

Coronavirus disease (COVID-19)

Situation Report – 156

Data as received by WHO from national authorities by 10:00 CEST, 24 June 2020

Highlights

[Mr Bean has joined the war against COVID-19!](#) A cartoon has been developed by WHO in partnership with Project Everyone and Tiger Aspect Productions, to remind the public to continue to take precautions to prevent COVID-19 infection and spread.

[23 June marked Olympic Day.](#) This year, the International Olympic Committee and WHO, together with the United Nations, launched a partnership to encourage individuals and communities around the world to be [#HEALTHYTogether](#).

WHO has released a scientific brief on [Breastfeeding and COVID-19](#) examining the evidence of the risks of transmission of COVID-19 from an infected mother to her baby through breastfeeding, as well as evidence on the risks to child health from not breastfeeding. WHO recommends that mothers with suspected or confirmed COVID-19 should be encouraged to initiate or continue to breastfeed.

Today's '[Subject in Focus](#)' provides an update on WHO's work at securing and shipping COVID-19 supplies, including personal protective equipment, diagnostics kits, and biomedical equipment.

Situation in numbers (by WHO Region)

Total (new cases in last 24 hours)

Globally	9 129 146 cases (135 212)	473 797 deaths (4 187)
Africa	239 548 cases (7 333)	5 290 deaths (173)
Americas	4 507 006 cases (68 785)	226 504 deaths (2 274)
Eastern Mediterranean	950 730 cases (17 678)	21 439 deaths (442)
Europe	2 581 602 cases (18 960)	194 530 deaths (736)
South-East Asia	641 148 cases (21 033)	18 663 deaths (544)
Western Pacific	208 371 cases (1 423)	7 358 deaths (18)

Subject in Focus: COVID-19 Supply Chain System – Progress Update

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

Through the PPE purchasing consortium, WHO has secured large volumes of equipment that are being shipped to 135 countries in the coming weeks. A total of more than 239 million items – comprising 141 million PPE procured by WHO and a donation by the Jack Ma Foundation of 100 million medical masks and 1 million N95 respirator masks – have been allocated to all WHO regions and are being shipped in the coming weeks

Recent discussions with 54 private sector organizations addressed issues related to quality assurance of PPE, which continues to be of major concern to manufacturers, buyers and governments. They urge WHO to advocate at the highest levels to ensure that counterfeit and low-quality products are not sold in the market. WHO and purchasing consortia partners continue to engage with suppliers to ensure that all goods procured by WHO and consortia partners meet quality assurance standards.

Diagnostics

WHO has procured 4.5 million polymerase chain reaction (PCR) tests through the diagnostics purchasing consortium. Tests are being produced and packed by suppliers for shipment in the coming weeks. As of 15 June, 585 830 tests have been shipped to 10 countries.

WHO has also procured 4.8 million sample collection kits, of which 1.04 million kits are ready to ship. As of 15 June, 114 000 sample kits have been sent to 29 countries.

The United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF) has procured 298 000 tests, of which 123 000 have been shipped to 18 countries.

