



NATIONAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE COMMITTEE ON
CORONAVIRUS

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

Today **105** people have tested positive to the disease, out of a sample size of **3,573** tested in the last 24 hours. The total confirmed positive cases are now **104,306**. The cumulative tests so far conducted are **1,269,346**. From the cases **88** are Kenyans while **17** are foreigners. **72** are males and **33** are females. The youngest is an **eleven-year-old child** while the oldest is **82**.

In terms of **County** distribution; Nairobi **68**, Kiambu **12**, Laikipia **5**, Kajiado **4**, Mombasa **3**, Machakos **3**, Nakuru **2**, Nyeri **2**, Uasin Gishu **2**, Kericho **1**, Kisumu **1**, Kwale **1** and Mandera **1**.

In terms of **Sub County** distribution; the **68** cases in **Nairobi** are from Dagoretti North (10), Westlands (8), Embakasi East, Embakasi West and Lang'ata (5) cases each, Embakasi North, Kasarani, Kibra and Roysambu (4) cases each, Dagoretti South, Embakasi Central and Mathare (3) cases each, Embakasi South, Kamukunji, Makadara, Ruaraka and Starehe (2) cases each.

In **Kiambu** the **12** cases are from Ruiru (4), Kiambu Town and Thika (3) cases each, Limuru (1). In **Laikipia** the **5** cases are from Laikipia East (4) and Laikipia West (1). In **Kajiado** the **4** cases are from Kajiado East and Kajiado North (2) cases each. In **Mombasa** the **3** cases are from Mvita (2) and Nyali (1). In **Machakos** the **3** cases are from Athi River (2) and Mwala (1).

The **2** cases in **Nakuru** are from Naivasha and Nakuru East with (1) case each, the **2** cases in **Nyeri** are all from Nyeri Central and the **2** cases in **Uasin Gishu** are from Ainabkoi and Moiben (1) case each. The **case** in **Kericho** is from Ainamoi, the **case** in **Kisumu** is from Kisumu Central, the **case** in **Kwale** is from Msambweni and the **case** in **Mandera** is from Mandera East.

Today, **49** patients have recovered from the disease, **34** from the Home Based and Isolation Care while **15** are from various health facilities. Total recoveries now stand at **85,626**.

Sadly, **4** patients have succumbed to the disease pushing our cumulative fatalities to **1,827**. Our sincere condolences to the families and friends of those who have lost their loved ones.

A total of **333** patients are currently admitted in various health facilities countrywide, while **1,281** patients are on Home Based Isolation and Care.

51 patients are in the Intensive Care Unit (ICU), **23** of whom are on ventilatory support and **24** on supplemental oxygen. **4** patients are on observation. Another **9** patients are separately on supplementary oxygen with all in the general wards. No patient is in the High Dependency Unit (HDU).

Thank You.



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