



## **NATIONAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE COMMITTEE ON CORONAVIRUS**

### **UPDATE ON COVID-19 IN THE COUNTRY AND RESPONSE MEASURES, AS AT JULY 7, 2021**

**DAY: 477**

**BRIEF NO: 469**

#### **PRESS STATEMENT**

Today **506** people have tested positive for the disease, from a sample size of **7,376** tested in the last 24 hours. The positivity rate is now **6.9%**. From the cases **468** are Kenyans while **38** are foreigners. **287** are males and **219** females. The youngest is a **two-month-old infant** while the oldest is **103** years. Total confirmed positive cases are now **186,959** and cumulative tests so far conducted are **1,996,442**.

In terms of **County** distribution; Nairobi **124**, Mombasa **70**, Uasin Gishu **41**, Kilifi **25**, Trans Nzoia **24**, Nakuru **22**, Kisumu **20**,

Kakamega **19**, Siaya **18**, Kiambu **15**, Laikipia **14**, Kisii **13**, Busia **12**, Kajiado **11**, Vihiga **11**, Kitui **10**, Nandi **8**, Kwale **7**, Machakos **6**, Baringo **6**, Nyandarua **6**, Murang'a **4**, Turkana **4**, Bungoma **3**, Narok **3**, Marsabit **2**, Homa Bay **2**, Meru **1**, Nyamira **1**, Tana River **1**, Embu **1**, Isiolo **1** and Kericho **1**.

Distribution of positive cases by age is as follows; 0-9 years (**8**), 10-19 years (**20**), 20-29 years (**68**), 30-39 (**142**) 40-49 (**94**) 50-59 (**80**) 60 years and above (**94**).

Today **355** patients have recovered from the disease. **241** are from the Home-Based Isolation and Care, while **114** are various health facilities. At the same time, arising from harmonization of our records in the last **15** months, another **45,002** patients have also recovered. Total recoveries now stand at **174,522** of whom **138,893** are from Home Based Care and Isolation program, while **35,629** are from various health facilities.

Sadly, **8** patients have succumbed to the disease. **One** in the last 24 hours while **7** are late deaths reported after conducting Facility Record Audits in the months of June and July 2021. This now

pushes our cumulative fatalities to **3,705**. Our sincere condolences to all who that have lost their loved ones.

New deaths by age; 0-9 years **(0)**, 10-19 years **(0)**, 20-29 **(0)**, 30-39 years **(1)**, 40-49 years **(0)**, 50-59 years **(3)**, 60 years and above **(4)**.

Cumulative deaths by age; 0-9 years **(56)**, 10-19 years **(26)**, 20-29 **(118)**, 30-39 years **(306)**, 40-49 years **(442)**, 50-59 years **(750)**, 60 years and above **(2,007)**.

A total of **1,128** patients are currently admitted in various health facilities countrywide, while **5,392** patients are under the Home Based Isolation and Care program. **118** patients are in the Intensive Care Unit (ICU), **39** of whom are on ventilatory support and **60** on supplemental oxygen. **29** patients are under observation.

Another **177** patients are separately on supplemental oxygen with **150** of them in general wards and **27** in High Dependency Units (HDU).

**VACCINATION:** As of today, a total of **1,511,693** vaccines had so far been administered across the country. Of these, total first doses are **1,021,982** while second doses are **489,711**. The uptake of the second dose among those who received their first dose is at **47.9%** with the majority being males at **55%** while females are at **45%**. Proportion of adults fully vaccinated is **1.88%**.

The uptake of the second dose by Priority Groups is as follows: Aged 58 years and above **151,806**, Others **137,169**, Health Workers **94,978**, Teachers **67,376** while Security Officers are at **38,382**.

Thank you.

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