Biomedical Equipment

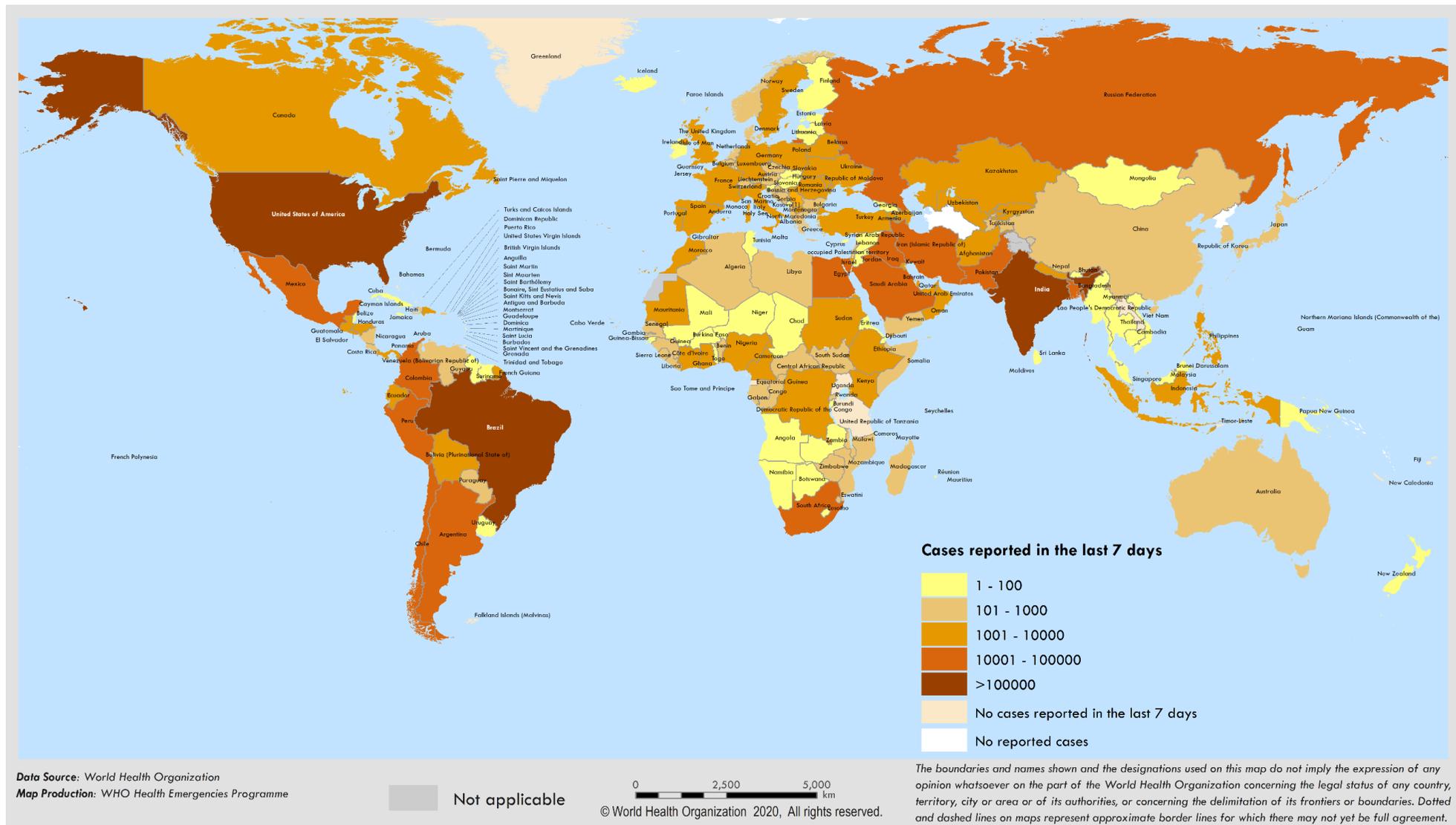
Following an initial procurement of 4000 oxygen concentrators, WHO has purchased an additional 10 000 oxygen concentrators, 9800 pulse oximeters and consumables (estimated total value: USD 10 million), which will be distributed to more than 120 countries. To date, 2000 oxygen concentrators have been shipped, and 2000 are in transit.

COVID-19 Supply Portal

So far, 48 countries have submitted requests for supplies valued at more than USD 92 million through the COVID-19 Supply Portal, an online platform WHO launched in May through which countries that need supplies for the COVID-19 response can enter requests.

