

Coronavirus disease (COVID-19)

Situation Report - 151

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Highlights

The hydroxychloroquine arm of the Solidarity Trial, which seeks to find an effective COVID-19 treatment, is being stopped. The decision is based on evidence from the Solidarity Trial, the UK's Recovery trial and a Cochrane review of other evidence on hydroxychloroquine. [Data shows that hydroxychloroquine does not result in the reduction of mortality of hospitalised COVID-19 patients](#), when compared with standard of care.

[Dr Tedros announced the roll out of the WHO Academy](#), a major new initiative as part of WHO's transformation. With the [WHO Academy](#), WHO aims to build one of the world's largest and most innovative digital learning platforms to enhance the competencies of health professionals. So far, courses on the [OpenWHO.org](#) have received almost 3.5 million enrolments on 12 topics in 31 languages.

Several countries affected by COVID-19 have seen increases in levels of violence occurring in the home, including violence against children, intimate partner violence and violence against older people. A new brief, [addressing violence against children, women and older people during the COVID-19 pandemic](#), outlines key actions that the health sector can undertake to prevent or mitigate interpersonal violence.

Today's '[Subject in Focus](#)' provides a summary of virtual meetings held on COVID-19 preparedness and response at points of entry from the WHO Regional Office for Africa.

Situation in numbers (by WHO Region)

Total (new cases in last 24 hours)

Globally	8 385 440 cases (142 451)	450 686deaths (5 151)
Africa	201 178 cases (6 639)	4 595 deaths (113)
Americas	4 092 526 cases (77 140)	212 517 deaths (3 526)
Eastern Mediterranean	856 650 cases (19 153)	19 041 deaths (466)
Europe	2 490 815 cases (19 033)	190 903 deaths (599)
South-East Asia	541 041 cases (19 459)	16 360 deaths (439)
Western Pacific	202 489 cases (1 027)	7 257 deaths (8)

Subject in Focus: Sharing experiences and lessons in COVID-19 preparedness and response at points of entry in West African countries

Earlier this month, WHO Regional Office for Africa, Dakar Hub, in partnership with West African Health Organization (WAHO), International Organization for Migration (IOM), International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) and West African Economic and Monetary Union (WAEMU), Mano River Union, organized a workshop to strengthen cross-border collaboration through sharing of experiences and lessons learned in preparing for and responding to the COVID-19 pandemic in West Africa.

The objectives of the workshop were to:

- Update the countries participants on the recent development of COVID-19 response in Points of Entry (PoE);
- Share countries experiences on the implementation of COVID-19 preparedness and response at PoE;
- Identify gaps in IHR core capacities mainly in the PoE; and
- Agree on next steps to strengthen Member State cross border collaboration.

The workshop was attended by 255 participants representing 17 West African countries including: Algeria, Benin, Burkina Faso, Cabo-Verde, Côte d'Ivoire, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea Bissau, Liberia, Mali, Mauritania, Niger, Nigeria, Sierra Leone, Senegal, and Togo.

Key issues discussed included the organization of and public health measures implemented at PoE; sharing of challenges and lessons in preparedness and response activities; planned activities for opening the borders; cross-border collaboration agreements or mechanisms; and utilization of the leverage of the regional polio cross border coordination and control mechanism.

