



NATIONAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE COMMITTEE ON

CORONAVIRUS

UPDATE ON COVID-19 IN THE COUNTRY AND RESPONSE

MEASURES, AS AT OCTOBER 15, 2021

DAY: 576

BRIEF NO: 568

PRESS STATEMENT

VACCINATION CAMPAIGN:

As of October 14th 2021, a total of **4,406,433** vaccines had so far been administered across the country. Of these, **3,242,809** were partially vaccinated while those fully vaccinated were **1,163,624**.

The uptake of the second dose among those who received their first dose was at **34.4%**. Proportion of adults fully vaccinated was **4.3%**. The Government is working towards vaccinating a targeted population of **27,246,033**.

The table below shows the proportion of those above 18 years who are partially vaccinated in respective counties. Nairobi County is the highest with **31.4%** of its population receiving the first dose while Marsabit County is the least with **1.3%**.

No.	County	No. Partially Vaccinated	Target Population above 18 years	% of Population received Dose 1	No.	County	No. Partially Vaccinated	Target Population above 18 years	% of Population received Dose 1
1	Nairobi	957,147	3,052,494	31.4%	25	Homa Bay	33,290	608,326	5.5%
2	Kiambu	298,723	1,623,545	18.4%	26	Migori	32,670	557,657	5.9%
3	Nakuru	170,684	1,273,265	13.4%	27	Kilifi	31,611	784,567	4.0%
4	Nyeri	134,166	510,028	26.3%	28	Kisii	30,204	697,445	4.3%
5	Muranga	110,825	675,364	16.4%	29	Nyamira	29,142	341,397	8.5%
6	Machakos	100,671	905,172	11.1%	30	Busia	26,792	465,190	5.8%
7	Uasin Gishu	92,142	693,570	13.3%	31	Vihiga	25,172	329,317	7.6%
8	Kisumu	90,495	656,147	13.8%	32	Tharaka Nithi	24,386	246,699	9.9%
9	Mombasa	82,814	804,202	10.3%	33	Baringo	21,176	338,937	6.2%
10	Kirinyaga	81,233	413,708	19.6%	34	Bomet	20,885	465,963	4.5%

11	Kajiado	75,960	663,201	11.5%	35	Elgeyo Marakwet	17,574	243,690	7.2%
12	Bungoma	66,688	843,735	7.9%	36	Kwale	17,185	451,261	3.8%
13	Meru	66,270	949,186	7.0%	37	Narok	15,410	548,229	2.8%
14	Kakamega	62,043	982,838	6.3%	38	Turkana	9,249	468,878	2.0%
15	Nyandarua	60,574	376,776	16.1%	39	West Pokot	8,207	283,727	2.9%
16	Laikipia	58,141	306,448	19.0%	40	Garissa	7,694	399,358	1.9%
17	Makueni	57,435	584,379	9.8%	41	Samburu	6,686	145,608	4.6%
18	Embu	56,082	395,980	14.2%	42	Mandera	6,220	341,857	1.8%
19	Trans Nzoia	45,228	518,077	8.7%	43	Isiolo	5,653	133,358	4.2%
20	Kitui	40,663	624,506	6.5%	44	Wajir	5,003	337,296	1.5%
21	Kericho	38,497	508,980	7.6%	45	Lamu	4,692	83,433	5.6%
22	Siaya	38,313	536,031	7.1%	46	Tana River	3,440	151,051	2.3%
23	Nandi	38,243	492,652	7.8%	47	Marsabit	2,953	219,170	1.3%
24	Taita Taveta	34,478	213,335	16.2%		Total	3,242,809	27,246,033	11.9%

The table below shows the total county cumulative trends and proportion of fully vaccinated. Nairobi County is in the lead with **13.7%** of its population fully vaccinated followed by Nyeri county **11.0%**, Uasin Gishu with **6.5%**, Kiambu **6.5%**, Nyandarua **5.4%**, Kisumu **5.2%** while Marsabit, is the least with **0.4%**, of the population fully vaccinated.

