



## NAMIBIA COVID-19 SITUATION REPORT NO. 693

Outbreak Name	COVID-19 outbreak	Country affected	Namibia
Date & Time	10.02. 2022 17h00	Investigation start Date	13 March 2020
Prepared by	Surveillance Team		

### HIGHLIGHTS/SITUATION UPDATE (10/02/2022)

#### CUMULATIVE

Tested 935 474

Confirmed 156 604

Active 673

Recovered 151 925

Vaccinated

1<sup>st</sup> doses 430 829 2<sup>nd</sup> doses 247 811 3<sup>rd</sup> doses 20 026

Deaths 3 991

#### TOTAL TODAY

Tested 1 077

Confirmed 41

Active 673

Recovered 796

Vaccinated

1<sup>st</sup> doses 1 087 2<sup>nd</sup> doses 336 3<sup>rd</sup> doses 485

Deaths 3

- A total of **156 604** cases have been recorded to-date, representing **6%** of the total population (**2 550 226**).
- More female cases **83 071 (53%)** have been recorded.
- Of the total confirmed cases, **5 293 (3%)** are Health Workers, with no new confirmation today.
  - 4 479 (85%) State; 806 (15%) Private, 8 (0.2%) Non-Governmental Organizations.
  - 5 287 (99%) recoveries and 25 (0.5%) deaths.
- The recovery rate now stands at **97%**.
- Khomas and Erongo regions reported the highest number of cases with **50 911 (33%)** and **22 552 (14%)** respectively.
- Of the total fatalities, **3 664 (92%)** are COVID-19 deaths while **327 (8%)** are COVID-19 related deaths.
- The case fatality rate now stands at **2.5%**.

**Table 1: Distribution of confirmed COVID-19 cases by region, 10 February 2022**

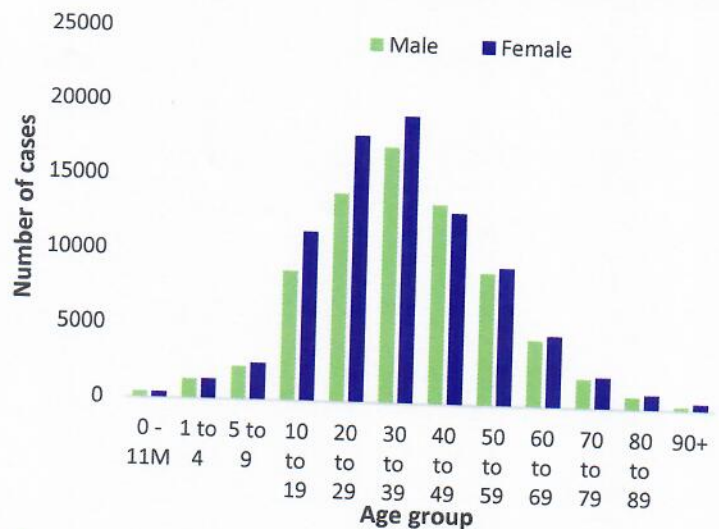
Region	Total cases daily	New reported re-infections	Total No. of cases	Active cases	Recoveries	Cumulative Deaths	Cumulative deaths with co-morbidities	Non-COVID deaths	Health Workers
Erongo	8	0	22 552	106	22 015	426	353	5	491
Hardap	0	0	8 379	10	8 104	265	168	0	160
Kharas	5	1	9 922	22	9 740	160	137	0	295
Kavango East	0	0	6 242	7	6 007	226	131	2	266
Kavango West	1	0	842	3	816	23	21	0	48
Khomas	11	0	50 911	139	49 871	900	704	1	1 815
Kunene	0	0	4 979	7	4 821	151	107	0	150
Ohangwena	3	0	5 991	42	5 751	196	119	2	221
Omaheke	1	0	5 098	139	4 669	289	204	1	142
Omusati	4	0	7 551	33	7 179	339	208	0	265
Oshana	0	0	10 592	33	10 165	393	242	1	607
Oshikoto	4	0	7 881	30	7 642	207	159	2	365
Otjozondjupa	4	0	12 133	41	11 807	284	194	1	340
Zambezi	0	0	3 531	61	3 338	132	76	0	128
<b>Total</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>156 604</b>	<b>673</b>	<b>151 925</b>	<b>3 991</b>	<b>2 822</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>5 293</b>