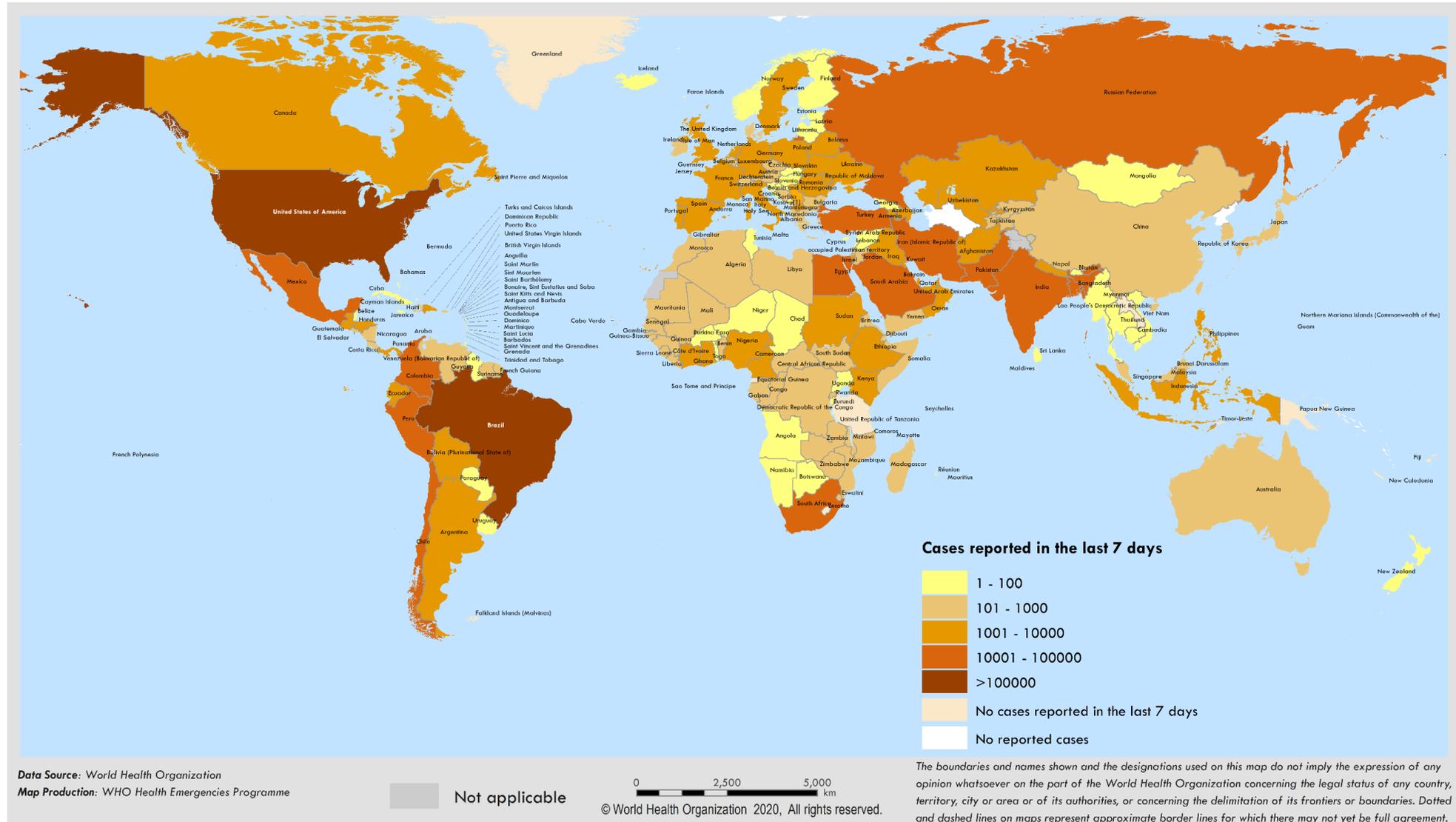
Among the lessons and outcomes of the workshop was:

- An enhanced understanding of COVID-19 preparedness and response at PoE.
- That all countries have implemented pandemic response measures, with systems to detect cases of COVID-19, at PoEs but with a stronger focus on aerial PoEs.
- Several good practices have been implemented, including the development of passenger self-reporting forms, and development of guidelines/protocols for reopening PoEs.
- Cross-border collaboration mechanisms and frameworks have been activated, and meetings have been organized at the PoEs.
- The majority of the challenges identified are similar, and primarily related to organization, human resources, and equipment.