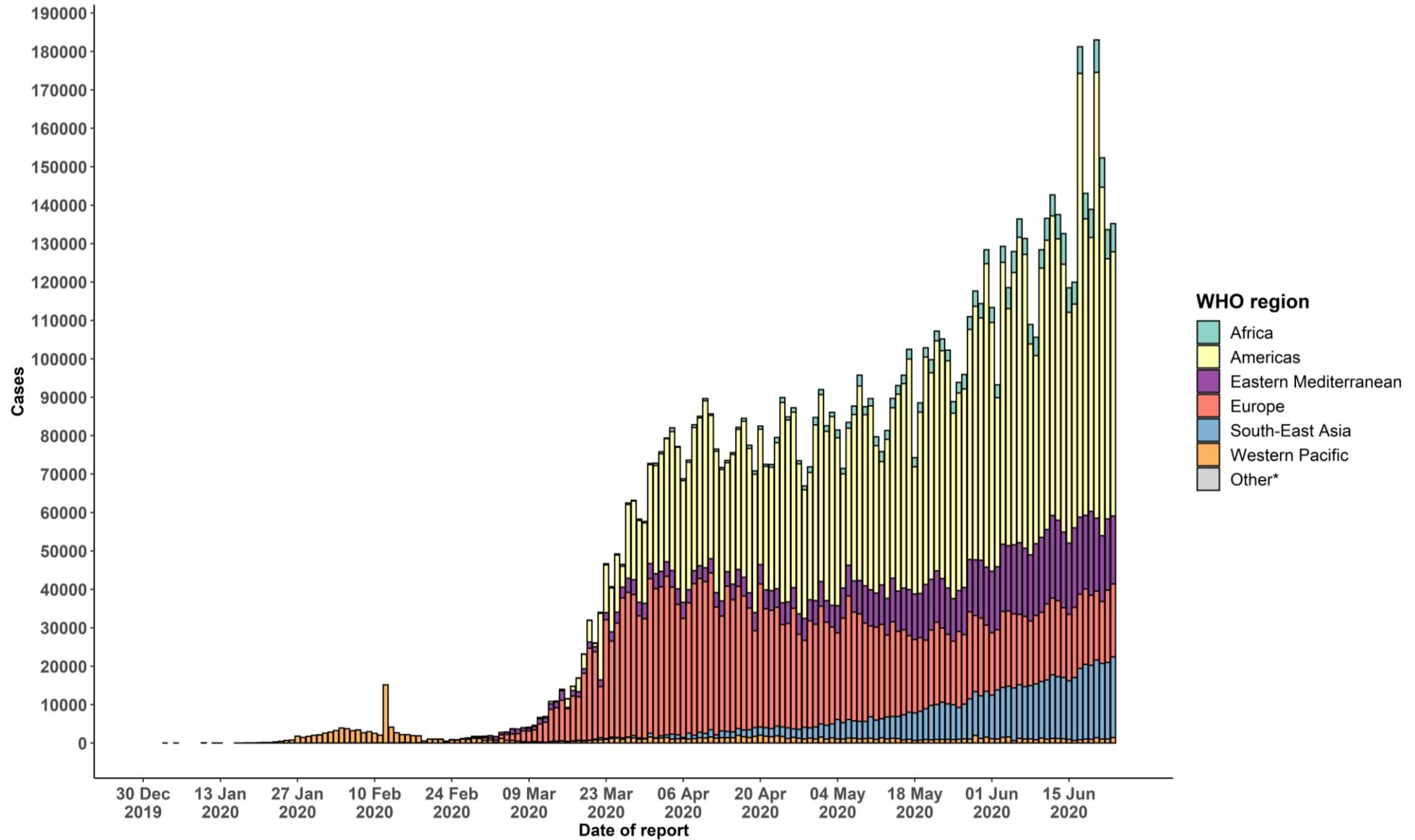
Surveillance

Figure 1. Number of confirmed COVID-19 cases reported in the last seven days by country, territory or area, 18 June to 24 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 24 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, 24 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	106 108	4 518	2 102	111	Community transmission	0
Nigeria	21 371	452	533	8	Community transmission	0
Ghana	14 568	414	95	10	Community transmission	0
Algeria	12 076	156	861	9	Community transmission	0
Cameroon	12 041	149	308	5	Community transmission	0
Côte d'Ivoire	7 904	227	58	2	Community transmission	0
Senegal	6 034	64	89	3	Community transmission	0
Democratic Republic of the Congo	6 026	102	134	0	Community transmission	0
Guinea	5 104	116	29	2	Community transmission	0
Kenya	4 952	155	128	3	Community transmission	0
Gabon	4 849	110	39	0	Community transmission	0
Ethiopia	4 848	185	75	0	Community transmission	0
Mauritania	3 121	137	112	1	Clusters of cases	0
Central African Republic	3 051	88	37	7	Community transmission	0
Mali	1 978	17	111	0	Community transmission	0
South Sudan	1 916	24	35	1	Clusters of cases	0
Madagascar	1 640	0	15	0	Clusters of cases	1
Guinea-Bissau	1 556	0	19	0	Community transmission	1
Zambia	1 477	47	18	7	Community transmission	0
Sierra Leone	1 347	7	55	0	Community transmission	0
Congo	1 141	54	37	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
Niger	1 051	5	67	0	Community transmission	0
Equatorial Guinea	1 043	0	12	0	Community transmission	31
Cabo Verde	983	39	8	0	Clusters of cases	0
Burkina Faso	903	0	53	0	Community transmission	1
Chad	860	2	74	0	Community transmission	0
Benin	850	43	13	0	Community transmission	0
Malawi	803	58	11	0	Clusters of cases	0
Rwanda	798	11	2	0	Sporadic cases	0
Uganda	797	23	0	0	Sporadic cases	0
Mozambique	757	20	5	0	Clusters of cases	0
Eswatini	674	31	7	1	Clusters of cases	0
Liberia	652	2	34	0	Community transmission	0
Togo	576	7	13	0	Community transmission	0
Zimbabwe	525	13	6	0	Sporadic cases	0
United Republic of Tanzania	509	0	21	0	Community transmission	47
Sao Tome and Principe	388	0	10	0	Clusters of cases	6
Mauritius	340	0	10	0	Clusters of cases	1
Comoros	265	18	7	2	Community transmission	0
Angola	189	6	10	1	Clusters of cases	0
Burundi	144	0	1	0	Clusters of cases	3
Eritrea	143	0	0	0	Sporadic cases	2
Botswana	89	0	1	0	Clusters of cases	4
Namibia	72	9	0	0	Sporadic cases	0

