



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

**UPDATE ON COVID-19 IN THE COUNTRY AND RESPONSE**  
**MEASURES, AS AT MARCH 8, 2022**

**DAY: 719**

**BRIEF NO: 709**

**PRESS STATEMENT**

**VACCINATION CAMPAIGN:**

As of March 7<sup>th</sup> 2022, a total of **16,918,288** vaccines have been administered across the country. Of these, **7,887,472** are partially vaccinated while those fully vaccinated are **7,731,049**. Another

**1,039,703** are doses administered to those between 15 to 17 years while **260,064** are booster doses. The total number of vaccines administered in the last 24 hours is **28,095** while the total number of people fully vaccinated in the last 24 hours is **15,911**. The uptake of the second dose among those who received their first dose was at **64.2%**. Proportion of adults fully vaccinated was **28.4%**. 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.

No.	County	Number of adults fully vaccinated	Target Population above 18 years	% of fully vaccinated adults	No.	County	Number of adults fully vaccinated	Target Population above 18 years	% of fully vaccinated adults
1	Nyeri	258,628	510,028	50.7%	25	Kericho	130,927	508,980	25.7%
2	Nairobi	1,412,871	3,052,494	46.3%	26	Meru	239,012	949,186	25.2%
3	Kakamega	353,189	982,838	35.9%	27	Kisii	174,205	697,445	25.0%
4	Kirinyaga	148,461	413,708	35.9%	28	Elgeyo Marakwet	59,015	243,690	24.2%
5	Laikipia	109,386	306,448	35.7%	29	Nandi	116,655	492,652	23.7%
6	Kiambu	554,374	1,623,545	34.1%	30	Homa Bay	138,113	608,326	22.7%
7	Taita Taveta	72,175	213,335	33.8%	31	Makueni	124,394	584,379	21.3%
8	Kisumu	215,386	656,147	32.8%	32	Baringo	71,454	338,937	21.1%

9	Vihiga	106,269	329,317	32.3%	33	Lamu	16,445	83,433	19.7%
10	Nakuru	406,951	1,273,265	32.0%	34	Samburu	24,619	145,608	16.9%
11	Uasin Gishu	215,955	693,570	31.1%	35	Turkana	70,752	468,878	15.1%
12	Siaya	162,961	536,031	30.4%	36	Kwale	67,434	451,261	14.9%
13	Tharaka Nithi	73,510	246,699	29.8%	37	Kitui	92,746	624,506	14.9%
14	Embu	117,889	395,980	29.8%	38	Narok	80,184	548,229	14.6%
15	Muranga	199,711	675,364	29.6%	39	West Pokot	40,067	283,727	14.1%
16	Bungoma	246,985	843,735	29.3%	40	Bomet	65,616	465,963	14.1%
17	Machakos	260,615	905,172	28.8%	41	Isiolo	16,950	133,358	12.7%
18	Nyandarua	108,160	376,776	28.7%	42	Kilifi	98,866	784,567	12.6%
19	Nyamira	97,632	341,397	28.6%	43	Garissa	48,057	399,358	12.0%
20	Trans Nzoia	147,681	518,077	28.5%	44	Wajir	35,941	337,296	10.7%
21	Mombasa	225,325	804,202	28.0%	45	Tana River	15,900	151,051	10.5%
22	Migori	155,918	557,657	28.0%	46	Mandera	34,778	341,857	10.2%
23	Kajiado	177,520	663,201	26.8%	47	Marsabit	20,925	219,170	9.5%
24	Busia	120,442	465,190	25.9%	<b>Total</b>		<b>7,731,049</b>	<b>27,246,033</b>	<b>28.4%</b>

The following table shows the Booster doses administered by County.

No.	County	Received Booster dose	No.	County	Received Booster dose
1	Nairobi	90,130	25	Vihiga	2,087
2	Nakuru	21,123	26	Nyamira	1,977
3	Kiambu	17,406	27	Migori	1,887
4	Nyeri	14,631	28	Kilifi	1,847
5	Uasin Gishu	10,821	29	Busia	1,778
6	Kisumu	8,609	30	Nandi	1,688
7	Mombasa	8,163	31	Makueni	1,264
8	Meru	8,133	32	Bomet	1,231
9	Muranga	6,744	33	Taita Taveta	1,206
10	Nyandarua	4,697	34	Narok	1,115
11	Embu	4,671	35	Baringo	1,085
12	Kakamega	4,656	36	Elgeyo Marakwet	626
13	Kirinyaga	4,622	37	Kwale	577
14	Kajiado	4,535	38	Samburu	384
15	Laikipia	4,498	39	Turkana	293
16	Machakos	4,467	40	West Pokot	232
17	Trans Nzoia	3,658	41	Isiolo	190
18	Homa Bay	3,201	42	Garissa	189

19	Siaya	3,077	43	Mandera	187
20	Bungoma	2,864	44	Tana River	136
21	Kisii	2,429	45	Wajir	101
22	Tharaka Nithi	2,262	46	Marsabit	74
23	Kericho	2,233	47	Lamu	50
24	Kitui	2,151		<b>Total</b>	<b>260,064</b>

Today **21** people have tested positive for the disease, from a sample size of **6,277** tested in the last 24 hours. The positivity rate is now at **0.3%**. From the cases, **14** are Kenyans while **7** are foreigners. **12** are males while **9** are females. The youngest is a **25-year-old** while the oldest is **69** years. Total confirmed positive cases are now **323,115** and cumulative tests so far conducted are **3,412,690**.

In terms of **County** distribution; Nairobi **13**, Machakos **2**, Uasin Gishu **2**, Embu, Kiambu, Kwale and Murang'a **1** case each.

Distribution of positive cases by age is as follows; 0-9 years **(0)**, 10-19 years **(0)**, 20-29 years **(1)**, 30-39 **(13)**, 40-49 **(5)**, 50-59 **(1)**, 60 years and above **(1)**.

Today **48** patients have recovered from the disease, **43** of them from Home Based and Isolation Care while **5** are from health facilities countrywide. This pushes the total recoveries to **317,229** of whom **264,235** are from the Home-Based Care and Isolation program, while **52,994** are from various health facilities countrywide.

Today no death has been reported. Therefore, the cumulative fatalities remain at **5,641**.

Cumulative deaths by age; 0-9 years (**62**), 10-19 years (**43**), 20-29 (**149**), 30-39 years (**409**), 40-49 years (**644**), 50-59 years (**1,027**), 60 years and above (**3,307**).

A total of **27** patients are currently admitted in various health facilities countrywide, while **246** are under the Home-Based

Isolation and Care program. **1** patient is in the Intensive Care Unit (ICU) and **is** on ventilatory support.

Another **4** patients are on supplemental oxygen and **all** of them are in the general wards. No patient is in the High Dependency Unit (HDU).

I Thank You.

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