As next steps, similar exercises will be undertaken with ten Central African countries, and a technical report and regional roadmap will be developed and disseminated.

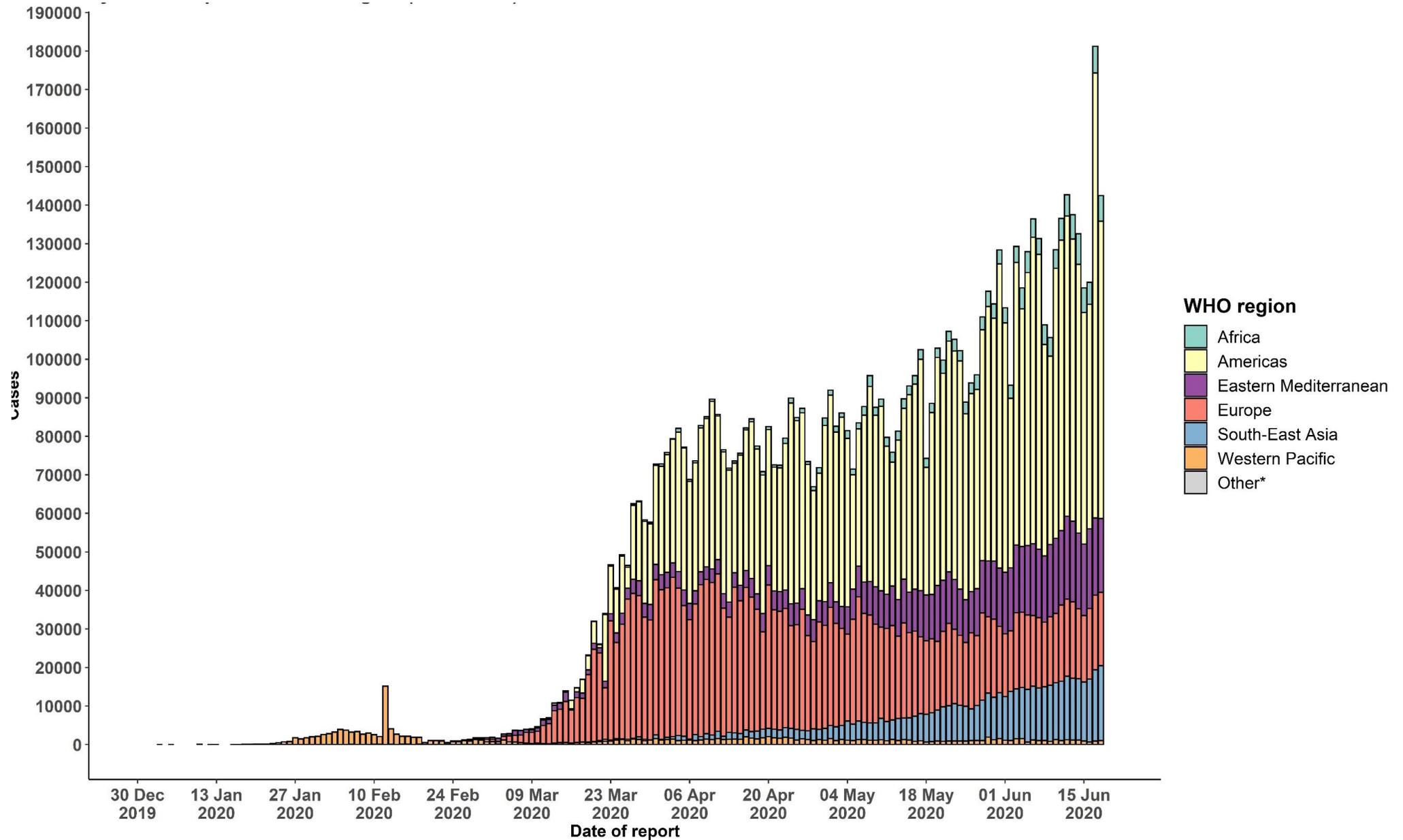
Surveillance

Figure 1. Number of confirmed COVID-19 cases reported in the last seven days by country, territory or area, 13 June to 19 June**



