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PRESS STATEMENT

Today **99** people have tested positive to the disease, out of a sample size of **4,758** tested in the last 24 hours. The total confirmed positive cases are now **100,422**. The cumulative tests so far conducted are **1,172,167**. From the cases **80** are Kenyans while **19** are foreigners. **62** are males while **37** are females. The youngest is a **five-year-old child** while the oldest is **88**.

In terms of **County** distribution; Nairobi **57**, Mombasa **6**, Kilifi **6**, Kiambu **6**, Kajiado **2**, Embu **4**, Bungoma **3**, Machakos **3**, Kisumu

2, Migori **2**, Kakamega **1**, Kitui **1**, Laikipia **1**, Homa Bay **1**, Kericho **1**, Meru **1**, Siaya **1**, and Turkana **1**.

In terms of **Sub County** distribution; the **57** cases in **Nairobi** are from Makadara (12), Lang'ata (8), Embakasi West and Starehe (6) cases each, Dagoretti North (5), Westlands (4), Kibra and Mathare (3) cases each, Embakasi Central (2), Dagoretti South, Embakasi East, Embakasi North, Embakasi South, Kamukunji, Kasarani, Roysambu and Ruaraka (1) case each. In **Mombasa** the **6** cases are from Mvita & Nyali (2) cases each, Kisauni and Likoni (1) case each. In **Kilifi**, the **6** cases are from Malindi (5) and Kilifi North (1). In **Kiambu** the **6** cases are from Lari (2), Githunguri, Kabete, Kiambu Town and Ruiru (1) case each. In **Embu** all the **4** cases are from Manyatta. In **Bungoma** all the **3** cases are from Kanduyi. In **Machakos** the **3** cases are from Athi River (2) and Machakos (1). In **Kisumu** the **2** cases are from Kisumu Central and Kisumu East (1) case each. In **Kajiado** the **2** cases are from Kajiado East and Loitokitok (1) case each while in **Migori** the **2** cases are all from Kuria West.

The **case** in **Kakamega** is from Lurambi, the **case** in **Kitui** is from Kitui Central, the **case** in **Laikipia** is from Laikipia West, the **case** in **Homa Bay** is from **Ndhiwa**, the **case** in **Kericho** is from

Ainamoi, the **case** in **Meru** is from Igembe Central, the **case** in **Siaya** is from Rarieda and the **case** in **Turkana** is from Turkana West.

Today, **66** patients have recovered from the disease. **34** are from our various facilities while **32** from the Home-Based Isolation and Care. The total recoveries now stand at **83,757**.

Unfortunately, **2** patients have succumbed to the disease pushing our cumulative fatalities to **1,753**. Our sincere condolences to the families and friends of those that have lost their loved ones.

There are **476** patients currently admitted in various health facilities countrywide, while **1,363** are on Home Based Isolation and Care. **28** patients are in the Intensive Care Unit (ICU), **14** of whom are on ventilatory support and **13** on supplemental oxygen. **1** patient is under observation. Another **16** patients are separately on supplementary oxygen with **11** of them in the general wards and **5** in the High Dependency Unit.

I thank you.



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