are female and 9% are children.
- Cities with highest new infections were: Riyadh (288), Jeddah (243), Taif (187), Hufuf (171), Makkah (142), Khamis Mushait (141), Dammam (133), Al Mobarraz (122), and Madinah (117).
- In Taif: launching 4 new Tettaman clinics and a drive through testing centre.
- Solidarity trial interim results show that hydroxychloroquine and lopinavir/ritonavir produce little or no reduction in mortality of hospitalized COVID-19 patients (see link below).
- WHO releases "WHO Academy" mobile application providing COVID-19 resources for health workers in 6 UN languages, see link below.
- WHO clarifies comments made earlier regarding COVID-19 transmission, See link below.



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>
- Ministry of Health COVID-19 Dashboard: <https://covid19.moh.gov.sa/>
- WHO Solidarity Trial Interim result: <https://www.who.int/news-room/detail/04-07-2020-whodiscontinues-hydroxychloroquine-and-lopinavir-ritonavirtreatment-arms-for-covid-19>
- WHO Academy: <https://www.who.int/about/whoacademy/the-who-academy-s-covid-19-mobile-learning-app>
- WHO clarification regarding transmission of COVID-19 by asymptomatic cases: <https://twitter.com/WHOEMRO/status/1270769638922768387>

IMPORTANT CONTACTS

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