**See [Annex 1](#) for data, table and figure notes.

Figure 2. Number of confirmed COVID-19 cases, by date of report and WHO region, 30 December through 19 June**



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Table 1. Countries, territories or areas with reported laboratory-confirmed COVID-19 cases and deaths, by WHO region. Data as of 10 AM CEST, 19 June 2020**

Reporting Country/Territory/Area	Total confirmed cases	Total confirmed new cases	Total deaths	Total new deaths	Transmission classification ⁱ	Days since last reported case
Africa						
South Africa	83 890	3 478	1 737	63	Community transmission	0
Nigeria	18 480	745	475	6	Community transmission	0
Ghana	12 929	339	66	0	Community transmission	0
Algeria	11 385	117	811	12	Community transmission	0
Cameroon	9 864	0	276	0	Community transmission	3
Côte d'Ivoire	6 444	381	49	1	Community transmission	0
Senegal	5 475	106	76	3	Community transmission	0
Democratic Republic of the Congo	5 282	183	116	2	Community transmission	0
Guinea	4 841	173	26	0	Community transmission	0
Gabon	4 340	111	32	2	Community transmission	0
Kenya	4 257	213	117	10	Community transmission	0
Ethiopia	3 954	195	65	2	Community transmission	0
Central African Republic	2 605	41	19	1	Community transmission	0
Mauritania	2 223	166	95	2	Clusters of cases	0
Mali	1 906	16	107	0	Community transmission	0
South Sudan	1 813	6	31	0	Clusters of cases	0
Guinea-Bissau	1 512	20	16	1	Community transmission	0
Zambia	1 416	4	11	0	Community transmission	0
Madagascar	1 403	25	13	1	Clusters of cases	0
Sierra Leone	1 272	23	51	0	Community transmission	0
Equatorial Guinea	1 043	0	12	0	Community transmission	26

Reporting Country/Territory/Area	Total confirmed cases	Total confirmed new cases	Total deaths	Total new deaths	Transmission classification ¹	Days since last reported case
Niger	1 020	0	67	0	Community transmission	1
Burkina Faso	899	0	53	0	Community transmission	1
Congo	883	0	27	0	Community transmission	3
Chad	854	0	74	0	Community transmission	1
Cabo Verde	823	31	7	0	Clusters of cases	0
Uganda	823	0	0	0	Sporadic cases	5
Mozambique	662	11	4	0	Clusters of cases	0
Rwanda	646	7	2	0	Sporadic cases	0
Benin	597	25	11	2	Community transmission	0
Malawi	592	20	8	2	Clusters of cases	0
Eswatini	586	23	4	0	Clusters of cases	0
Togo	544	7	13	0	Community transmission	0
Liberia	542	26	33	0	Community transmission	0
United Republic of Tanzania	509	0	21	0	Community transmission	42
Zimbabwe	463	62	4	0	Sporadic cases	0
Sao Tome and Principe	388	0	10	0	Clusters of cases	1
Mauritius	337	0	10	0	Clusters of cases	13
Comoros	210	13	5	2	Community transmission	0
Angola	166	11	8	1	Clusters of cases	0
Eritrea	142	11	0	0	Sporadic cases	0
Burundi	104	0	1	0	Clusters of cases	3
Botswana	79	0	1	0	Clusters of cases	1
Namibia	39	5	0	0	Sporadic cases	0

