



Ministry of Health

NATIONAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE COMMITTEE ON

CORONAVIRUS

UPDATE ON COVID-19 IN THE COUNTRY AND RESPONSE

MEASURES, AS AT AUGUST 11, **2022**

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PRESS STATEMENT

Today, **18** people have tested positive from a sample size of 724 tested in the last 24 hours. The positivity rate is now at 2.5%. The **cases** include 13 Kenyans and 5 foreigners. **16** are male while **2** are female. The youngest is aged 20 **years** while the oldest is **80** years old. Total confirmed positive cases are now **337,912** with

cumulative tests so far conducted standing at **3,835,829**.

In terms of **County** distribution, 14 cases are from Nairobi, 3 cases in Siaya while Kitui recorded 1 case.

Distribution of positive cases by age is as follows; 0-9 years **(0)**, 10-19 years **(0)**, 20-29 years **(4)**, 30-39 **(6)**, 40-49 **(1)** 50-59 **(2)**, 60 years and above **(5)**.

Today, **17** patients have recovered from the disease, **all from the** Home Based and Isolation Care Program. This pushes the total recoveries to **331,969** of whom **278,387** are from the Home-Based Care and Isolation program, while **53,582** are from various health facilities across the country.

No fatalities were recorded during the period under review so the cumulative fatalities remain at **5,673**.

Cumulative deaths by age are; 0-9 years **(62)**, 10-19 years **(44)**, 20-29 **(151)**, 30-39 years **(411)**, 40-49 years **(652)**, 50-59 years **(1,032)**, 60 years and above **(3,321)**.

There are **40** patients currently admitted in our health facilities, while **230** are under the Home-Based Isolation and Care program. **7** patients are on supplemental oxygen, **1** in the Intensive Care Unit (ICU) while **7** are in General Wards.

I Thank You.

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