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Gambia	42	1	2	0	Sporadic cases	0
Lesotho	17	5	0	0	Sporadic cases	0
Seychelles	11	0	0	0	Clusters of cases	78
Territoriesⁱⁱ						
Mayotte	2 452	18	32	0	Clusters of cases	0
Réunion	507	0	1	0	Clusters of cases	1
Americas						
United States of America	2 295 272	26 519	120 171	410	Community transmission	0
Brazil	1 106 470	21 432	51 271	654	Community transmission	0
Peru	257 447	2 511	8 223	178	Community transmission	0
Chile	250 767	3 804	4 505	3	Community transmission	0
Mexico	185 122	4 577	22 584	759	Community transmission	0
Canada	101 637	300	8 436	6	Community transmission	0
Colombia	71 183	2 531	2 310	73	Community transmission	0
Ecuador	51 643	728	4 274	28	Community transmission	0
Argentina	44 931	2 146	1 049	33	Community transmission	0
Dominican Republic	27 936	566	675	6	Community transmission	0
Panama	26 752	722	521	20	Community transmission	0
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	25 493	1 105	820	47	Community transmission	0
Guatemala	13 769	624	547	16	Community transmission	0
Honduras	13 356	531	395	32	Community transmission	0
Haiti	5 216	5	88	0	Community transmission	0
El Salvador	4 973	165	113	6	Community transmission	0
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	4 048	130	35	2	Community transmission	0

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Cuba	2 318	3	85	0	Clusters of cases	0
Costa Rica	2 277	64	12	0	Clusters of cases	0
Nicaragua	2 014	0	64	0	Community transmission	6
Paraguay	1 422	30	13	0	Community transmission	0
Uruguay	882	6	25	0	Clusters of cases	0
Jamaica	665	6	10	0	Clusters of cases	0
Suriname	319	1	9	1	Clusters of cases	0
Guyana	205	21	12	0	Clusters of cases	0
Trinidad and Tobago	123	0	8	0	Sporadic cases	8
Bahamas	104	0	11	0	Clusters of cases	8
Barbados	97	0	7	0	Clusters of cases	8
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	29	0	0	0	Sporadic cases	6
Antigua and Barbuda	26	0	3	0	Clusters of cases	10
Belize	23	1	2	0	Sporadic cases	0
Grenada	23	0	0	0	Clusters of cases	28
Saint Lucia	19	0	0	0	Sporadic cases	18
Dominica	18	0	0	0	Clusters of cases	11
Saint Kitts and Nevis	15	0	0	0	No cases	64
Territoriesⁱⁱ						
Puerto Rico	6 685	121	149	0	Community transmission	0
French Guiana	2 593	135	8	0	Community transmission	0
Martinique	236	0	14	0	Clusters of cases	3
Cayman Islands	195	0	1	0	Clusters of cases	3
Guadeloupe	174	0	14	0	Clusters of cases	4