Reporting Country/Territory/Area	Total confirmed cases	Total confirmed new cases	Total deaths	Total new deaths	Transmission classification ¹	Days since last reported case
Gambia	36	2	1	0	Sporadic cases	0
Seychelles	11	0	0	0	Clusters of cases	73
Lesotho	4	0	0	0	Sporadic cases	15
Territoriesⁱ						
Mayotte	2 383	38	29	0	Clusters of cases	0
Réunion	502	5	1	0	Clusters of cases	0
Americas						
United States of America	2 149 166	23 139	117 472	770	Community transmission	0
Brazil	955 377	32 188	46 510	1 269	Community transmission	0
Peru	240 908	3 752	7 257	201	Community transmission	0
Chile	225 103	4 475	3 841	226	Community transmission	0
Mexico	159 793	4 930	19 080	770	Community transmission	0
Canada	99 853	386	8 254	41	Community transmission	0
Colombia	57 046	2 115	1 864	63	Community transmission	0
Ecuador	49 097	607	4 087	80	Community transmission	0
Argentina	35 552	1 393	929	43	Community transmission	0
Dominican Republic	24 645	540	635	2	Community transmission	0
Panama	22 597	635	470	13	Community transmission	0
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	20 685	802	679	20	Community transmission	0
Guatemala	11 251	545	432	14	Community transmission	0
Honduras	10 299	643	336	6	Community transmission	0
Haiti	4 688	141	82	2	Community transmission	0
El Salvador	4 200	134	82	3	Community transmission	0
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	3 386	236	28	1	Community transmission	0

Reporting Country/Territory/Area	Total confirmed cases	Total confirmed new cases	Total deaths	Total new deaths	Transmission classification ¹	Days since last reported case
Cuba	2 295	15	85	1	Clusters of cases	0
Nicaragua	2 014	0	64	0	Community transmission	1
Costa Rica	1 871	75	12	0	Clusters of cases	0
Paraguay	1 330	22	13	0	Community transmission	0
Uruguay	849	0	24	0	Clusters of cases	1
Jamaica	626	5	10	0	Clusters of cases	0
Suriname	261	19	7	1	Clusters of cases	0
Guyana	183	12	12	0	Clusters of cases	0
Trinidad and Tobago	123	0	8	0	Sporadic cases	3
Bahamas	104	0	11	0	Clusters of cases	3
Barbados	97	0	7	0	Clusters of cases	3
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	29	0	0	0	Sporadic cases	1
Antigua and Barbuda	26	0	3	0	Clusters of cases	5
Grenada	23	0	0	0	Clusters of cases	23
Belize	22	0	2	0	Sporadic cases	1
Saint Lucia	19	0	0	0	Sporadic cases	13
Dominica	18	0	0	0	Clusters of cases	6
Saint Kitts and Nevis	15	0	0	0	No cases	59
Territoriesⁱ						
Puerto Rico	6 111	108	147	0	Community transmission	0
French Guiana	1 758	204	5	0	Community transmission	0
Martinique	221	19	14	0	Clusters of cases	0
Cayman Islands	193	0	1	0	Clusters of cases	1
Guadeloupe	171	0	14	0	Clusters of cases	6

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Bermuda	144	0	9	0	Clusters of cases	4
Aruba	101	0	3	0	No cases	44
Sint Maarten	77	0	15	0	Sporadic cases	13
United States Virgin Islands	73	0	6	0	Clusters of cases	2
Saint Martin	42	0	3	0	Sporadic cases	2
Curaçao	23	0	1	0	Sporadic cases	1
Falkland Islands (Malvinas)	13	0	0	0	No cases	54
Turks and Caicos Islands	12	0	1	0	No cases	52
Montserrat	11	0	1	0	No cases	66
British Virgin Islands	8	0	1	0	No cases	34
Bonaire, Sint Eustatius and Saba	7	0	0	0	No cases	24
Saint Barthélemy	6	0	0	0	No cases	80
Anguilla	3	0	0	0	No cases	76
Saint Pierre and Miquelon	1	0	0	0	No cases	72
Eastern Mediterranean						
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	197 647	2 596	9 272	87	Community transmission	0
Pakistan	165 062	4 944	3 229	136	Clusters of cases	0
Saudi Arabia	145 991	4 757	1 139	48	Clusters of cases	0
Qatar	84 441	1 267	86	4	Community transmission	0
Egypt	50 437	1 218	1 938	88	Clusters of cases	0
United Arab Emirates	43 752	388	298	3	Pending	0
Kuwait	38 074	541	308	2	Clusters of cases	0
Afghanistan	27 878	541	548	2	Clusters of cases	0
Oman	26 818	739	119	3	Clusters of cases	0