No.	County	No. fully vaccinated	Target Population above 18 years	% of fully vaccinated population	No.	County	No. fully vaccinated	Target Population above 18 years	% of fully vaccinated population
1	Nairobi	418,707	3,052,494	13.7%	25	Migori	10,488	557,657	1.9%
2	Kiambu	105,900	1,623,545	6.5%	26	Kisii	10,477	697,445	1.5%
3	Nyeri	55,966	510,028	11.0%	27	Kericho	10,162	508,980	2.0%
4	Nakuru	54,848	1,273,265	4.3%	28	Taita Taveta	9,493	213,335	4.4%
5	Uasin Gishu	45,080	693,570	6.5%	29	Nyamira	9,391	341,397	2.8%
6	Mombasa	38,683	804,202	4.8%	30	Makueni	8,708	584,379	1.5%
7	Kisumu	33,847	656,147	5.2%	31	Busia	8,603	465,190	1.8%
8	Kajiado	26,003	663,201	3.9%	32	Baringo	7,743	338,937	2.3%
9	Muranga	22,855	675,364	3.4%	33	Bomet	6,777	465,963	1.5%
10	Machakos	22,472	905,172	2.5%	34	Tharaka Nithi	6,383	246,699	2.6%
11	Kakamega	21,606	982,838	2.2%	35	Elgeyo Marakwet	6,368	243,690	2.6%
12	Nyandarua	20,464	376,776	5.4%	36	Narok	6,280	548,229	1.1%
13	Meru	20,442	949,186	2.2%	37	Kwale	5,750	451,261	1.3%
14	Trans Nzoia	17,545	518,077	3.4%	38	Turkana	3,749	468,878	0.8%
15	Embu	16,886	395,980	4.3%	39	Samburu	3,269	145,608	2.2%
16	Laikipia	15,024	306,448	4.9%	40	West Pokot	2,616	283,727	0.9%
17	Kirinyaga	14,995	413,708	3.6%	41	Mandera	2,497	341,857	0.7%
18	Nandi	14,572	492,652	3.0%	42	Wajir	2,287	337,296	0.7%
19	Bungoma	13,849	843,735	1.6%	43	Garissa	2,279	399,358	0.6%
20	Siaya	12,165	536,031	2.3%	44	Isiolo	1,977	133,358	1.5%
21	Homa Bay	11,420	608,326	1.9%	45	Marsabit	876	219,170	0.4%
22	Vihiga	11,020	329,317	3.3%	46	Tana River	848	151,051	0.6%
23	Kitui	10,774	624,506	1.7%	47	Lamu	775	83,433	0.9%
24	Kilifi	10,705	784,567	1.4%		Total	1,163,624	27,246,033	4.3%

On the Covid-19 situation today **134** people have tested positive for the disease, from a sample size of **6,047** tested in the last 24 hours. The positivity rate is now at **2.2%**. From the cases **128** are Kenyans while **6** are foreigners. **70** males while **64** are females. The youngest is a **three-year-old child** while the oldest is **89** years. Total confirmed positive cases are now **251,803** and cumulative tests so far conducted are **2,630,712**.

In terms of **County** distribution; Nakuru **24**, Nairobi **21**, Kericho **12**, Marsabit **7**, Kakamega **7**, Mombasa **7**, Makueni **6**, West Pokot **5**, Kajiado **5**, Meru **4**, Nyeri **3**, Garissa **3**, Tana River **3**, Turkana **3**, Baringo **2**, Busia **2**, Embu **2**, Isiolo **2**, Nyamira **2**, Nyandarua **2**, Uasin Gishu **1**, Vihiga **1**, Kilifi **1**, Kirinyaga **1**, Trans Nzoia **1**, Narok **1**, Kitui **1**, Laikipia **1**, Bungoma **1**, Siaya **1**, Murang'a **1** and Lamu **1**.

Distribution of positive cases by age is as follows; 0-9 years **(6)**, 10-19 years **(9)**, 20-29 years **(32)**, 30-39 **(22)**, 40-49 **(24)**, 50-59 **(16)**, 60 years and above **(25)**.

Today **142** patients have recovered from the disease with **93** from the Home-Based Isolation and Care program while **49** are from various health facilities countrywide.

Total recoveries now stand at **245,077** of whom **198,000** are from the Home-Based Care and Isolation program, while **47,077** are from various health facilities countrywide.

Sadly, **8** patients have succumbed to the disease, **all** of them being late deaths reported after conducting facility audit reports in the month of October 2021.

This now pushes the cumulative deaths to **5,210**. Our sincere condolences to the families and those that have lost their loved ones.

New deaths by age; 0-9 years **(0)**, 10-19 years **(0)**, 20-29 **(0)**, 30-39 years **(0)**, 40-49 years **(1)**, 50-59 years **(0)**, 60 years and above **(7)**.

Cumulative deaths by age; 0-9 years **(58)**, 10-19 years **(38)**, 20-29 **(140)**, 30-39 years **(376)**, 40-49 years **(603)**, 50-59 years **(978)** 60 years and above **(3,017)**.

A total of **612** patients are currently admitted in various health facilities countrywide, while **1,608** are under the Home-Based Isolation and Care program. **31** patients are in the Intensive Care Unit (ICU), **15** of whom are on ventilatory support and **16** on supplemental oxygen. **No** patient is under observation.

Another **202** patients are separately on supplemental oxygen with **197** of them in general wards and **5** in High Dependency Units (HDU).

I thank you.

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