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Bermuda	146	0	9	0	Sporadic cases	3
Aruba	101	0	3	0	No cases	49
Sint Maarten	77	0	15	0	Sporadic cases	18
United States Virgin Islands	76	0	6	0	Clusters of cases	2
Saint Martin	42	0	3	0	Sporadic cases	7
Curaçao	24	1	1	0	Sporadic cases	0
Turks and Caicos Islands	14	0	1	0	No cases	2
Falkland Islands (Malvinas)	13	0	0	0	No cases	59
Montserrat	11	0	1	0	No cases	71
British Virgin Islands	8	0	1	0	No cases	39
Bonaire, Sint Eustatius and Saba	7	0	0	0	No cases	29
Saint Barthélemy	6	0	0	0	No cases	85
Anguilla	3	0	0	0	No cases	81
Saint Pierre and Miquelon	1	0	0	0	No cases	77
Eastern Mediterranean						
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	209 970	2 445	9 863	121	Community transmission	0
Pakistan	188 926	3 892	3 755	60	Clusters of cases	0
Saudi Arabia	164 144	3 139	1 346	39	Clusters of cases	0
Qatar	89 579	1 176	99	0	Community transmission	0
Egypt	58 141	1 332	2 365	87	Clusters of cases	0
United Arab Emirates	45 683	380	305	2	Pending	0
Kuwait	41 033	742	334	4	Clusters of cases	0
Iraq	34 502	1 826	1 251	84	Community transmission	0
Oman	32 394	1 318	140	3	Community transmission	0

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Afghanistan	29 640	159	639	21	Clusters of cases	0
Bahrain	23 062	655	67	2	Clusters of cases	0
Morocco	10 344	172	214	0	Clusters of cases	0
Sudan	8 791	93	540	7	Community transmission	0
Djibouti	4 617	18	49	1	Clusters of cases	0
Somalia	2 835	23	90	0	Sporadic cases	0
Lebanon	1 622	19	32	0	Clusters of cases	0
Tunisia	1 159	0	50	0	Sporadic cases	1
Jordan	1 047	5	9	0	Clusters of cases	0
Yemen	996	25	262	4	Community transmission	0
Libya	639	68	17	7	Clusters of cases	0
Syrian Arab Republic	231	12	7	0	Community transmission	0
Territoriesⁱⁱ						
occupied Palestinian territory	1 375	179	5	0	Clusters of cases	0
Europe						
Russian Federation	606 881	7 176	8 513	154	Clusters of cases	0
The United Kingdom	306 214	921	42 927	280	Community transmission	0
Spain	246 752	248	28 325	1	Community transmission	0
Italy	238 833	113	34 675	18	Community transmission	0
Germany	191 449	587	8 914	19	Clusters of cases	0
Turkey	190 165	1 268	5 001	27	Community transmission	0
France	155 256	364	29 648	57	Community transmission	0
Sweden	60 837	1 905	5 161	39	Community transmission	0
Belgium	60 810	260	9 713	17	Community transmission	0

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Belarus	59 487	464	357	6	Community transmission	0
Netherlands	49 722	64	6 095	5	Community transmission	0
Portugal	39 737	345	1 540	6	Community transmission	0
Ukraine	39 014	940	1 051	16	Community transmission	0
Poland	32 527	300	1 375	16	Community transmission	0
Switzerland	31 249	32	1 679	- 1	Community transmission	0
Ireland	25 391	8	1 720	3	Community transmission	0
Romania	24 505	214	1 539	16	Community transmission	0
Armenia	21 717	711	386	14	Community transmission	0
Israel	21 158	345	307	1	Pending	0
Kazakhstan	18 765	534	134	7	Clusters of cases	0
Austria	17 351	31	693	3	Community transmission	0
Republic of Moldova	14 714	351	492	8	Community transmission	0
Azerbaijan	13 715	508	167	6	Clusters of cases	0
Serbia	13 092	102	263	1	Pending	0
Denmark	12 561	34	603	1	Community transmission	0
Czechia	10 650	89	339	3	Clusters of cases	0
Norway	8 751	6	248	0	Clusters of cases	0
Finland	7 155	11	327	0	Pending	0
Uzbekistan	6 755	255	19	0	Clusters of cases	0
Tajikistan	5 567	54	52	0	Pending	0
North Macedonia	5 314	118	251	4	Clusters of cases	0
Luxembourg	4 133	12	110	0	Clusters of cases	0
Bulgaria	4 114	130	208	1	Clusters of cases	0