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Iraq	25 717	1 463	856	83	Clusters of cases	0
Bahrain	20 430	469	55	6	Clusters of cases	0
Morocco	9 074	77	213	0	Clusters of cases	0
Sudan	8 020	0	487	0	Community transmission	1
Djibouti	4 557	12	43	0	Clusters of cases	0
Somalia	2 719	23	88	0	Sporadic cases	0
Lebanon	1 495	6	32	0	Clusters of cases	0
Tunisia	1 132	4	50	0	Community transmission	0
Jordan	1 001	14	9	0	Clusters of cases	0
Yemen	913	7	249	4	Pending	0
Libya	510	28	10	0	Clusters of cases	0
Syrian Arab Republic	187	9	7	0	Community transmission	0
Territoriesⁱ						
occupied Palestinian territory	795	50	5	0	Clusters of cases	0
Europe						
Russian Federation	569 063	7 972	7 841	181	Clusters of cases	0
The United Kingdom	300 473	1 218	42 288	135	Community transmission	0
Spain	245 268	585	27 136	0	Community transmission	0
Italy	238 159	331	34 514	66	Community transmission	0
Germany	187 764	0	8 856	0	Clusters of cases	1
Turkey	184 031	1 304	4 882	21	Community transmission	0
France	153 557	201	29 537	28	Community transmission	0
Belgium	60 348	104	9 683	8	Community transmission	0
Belarus	56 657	625	331	7	Community transmission	0

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Sweden	56 043	1 481	5 053	12	Community transmission	0
Netherlands	49 319	115	6 078	4	Community transmission	0
Portugal	38 089	417	1 524	1	Community transmission	0
Ukraine	34 984	921	985	19	Community transmission	0
Switzerland	31 117	17	1 677	0	Community transmission	0
Poland	31 015	314	1 316	30	Community transmission	0
Ireland	25 355	14	1 714	4	Community transmission	0
Romania	23 080	320	1 473	22	Community transmission	0
Israel	19 876	239	303	0	Pending	0
Armenia	19 157	459	319	10	Community transmission	0
Austria	17 155	40	688	1	Community transmission	0
Kazakhstan	16 351	474	105	5	Clusters of cases	0
Republic of Moldova	13 106	374	449	16	Community transmission	0
Serbia	12 616	94	258	1	Pending	0
Denmark	12 344	50	600	2	Community transmission	0
Azerbaijan	11 329	338	139	6	Clusters of cases	0
Czechia	10 230	68	334	1	Clusters of cases	0
Norway	8 692	32	244	1	Clusters of cases	0
Finland	7 117	0	326	0	Pending	1
Uzbekistan	5 855	158	19	0	Clusters of cases	0
Tajikistan	5 279	58	51	0	Pending	0
North Macedonia	4 664	182	216	6	Clusters of cases	0
Luxembourg	4 091	6	110	0	Clusters of cases	0
Hungary	4 081	2	568	0	Community transmission	0

