



Ministry of Health

NATIONAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE COMMITTEE ON

CORONAVIRUS

UPDATE ON COVID-19 IN THE COUNTRY AND RESPONSE

MEASURES, AS AT OCTOBER 01, **2022**

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PRESS STATEMENT

Today, **5** people have tested positive from a sample size of **841** tested in the last 24 hours. The positivity rate is now at **0.6%**. **4** of the cases are Kenyans while **1** is a foreigners. **3** are female while **2** are male. The youngest is aged **36** years while the oldest is **65** years old. Total confirmed positive cases are now **338,439** with

cumulative tests so far conducted standing at **3,885,255**.

In terms of **County** distribution, **all** the **5** cases are from Nairobi.

Distribution of positive cases by age is as follows; 0-9 years **(0)**, 10-19 years **(0)**, 20-29 years **(0)**, 30-39 **(1)**, 40-49 **(3)** 50-59 **(0)**, 60 years and above **(1)**.

Today, **24** patients have recovered from the disease, all from the Home Based and Isolation Care Program. This pushes the total recoveries to **332,693** of whom **279,076** are from the Home-Based Care and Isolation program, while **53,617** are from various health facilities across the country.

No fatalities were recorded during the period under review so the cumulative fatalities remain at **5,678**.

Cumulative deaths by age remain; 0-9 years **(62)**, 10-19 years **(44)**, 20-29 **(152)**, 30-39 years **(413)**, 40-49 years **(653)**, 50-59

years **(1,032)**, 60 years and above **(3,322)**.

There are **11** patients currently admitted in our health facilities, while **57** are under the Home-Based Isolation and Care program. **1** other patient is on supplemental oxygen and is in the general ward.

I Thank You.

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