904 COVID-19 POSITIVE CASES REPORTED ON

<u>THURSDAY</u>

AS 78 RECOVER

Kenya on

Thursday

recorded 904 Covid-19 positive cases from a sample of 5,673 bringing the total number of confirmed cases in the country to 154,392.

From the cases, 885 were Kenyans while 19 were foreigners. 519 were males with 385 females. The youngest was a two-month-old infant while the oldest was aged 97. The positivity rate stood at 15.9 percent.

The cumulative tests so far conducted in the country are 1,624,663.

Distribution of positive cases by age was as follows; 0-9 years (29), 10-19 years (47), 20-29 years (104), 30-39 years (216), 40-49 years (189), 50-59 years (113), 60 and above (206). In terms of County distribution; Nairobi county recorded 288 cases, Mombasa 88, Meru 54, Nakuru 32, Kakamega 31, Busia 31, Uasin Gishu 29, Nyamira 29, Kericho 27, Kisumu 23, Nyandarua 23, Muranga 22, Kitui 17, Tharaka Nithi 16, Baringo, Kiambu, Kirinyaga and Nandi 14 cases each, Laikipia 13, Vihiga 12, Taita Taveta 11, Machakos 10, Kisii 10, Marsabit, Bomet, Kilifi, Embu and Siaya had 9 cases each, Trans Nzoia 7, Bungoma 5, Kajiado 5, Samburu 4, Mandera 4, West Pokot 3, Kwale 3, Homa Bay 2, Isiolo 2, Nyeri 1 and Lamu 1. In terms of Sub County Distribution; the 288 cases in Nairobi were from Kibra (65), Westlands (26), Mathare (22), Starehe (19), Lang'ata (17), Kasarani (14), Embakasi South and Ruaraka (13) cases each, Dagoretti North, Embakasi Central and Makadara (12) cases each, Dagoretti South, Embakasi West and Roysambu (11) cases each, Embakasi East (10), Kamukunji (9).

In Mombasa, the 88 cases were from Mvita (36), Jomvu (22), Kisauni and Nyali (10) cases each, Likoni (6), Changamwe (4). In Meru, the 54 cases were from Imenti North (43), Buuri (4), Igembe North and Imenti South (2) cases each, Igembe Central, Imenti Central and Tigania East (1) case each. In Nakuru, the 32 cases were from Nakuru East (11), Gilgil and Nakuru West (4) cases each, Molo and Njoro (3) cases each, Kuresoi South and Rongai (2) cases each, Kuresoi North, Naivasha and Nakuru North (1) case each.

In Kakamega, the 31 cases were from Lurambi (12), Malava (8), Likuyani (3), Shinyalu (2), Butere, Ikolomani, Lugari, Matungu, Mumias East and Navakholo (1) case each.

In Busia, the 31 cases were from Matayos which recorded 30 cases while Nambale had 1 case. In Uasin Gishu, the 29 cases were from Ainabkoi (11), Turbo (8), Kesses (4), Soy (3), Kapseret (2), Moiben (1). In Nyamira, the 29 cases were from Nyamira North (12), Borabu and Masaba North (7) cases each while Manga had 3 cases.

In Kericho, the 27 cases were from Ainamoi (16), Kipkelion East (5), Bureti (3), Belgut (20, Kipkelion West (1). In Kisumu the 23 cases were from Kisumu Central (19), Kisumu East (2), Nyakach and Nyando (1) case each.

In Nyandarua, the 23 cases were from OlKalou (18), Ndaragwa and Oljororok (2) cases each, Kipipiri (1). In Murang'a the 22 cases were from Kigumo (9), Kiharu and Mathioya (4) cases each, Gatanga and Kandara (2) cases each while Muranga South had one case.

In Kitui, the 17 cases were from Kitui Rural (5), Mwingi Central and Mwingi West (4) cases each, Kitui central, Kitui South, Kitui West and Mwingi North (1) case each. In Tharaka Nithi, the 16 cases were from Chuka (5), Muthambi and Tharaka South (4) cases each, Mwimbi (3).

