



NATIONAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE COMMITTEE ON
CORONAVIRUS

UPDATE ON COVID-19 IN THE COUNTRY AND RESPONSE
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PRESS STATEMENT

Today **98** people have tested positive for the virus, from a sample size of **3,369** tested in the last 24 hours, bringing to **98,432** the number of confirmed positive cases in the country. The cumulative tests are now **1,097,647**. From the cases **87** are Kenyans while **11** are foreigners. **63** are males and **35** are females. The youngest is **a three-year old baby** while the oldest is **85**.

Distribution of the cases by **Counties** is as follows; Nairobi **49**, Mombasa **14**, Uasin Gishu **8**, Kiambu **4**, Kwale **3**, Nakuru **3**, Bungoma **2**, Kisii **2**, Kisumu **2**, Turkana **2**, Machakos **2**, Kirinyaga **1**, Laikipia **1**, Kajiado **1**, Kericho **1**, Meru **1**, Nandi **1** and Siaya **1**.

In terms of **Sub County** Distribution; In **Nairobi** the **49** cases are from Kibra (15), Embakasi West (4), Kamukunji, Roysambu, Starehe and Westlands (3) cases each, Embakasi Central, Embakasi East, Embakasi North, Kasarani, Lang'ata, Makadara and Ruaraka (2) cases each, Dagoretti North, Dagoretti South, Embakasi South and Mathare (1) case each.

In **Mombasa** the **14** cases are from Kisauni (6), Nyali (4), Mvita (2), Changamwe and Jomvu (1) case each. In **Uasin Gishu**, the **8** cases are from Turbo (5), Ainabkoi (2) and Kesses (1).

In **Kiambu**, the **4** cases are from Gatundu South, Githunguri, Kiambaa and Kikuyu (1) case each. In **Kwale**, the **3** cases are from Lungalunga (2) and Malindi (1). In **Nakuru**, the **3** cases are from Naivasha (2) and Nakuru East (1).

The **2** cases in **Bungoma**, are all from Webuye East, the **2** cases in **Kisii**, are all from Kitutu Chache South, the **2** cases in **Kisumu**, are from Kisumu Central and Nyakach (1) case each, the **2** cases in **Turkana**, are all from Turkana West and the **2** cases in **Machakos**, are all from Athi River.

The **case** in **Kirinyaga** is from Kirinyaga Central, the **case** in Laikipia is from Laikipia West, the **case** in **Kajiado**, is from Kajiado East, the **case** in **Kericho**, is from Ainamoi, the **case** in **Meru**, is from Imenti

Central, the **case** in **Nandi**, is from Chesumei and the **case** in **Siaya** is from Rarieda.

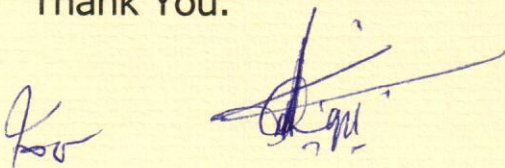
Today, **154** patients have recovered from the disease, **144** being from the Home-Based Care Program, while **10** have been discharged from various hospitals. The total recoveries now stand at **81,255**.

Unfortunately, another **3** patients have lost their lives to the disease, pushing the cumulative fatalities to **1,716**. Our condolences to the families and friends of those who have lost their loved ones.

There are **696** patients currently admitted in various health facilities countrywide and **2,116** are on Home Based Isolation and Care. **32** patients are in Intensive Care Unit (ICU), **21** of whom are on ventilatory support and **10** on supplemental oxygen. **1** is on observation.

Another **11** patients are separately on supplementary oxygen all of whom are in the general wards. **No patient** is in the High Dependency Unit.

Thank You.



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