

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Situation Report

Data as reported by national authorities by 23:00 local time 11 July 2020

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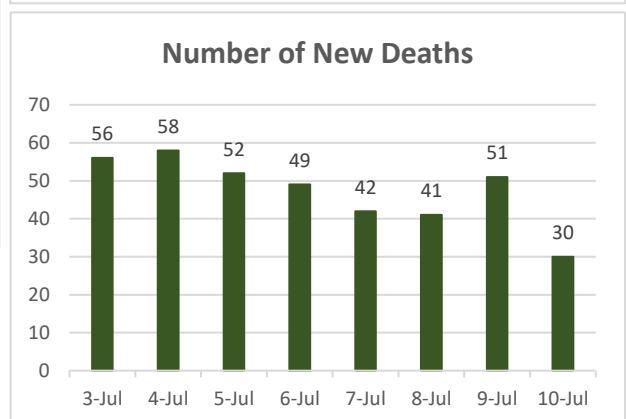
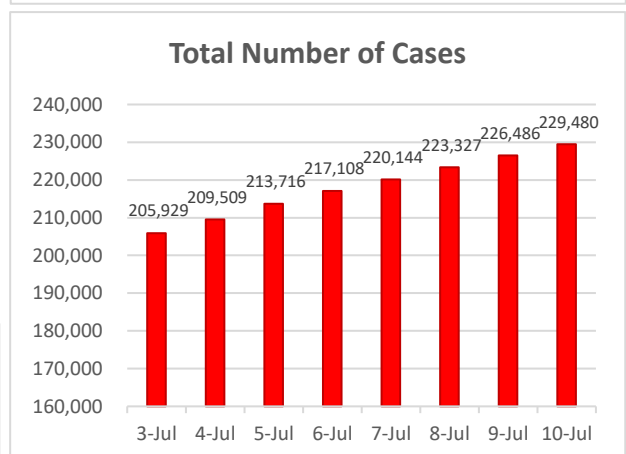
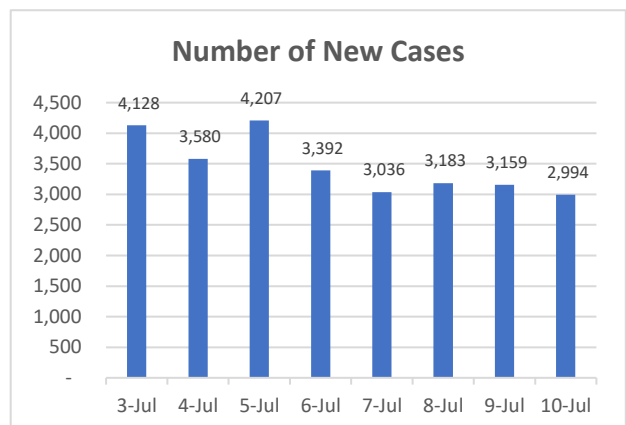
	Global		Eastern Mediterranean Region	
	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths
Total	12,322,395	556,335	1,255,977	30,145
New	653,136 in 3 days	16,429 in 3 days	51,279 in 3 days	1,481 in 3 days

Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

	Confirmed Cases	Recovered Cases	Deaths	Active Cases	Critical Cases	PCR Tests
Total	229,480	165,396	2,181	61,903	2,230	2,226,290
New	9,336 in 3 days	7,346 in 3 days	122 in 3 days	-	-	154,467 in 3 days

HIGHLIGHTS

- 37% of the new cases are female and 10.3% are children.
- Over the past 3 days, cities with highest new infections were: Riyadh (945), Jeddah (676), Hufuf (671), Dammam (616), Al Mobarraz (506), Taif (472), and Madinah (338).
- MoH: 3.7 million medical consultations provided by the Health Contact Center 937 since the beginning of the epidemic.
- 24 citizens return to Saudi Arabia from Togo and Ghana.
- New examination centre was inaugurated in Al-Qassim.
- 250 Saudi doctor and health practitioner volunteer for an initiative "We All Support" to provide medical consultations.
- 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.
- 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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