



NATIONAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE COMMITTEE ON

CORONAVIRUS

UPDATE ON COVID-19 IN THE COUNTRY AND RESPONSE

MEASURES, AS AT JANUARY 3, 2022

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PRESS STATEMENT

Today **1,223** people have tested positive for the disease, from a sample size of **4,003** tested in the last 24 hours. The positivity rate is now at **30.6%**. From the cases, **1,132** are Kenyans while **91**

are foreigners. **647** females and **576** are males. The youngest is a **seven-month-old child** while the oldest is **101** years. Total confirmed positive cases are now **299,732** and cumulative tests so far conducted are **3,046,316**.

In terms of **County** distribution; Nairobi **611**, Taita Taveta **103**, Siaya **77**, Kiambu **65**, Migori **38**, Bungoma **30**, Machakos **29**, Kajiado **25**, Marsabit **24**, Kwale **23**, Laikipia **21**, Nakuru **20**, Kilifi **20**, Garissa **15**, Nyeri **14**, Embu **13**, Meru **13**, Murang'a **11**, Kakamega **11**, Mombasa **10**, Elgeyo Marakwet **9**, West Pokot **8**, Kisumu **7**, Makueni **5**, Uasin Gishu **4**, Vihiga **4**, Nandi **3**, Narok **3**, Nyamira **2**, Kericho **2**, Kisii **1**, Trans Nzoia **1** and Homa Bay **1**.

Distribution of positive cases by age is as follows; 0-9 years **(44)**, 10-19 years **(86)**, 20-29 years **(205)**, 30-39 **(293)**, 40-49 **(217)**, 50-59 **(160)**, 60 years and above **(218)**.

Today **2,436** patients have recovered from the disease, **2,335** from the Home-Based Isolation and Care program while **101** are from various health facilities countrywide. Total recoveries now stand at **256,551** of whom **207,141** are from the Home-Based Care and Isolation program, while **49,410** are from various health facilities countrywide.

Unfortunately, **10** patients have succumbed to the disease, all of them being late deaths reported after conducting facility record audits in the months of December 2021 and January 2022. This now pushes the cumulative fatalities to **5,394**. Our sincere condolences to the families and friends of those who 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 **(2)**, 50-59 years **(1)**, 60 years and above **(7)**.

Cumulative deaths by age; 0-9 years **(59)**, 10-19 years **(39)**, 20-29 **(145)**, 30-39 years **(391)**, 40-49 years **(627)**, 50-59 years **(1,003)**, 60 years and above **(3,130)**.

A total of **1,089** patients are currently admitted in various health facilities countrywide, while **24,349** are under the Home-Based Isolation and Care program. **50** patients are in the Intensive Care Unit (ICU), **21** of them on ventilatory support while **23** are on supplemental oxygen. **6** patients are under observation.

Another **270** patients are on supplemental oxygen and **247** of them are in the general wards. **23** patients are in the High Dependency Unit (HDU).

VACCINATION CAMPAIGN:

As of January 2nd 2022, a total of **10,134,012** vaccines had so far been administered across the country. Of these, **5,876,825** were partially vaccinated while those fully vaccinated were **4,222,839**. Another **21,130** are doses administered to those between 15 to 18 years while **13,218** are booster doses. The uptake of the second dose among those who received their first dose was at **55.8%**. Proportion of adults fully vaccinated was **15.5%**. The Government is working towards vaccinating a targeted population of **27,246,033**.

The table below shows the total County cumulative trends and proportion of fully vaccinated. The top 10 counties are; Nairobi is in the lead with **34.3%** of the population fully vaccinated followed by Nyeri **31.7%**, Laikipia **25.1%**, Kiambu **22.5%**, Kakamega **19.4%**, Taita Taveta **18.5%**, Muranga **18.0%**, Uasin Gishu at **17.8%**, Machakos **17.2%**, Kirinyaga **17.1%** and Nyandarua at

17.0%.

No.	County	No. fully vaccinated	Target Population above 18 years	% of fully vaccinated population	No.	Cou	No. fully vaccinated	Target Population above 18 years
1	Nairobi	1,045,569	3,052,494	34.3%	25	Makueni	65,082	584,379
2	Nyeri	161,441	510,028	31.7%	26	Meru	104,111	949,186
3	Laikipia	77,048	306,448	25.1%	27	Siaya	58,749	536,031
4	Kiambu	365,362	1,623,545	22.5%	28	Baringo	33,621	338,937
5	Kakamega	191,058	982,838	19.4%	29	Nandi	43,628	492,652
6	Taita Taveta	39,430	213,335	18.5%	30	Samburu	12,767	145,608
7	Muranga	121,356	675,364	18.0%	31	Busia	39,639	465,190
8	Uasin Gishu	123,255	693,570	17.8%	32	Migori	43,214	557,657
9	Machakos	155,584	905,172	17.2%	33	Kwale	34,866	451,261
10	Kirinyaga	70,570	413,708	17.1%	34	Kisii	53,852	697,445
11	Nyandarua	64,019	376,776	17.0%	35	Kitui	44,589	624,506
12	Nakuru	208,022	1,273,265	16.3%	36	Isiolo	9,472	133,358
13	Mombasa	127,840	804,202	15.9%	37	Homa Bay	41,125	608,326
14	Kisumu	104,256	656,147	15.9%	38	Marsabit	12,384	219,170
15	Kajiado	103,067	663,201	15.5%	39	Kilifi	44,096	784,567
16	Embu	61,079	395,980	15.4%	40	Garissa	22,008	399,358
17	Bungoma	121,237	843,735	14.4%	41	Mandera	18,387	341,857
18	Vihiga	46,975	329,317	14.3%	42	West Pokot	15,240	283,727
19	Trans Nzoia	69,613	518,077	13.4%	43	Bomet	24,779	465,963
20	Lamu	10,814	83,433	13.0%	44	Narok	28,742	548,229
21	Kericho	63,640	508,980	12.5%	45	Wajir	15,843	337,296

22	Tharaka Nithi	30,546	246,699	12.4%	46	Turkana	20,911	468,878	4.5%
23	Elgeyo Marakwet	28,958	243,690	11.9%	47	Tana River	5,497	151,051	3.6%
24	Nyamira	39,498	341,397	11.6%		Total	4,222,839	27,246,033	15.5%

I thank you.

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