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Hungary	4 107	0	573	0	Community transmission	1
Kyrgyzstan	3 726	207	42	1	Clusters of cases	0
Bosnia and Herzegovina	3 587	63	171	1	Community transmission	0
Greece	3 302	15	190	0	Clusters of cases	0
Croatia	2 366	30	107	0	Sporadic cases	0
Albania	2 114	67	47	2	Clusters of cases	0
Estonia	1 982	1	69	0	Clusters of cases	0
Iceland	1 824	1	10	0	Community transmission	0
Lithuania	1 803	2	77	1	Community transmission	0
Slovakia	1 589	1	28	0	Clusters of cases	0
Slovenia	1 534	13	111	2	Clusters of cases	0
Latvia	1 111	0	30	0	Sporadic cases	3
Cyprus	990	2	19	0	Clusters of cases	0
Georgia	914	3	14	0	Sporadic cases	0
Andorra	855	0	52	0	Community transmission	5
San Marino	713	0	42	0	Community transmission	4
Malta	665	0	9	0	Sporadic cases	2
Montenegro	378	3	9	0	Clusters of cases	0
Monaco	99	0	1	0	Sporadic cases	17
Liechtenstein	83	0	1	0	Pending	59
Holy See	12	0	0	0	Sporadic cases	48
Territoriesⁱⁱ						
Kosovo ^[1]	2 225	52	28	1	Community transmission	0

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Isle of Man	336	0	24	0	Pending	33
Jersey	318	0	31	0	Community transmission	5
Guernsey	252	0	13	0	Community transmission	52
Faroe Islands	187	0	0	0	Pending	61
Gibraltar	176	0	0	0	Clusters of cases	15
Greenland	13	0	0	0	Pending	26
South-East Asia						
India	456 183	15 968	14 476	465	Clusters of cases	0
Bangladesh	119 198	3 412	1 545	43	Community transmission	0
Indonesia	47 896	1 051	2 535	35	Community transmission	0
Nepal	10 099	538	24	1	Sporadic cases	0
Thailand	3 157	1	58	0	Clusters of cases	0
Maldives	2 238	21	8	0	Clusters of cases	0
Sri Lanka	1 991	40	11	0	Clusters of cases	0
Myanmar	292	1	6	0	Clusters of cases	0
Bhutan	70	1	0	0	Sporadic cases	0
Timor-Leste	24	0	0	0	Clusters of cases	61
Western Pacific						
China	85 098	28	4 647	1	Clusters of cases	0
Singapore	42 432	119	26	0	Clusters of cases	0
Philippines	31 825	1 143	1 186	9	Community transmission	0
Japan	18 024	56	963	8	Clusters of cases	0
Republic of Korea	12 535	51	281	0	Clusters of cases	0

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Malaysia	8 590	3	121	0	Clusters of cases	0
Australia	7 492	18	102	0	Clusters of cases	0
New Zealand	1 166	1	22	0	Clusters of cases	0
Viet Nam	349	0	0	0	Clusters of cases	4
Mongolia	215	2	0	0	Sporadic cases	0
Brunei Darussalam	141	0	3	0	Clusters of cases	47
Cambodia	130	1	0	0	Sporadic cases	0
Lao People's Democratic Republic	19	0	0	0	Sporadic cases	72
Fiji	18	0	0	0	Sporadic cases	64
Papua New Guinea	9	0	0	0	Sporadic cases	3
Territoriesⁱⁱ						
Guam	217	1	5	0	Clusters of cases	0
French Polynesia	60	0	0	0	Sporadic cases	49
Northern Mariana Islands (Commonwealth of the)	30	0	2	0	Pending	14
New Caledonia	21	0	0	0	Sporadic cases	14
Subtotal for all regions	9 128 405	135 212	473 784	4 187		
Other*	741	0	13	0	Not applicable	-
Grand total	9 129 146	135 212	473 797	4 187		

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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 EMRO](#)
 - [WHO EURO](#)
 - [WHO PAHO](#)
 - [WHO SEARO](#)
 - [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

- **Erratum 24 June 2020, Ecuador:** The original publication of the 23 June Situation Report excluded 275 additional cases and 23 deaths. Counts have been corrected.
- **Update 24 June 2020, Switzerland:** Counts adjusted retrospectively by national authorities: 1 death has been excluded.