In Baringo, the 14 cases were from Mogotio (6), Baringo Central (5), Baringo North, Koibatek and Marigat (1) case each. In Kiambu, the 14 cases were from Thika (4), Kiambu Town and Kikuyu (3) cases each, Juja (2), Kiambaa and Ruiru (1) case each.

In Kirinyaga, the 14 cases were from Kirinyaga Central, Kirinyaga East, Kirinyaga West and Mwea West that had 3 cases each while Kirinyaga South had two cases. In Nandi, the 14 cases were from Emgwen (11), Mosop (2) and Aldai (1). In Laikipia, the 13 cases wefrom Laikipia East (12) and Laikipia West (1). In Vihiga the 12 cases are from Hamisi (6), Vihiga (3), Sabatia (2) and Emuhaya (1).

In Taita Taveta, the 11 cases were from Mwatate (6), Voi (3), Taveta (2).

In Machakos the 10 cases were from Machakos Town (3), Kalama (2), Athi River, Kangundo, Masinga, Matungulu and Mwala (10 cases each). In Kisii, the 10 cases were from Kitutu Chache South (5), Bonchari (3), Nyaribari Chache (2). In Marsabit, all the 9 cases were from Saku. In Bomet the 9 cases were from Bomet Central (5), Bomet East (3), Chepalungu (1).

In Kilifi, the 9 cases were from Magarini and Malindi (3) cases each, Kaloleni, Kilifi North and Kilifi South (1) case each. In Embu, the 9 cases were from Manyatta (4), Runyenjes (3), Mbeere South (2). In Siaya, the 9 cases were from Alego Usonga (5), Rarieda (2), Bondo and Ugunja (1) case each. In Trans Nzoia, the 7 cases were from Kiminini (6), Kwanza (1).

In Bungoma, the 5 cases were from Kimilili (4), Kanduyi (1). In Kajiado the 5 cases were from Kajiado East and North (2) cases each, Kajiado Central (1). In Samburu, the 4 cases were from Samburu Central. In Mandera, all the 4 cases were from Mandera East.

In West Pokot, the 3 cases were from West Pokot (2) and Pokot South (1). In Kwale, the 3 cases were from Matuga (2), Msambweni (1). In Homa Bay, the 2 cases were from Karachuonyo and Mbita (1) case each, while in Isiolo the 2 cases were recorded in Isiolo Town. The case in Nyeri was from Mathira West and the case in Lamu was from Lamu West.

88 patients recovered from the disease on

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, 76 from various health facilities across the country while 12 are from Home Based and Isolation Care. Total recoveries now stand at 105,367 of which 76,979 are from Home Based Care and Isolation while 28,388 are from various health facilities.

20 deaths were also reported in the last 24 hours with 7 having occurred on diverse dates within the last one month, while 13 were late deaths reported after conducting facility record audits. This now pushes cumulative fatalities to 2,560.

New deaths by age; 0-9 years (0), 10-19 years (0), 20-29 (1), 30-39 years (1), 40-49 years (5), 50-59 years (2), 60 years and above (11).

Cumulative deaths by age; 0-9 years (50), 10-19 years (18), 20-29 (99), 30-39 years (224), 40-49 years (344), 50-59 years (571), 60 years and above (1,254).

A total of 1,507 patients are currently admitted in various health facilities countrywide, while 6,834 patients are on Home Based Isolation and Care. 226 patients are in the Intensive Care Unit (ICU), 52 of whom are on ventilatory support and 144 on supplemental oxygen. 30 patients are on observation. Another 183 patients are separately on supplementary oxygen with 171 of them in general wards while 12 are in High Dependency Units (HDU).

By the close of the day <u>Thursday</u>

, a total of 778,254 persons had been vaccinated against COVID-19 disease countrywide. Of this 446,329 are aged 58 years and above, 148,358 are Health workers, 119,161 are Teachers while 64,406 are Security Officers