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Bulgaria	3 674	132	190	6	Clusters of cases	0
Greece	3 227	24	188	1	Clusters of cases	0
Bosnia and Herzegovina	3 202	58	167	0	Community transmission	0
Kyrgyzstan	2 789	132	32	1	Clusters of cases	0
Croatia	2 269	11	107	0	Sporadic cases	0
Estonia	1 977	0	69	0	Clusters of cases	1
Albania	1 838	50	42	3	Clusters of cases	0
Iceland	1 816	1	10	0	Community transmission	0
Lithuania	1 784	6	76	0	Community transmission	0
Slovakia	1 562	1	28	0	Clusters of cases	0
Slovenia	1 511	8	109	0	Clusters of cases	0
Latvia	1 108	4	30	0	Sporadic cases	0
Cyprus	985	0	19	1	Clusters of cases	3
Georgia	895	2	14	0	Community transmission	0
Andorra	855	1	52	0	Community transmission	0
San Marino	709	0	42	0	Community transmission	1
Malta	663	1	9	0	Sporadic cases	0
Montenegro	337	4	9	0	Clusters of cases	0
Monaco	99	0	1	0	Sporadic cases	12
Liechtenstein	83	0	1	0	Pending	54
Holy See	12	0	0	0	Sporadic cases	43
Territoriesⁱ						
Kosovo ^[1]	1 873	83	24	0	Community transmission	0

Reporting Country/Territory/Area	Total confirmed cases	Total confirmed new cases	Total deaths	Total new deaths	Transmission classification ¹	Days since last reported case
Isle of Man	336	0	24	0	Pending	28
Jersey	318	2	30	0	Community transmission	0
Guernsey	252	0	13	0	Community transmission	47
Faroe Islands	187	0	0	0	Pending	56
Gibraltar	176	0	0	0	Clusters of cases	10
Greenland	13	0	0	0	Pending	21
South-East Asia						
India	380 532	13 586	12 573	336	Clusters of cases	0
Bangladesh	102 292	3 803	1 343	38	Community transmission	0
Indonesia	42 762	1 331	2 339	63	Community transmission	0
Nepal	7 848	671	22	2	Sporadic cases	0
Thailand	3 146	5	58	0	Clusters of cases	0
Maldives	2 137	17	8	0	Clusters of cases	0
Sri Lanka	1 947	23	11	0	Clusters of cases	0
Myanmar	286	23	6	0	Clusters of cases	0
Bhutan	67	0	0	0	Sporadic cases	3
Timor-Leste	24	0	0	0	Clusters of cases	56
Western Pacific						
China	84 940	37	4 645	0	Clusters of cases	0
Singapore	41 473	257	26	0	Clusters of cases	0
Philippines	27 799	561	1 116	8	Community transmission	0
Japan	17 740	72	935	0	Clusters of cases	0
Republic of Korea	12 306	49	280	0	Clusters of cases	0

Reporting Country/Territory/Area	Total confirmed cases	Total confirmed new cases	Total deaths	Total new deaths	Transmission classification ¹	Days since last reported case
Malaysia	8 529	14	121	0	Clusters of cases	0
Australia	7 391	21	102	0	Clusters of cases	0
New Zealand	1 157	0	22	0	Clusters of cases	1
Viet Nam	342	7	0	0	Clusters of cases	0
Mongolia	201	4	0	0	Sporadic cases	0
Brunei Darussalam	141	0	3	0	Clusters of cases	42
Cambodia	129	0	0	0	Sporadic cases	1
Lao People's Democratic Republic	19	0	0	0	Sporadic cases	67
Fiji	18	0	0	0	Sporadic cases	59
Papua New Guinea	8	0	0	0	Sporadic cases	57
Territoriesⁱ						
Guam	185	5	5	0	Clusters of cases	0
French Polynesia	60	0	0	0	Sporadic cases	44
Northern Mariana Islands (Commonwealth of the)	30	0	2	0	Pending	9
New Caledonia	21	0	0	0	Sporadic cases	9
Subtotal for all regions	8 384 699	142 451	450 673	5 151		
Other*	741	0	13	0	Not applicable	-
Grand total	8 385 440	142 451	450 686	5 151		

