



**NATIONAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE COMMITTEE ON  
CORONAVIRUS**

**UPDATE ON COVID-19 IN THE COUNTRY AND RESPONSE  
MEASURES, AS AT FEBRUARY 27, 2021**

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**BRIEF NO: 340**

**PRESS STATEMENT**

Today **181** people have tested positive to the disease, out of a sample size of **5,577** tested in the last 24 hours. The total confirmed positive cases are now **105,648**. The cumulative tests so far conducted are **1,295,556**. From the cases **159** are Kenyans while **22** are foreigners. **112** are males and **69** are females. The youngest is a **two-month-old infant** while the oldest is **86**.

In terms of **County** distribution; Nairobi **104**, Kiambu **20**, Busia **11**, Nakuru **9**, Kisumu **5**, Mombasa **5**, Machakos **5**, Taita Taveta **4**, Turkana

**4**, Embu **2**, Kajiado **2**, Kakamega **2**, Kilifi **1**, Makueni **1**, Meru **1**, Migori **1**, Murang'a **1**, Nyeri **1**, Bungoma **1** and Uasin Gishu **1**.

In terms of **Sub County** distribution; the **104** cases in **Nairobi** are from Dagoretti North (21), Lang'ata and Westlands (16) cases each, Starehe (8), Embakasi West (6), Makadara and Mathare (5) cases each, Embakasi East, Kasarani and Kibra (4) cases each, Dagoretti South, Embakasi South and Kamukunji (3) cases each, Embakasi Central and Embakasi North (2) cases each, Roysambu and Ruaraka (1) case each.

In **Kiambu** the **20** cases are from Ruiru (6), Githunguri, Kiambaa and Kiambu Town (3) cases each, Kikuyu (2), Juja, Kabete and Thika (1) case each. In **Busia** the **11** cases are from Teso North (8) and Matayos (3). In **Nakuru** the **9** cases are from Nakuru East (7), Naivasha and Njoro (1) case each. In **Kisumu** the **5** cases are from Kisumu Central (3), Kisumu East and Nyakach (1) case each.

In **Mombasa** all the **5** cases are from Mvita, while in **Machakos** the **5** cases are from Athi River (4) and Machakos Town (1). In **Taita Taveta** the **4** cases are all from Voi, while in **Turkana** the **4** cases are all from Turkana West. In **Embu** the **2** cases are from Manyatta and Mbeere North (1) case each. In **Kajiado** the **2** cases are all from Kajiado East, while in **Kakamega** the **2** cases are all from Lurambi.

The **case** in **Kilifi** is from Kaloleni, the **case** in **Makueni** is from Kilome, the **case** in **Meru** is from Imenti North, the **case** in **Migori** is from Suna

East, the **case** in **Murang'a** is from Mathioya, the **case** in **Nyeri** is from Kieni East, the **case** in **Bungoma** is from Kanduyi and the **case** in **Uasin Gishu** is from Ainabkoi.

Today, **88** patients have recovered from the disease, **46** from various health facilities, while **42** are from the Home Based and Isolation Care. Total recoveries are now **86,609**.

Unfortunately, **one** patient has succumbed to the disease pushing our cumulative fatalities to **1,854**. Our sincere condolences to the family and friends of the departed.

A total of **347** patients are currently admitted in various health facilities countrywide, while **1,430** patients are on Home Based Isolation and Care. **59** patients are in the Intensive Care Unit (ICU), **25** of whom are on ventilatory support and **29** on supplemental oxygen. **5** patients are on observation.

Another **15** patients are separately on supplementary oxygen with **14** of them in the general wards and **One** in the High Dependency Unit (HDU).

Thank You.



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