



**NATIONAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE COMMITTEE ON**  
**CORONAVIRUS**

**UPDATE ON COVID-19 IN THE COUNTRY AND RESPONSE**  
**MEASURES, AS AT DECEMBER 25, 2020**

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**PRESS STATEMENT**

Today **282** people have tested positive for the virus, from a sample size of **4,095** tested in the last 24 hours, bringing to **95,713** the number of confirmed positive cases in the country. The cumulative tests are now **1,029,748**. From the cases **240** are Kenyans while **42** are foreigners. **164** are males and **118** females. The youngest is **a two-year old child**, while the oldest is **100**.

Distribution of the cases by **Counties** is as follows; Nairobi **143**, Mombasa **35**, Kiambu **18**, Uasin Gishu **11**, Kilifi **12**, Embu **10**,

Nakuru **10**, Kajiado **7**, Murang'a **5**, Nyeri **5**, Kisumu **4**, Turkana **4**, Meru **3**, Garissa **2**, Kisii **2**, Siaya **2**, Elgeyo Marakwet, Isiolo, Kirinyaga, Kitui, Kwale, Laikipia, Machakos, Tharaka-Nithi and Trans-Nzoia **1** case each.

In terms of **Sub County** Distribution;

In **Nairobi** the **143** cases are from Westlands (19), Lang'ata (17), Kibra(15), Kasarani (13), Mathare and Ruaraka (10) cases each, Dagoretti North (9), Starehe (8), Makadara (7), Embakasi West, Kamukunji and Roysambu (6) cases each, Dagoretti South (5), Embakasi East (4), Embakasi Central and Embakasi North (3) cases each, Embakasi South (2). In **Mombasa** the **35** cases are from Mvita (28), Kisauni (3), Nyali (2), Changamwe and Jomvu (1) case each. In **Kiambu** the **18** cases are from Thika (6), Lari (5), Kiambu Town, Kikuyu and Ruiru (2) cases each, Kiambaa (1). In **Uasin Gishu** the **11** cases are from Ainabkhai (9) and Moiben (2). In **Kilifi** the **12** cases are from Malindi (7), Kilifi North (4) and Kaloleni (1). In **Embu** the **10** cases are from Runyenjes (6) and Manyatta (4). In **Nakuru** the **10** cases are from Nakuru East (5), Gilgil and Naivasha (2) cases each, Rongai (1). In **Kajiado** the **7** cases are from Kajiado North (5), Kajiado East and Kajiado West (1) case each. In **Murang'a** the **5** cases are from Maragua (3) and Gatanga

(2). In **Nyeri** the **5** cases are from Mathira East and Nyeri Central (2) cases each, Mukurweini (1). In **Kisumu** the **4** cases are all from Kisumu Central. In **Turkana** the **4** cases are from Turkana Central and Turkana West (2) cases each. In **Meru** the **3** cases are from Imenti South (2) and Igembe South (1). In **Garissa** the **2** cases are from Dadaab and Garissa Town (1) case each. In **Kisii** the **2** cases are from Bonchari and Kitutu Chache South with (1) case each while in **Siaya** the **2** cases are from Alego-Usonga and Ugenya with (1) case each. The **case** in **Elgeyo Marakwet** is from Keiyo North, **case** in **Isiolo** is from Isiolo Town, **case** in **Kirinyaga** is from Kirinyaga Central, **case** in **Kitui** is from Kitui Central, **case** in **Kwale** is from Msambweni, **case** in **Laikipia** is from Laikipia East, **case** in **Machakos** is from Athi River, **case** in **Tharaka-Nithi** is from Chuka and the **case** in **Trans-Nzoia** is from Saboti.

Today, **91** patients have recovered from the disease, **84** being from the Home-Based Care Program, while **7** have been discharged from various hospitals. The total recoveries now stand at **76,811**.

Unfortunately, **1** patient has succumbed to the disease bringing the cumulative fatalities to **1,653**. Our sincere condolences to the family and friends of the deceased.

Currently, there are **768** patients admitted in various health facilities countrywide and **3,659** on Home Based Isolation and Care. **37** patients are in Intensive Care Unit (ICU), **18** of whom are on ventilatory support, and **17** on supplemental oxygen. **2** are on observation.

Another **33** patients are separately on supplementary oxygen, out of whom **26** are in the general wards. **7** are in the High Dependency Unit (HDU)

Thank You.



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