**See [Annex 1](#) for data, table and figure notes.

Technical guidance and other resources

- To view all technical guidance documents regarding COVID-19, please go to [this webpage](#).
- Updates from WHO regional offices
 - [WHO AFRO](#)
 - [WHO PAHO](#)
 - [WHO EMRO](#)
 - [WHO SEARO](#)
 - [WHO EURO](#)
 - [WHO WPRO](#)
- [Research and Development](#)
- [Online courses on COVID-19](#) and in [additional national languages](#)
- [The Strategic Preparedness and Response Plan](#) (SPRP) outlining the support the international community can provide to all countries to prepare and respond to the virus
- [WHO Coronavirus Disease \(COVID-19\) Dashboard](#)
- [Weekly COVID-19 Operations Updates](#)

Recommendations and advice for the public

- [Protect yourself](#)
- [Questions and answers](#)
- [Travel advice](#)
- [EPI-WIN](#): tailored information for individuals, organizations and communities

Case definitions

WHO periodically updates the [Global Surveillance for human infection with coronavirus disease \(COVID-19\)](#) document which includes surveillance definitions.

Definition of COVID-19 death

A COVID-19 death is defined for surveillance purposes as a death resulting from a clinically compatible illness in a probable or confirmed COVID-19 case, unless there is a clear alternative cause of death that cannot be related to COVID-19 disease (e.g. trauma). There should be no period of complete recovery between the illness and death.

Further guidance for certification and classification (coding) of COVID-19 as cause of death is available [here](#) and [here](#).

Annex 1: Data, table and figure notes

Caution must be taken when interpreting all data presented. Differences are to be expected between information products published by WHO, national public health authorities, and other sources using different inclusion criteria and different data cut-off times. While steps are taken to ensure accuracy and reliability, all data are subject to continuous verification and change. Case detection, definitions, testing strategies, reporting practice, and lag times differ between countries/territories/areas. These factors, amongst others, influence the counts presented, with variable underestimation of true case and death counts, and variable delays to reflecting these data at global level.

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[1] All references to Kosovo should be understood to be in the context of the United Nations Security Council resolution 1244 (1999). In the map, number of cases of Serbia and Kosovo (UNSCR 1244, 1999) have been aggregated for visualization purposes.

Counts reflect laboratory-confirmed cases and deaths, based on [WHO case definitions](#), unless stated otherwise (see Country, territory, or area-specific updates and errata), and include both domestic and repatriated cases.

Other*: includes cases reported from international conveyances.

Due to the recent trend of countries conducting data reconciliation exercises which remove large numbers of cases or deaths from their total counts, WHO will now display such data as negative numbers in the “new cases” / “new deaths” columns as appropriate. This

will aid readers in identifying when such adjustments occur. When additional details become available that allow the subtractions to be suitably apportioned to previous days, graphics will be updated accordingly. Prior situation reports will not be edited; see covid19.who.int for the most up-to-date data.

Additional table notes

ⁱ Transmission classification is based on a process of country/territory/area self-reporting. Classifications are reviewed on a weekly basis and may be revised as new information becomes available. and. Differing degrees of transmission may be present within countries/territories/areas; classification is based on the highest category reported within a country/territory/area. Categories:

- No cases: with no confirmed cases
- Sporadic cases: with one or more cases, imported or locally detected
- Clusters of cases: experiencing cases, clustered in time, geographic location and/or by common exposures
- Community transmission: experiencing larger outbreaks of local transmission defined through an assessment of factors including, but not limited to: large numbers of cases not linkable to transmission chains; large numbers of cases from sentinel lab surveillance; and/or multiple unrelated clusters in several areas of the country/territory/area
- Pending: transmission classification has not been reported to WHO

ii “Territories” include territories, areas, overseas dependencies and other jurisdictions of similar status.

Country, territory, or area-specific updates and errata

- **Update 19 June 2020, Slovenia:** Counts adjusted retrospectively by national authorities: 20 cases have been excluded from data between 17-18 June.