



**NATIONAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE COMMITTEE ON  
CORONAVIRUS**

**UPDATE ON COVID-19 IN THE COUNTRY AND RESPONSE  
MEASURES, AS AT AUGUST 5, 2021**

**DAY: 506**

**BRIEF NO: 498**

**PRESS STATEMENT**

Today **1,571** people have tested positive for the disease, from a sample size of **9,065** tested in the last 24 hours. The positivity rate is now **17.3%**. From the cases **1,538** are Kenyans while **33** are foreigners. **846** males while **725** are females. The youngest is a **four-month-old infant** while the oldest is **103** years. Total confirmed positive cases are now **208,262** and cumulative tests so far conducted are **2,166,046**.