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**Table 2: The current distribution for hospitalization of confirmed cases by region, 10 February 2022**

Region	Hospitalized confirmed cases		Vaccinated		Intensive Care Unit		Vaccinated	
	Current	Previous	1 <sup>st</sup> dose	2 <sup>nd</sup> dose	Current	Previous	1 <sup>st</sup> dose	2 <sup>nd</sup> dose
Erongo	8	8	0	3	0	0	0	0
Hardap	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Karas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kavango East	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kavango West	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Khomas	6	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kunene	0	0	0	2	2	1	0	1
Ohangwena	6	6	1	0	0	0	0	0
Omaheke	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Omusati	9	11	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oshana	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oshikoto	7	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Otjozondjupa	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0
Zambezi	2	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>

- Of the total confirmed cases, **94 429 (60%)** are in the 20-49 years age-brackets which constitutes the majority of the recorded cases.
- A total of **24 662 (16%)** of the confirmed cases are among the 5-19 years category.
- A total of **18 057 (12%)** of the confirmed cases are among the 50 - 59 years group.
- The under 5 years age group make up **3 439 (2%)** of the total cases whereas, **16 000 (10%)** are above 60 years of age.

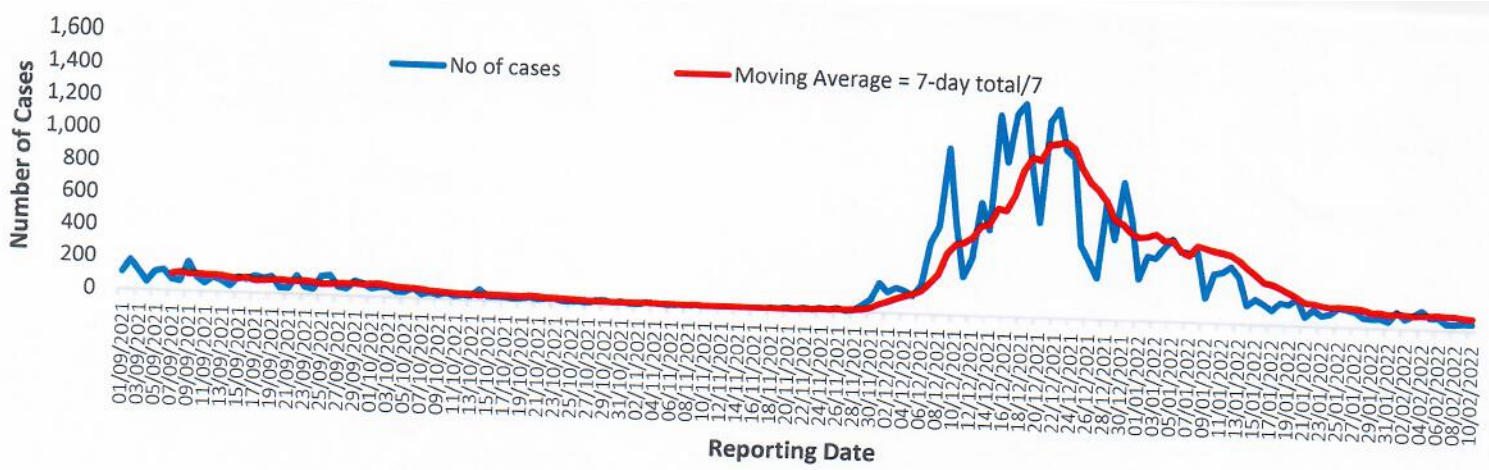


**Figure 1: Age and Sex distribution of COVID-19 confirmed cases, 10 February 2022**

**Table 3: COVID-19 specimen recorded at the Laboratories 10 February 2022**

VARIABLES	TOTAL
Total samples received by the Laboratory	935597
Total samples tested	917391
Total samples re-tested	18089
Total positive results	<b>156604</b>
Total negative results	760740
Total samples discarded	117
Invalid results	0
Total pending results	0
Indeterminant/Inconclusive	47
Suspected cases in 24 hours (excluding re-tests)	1070

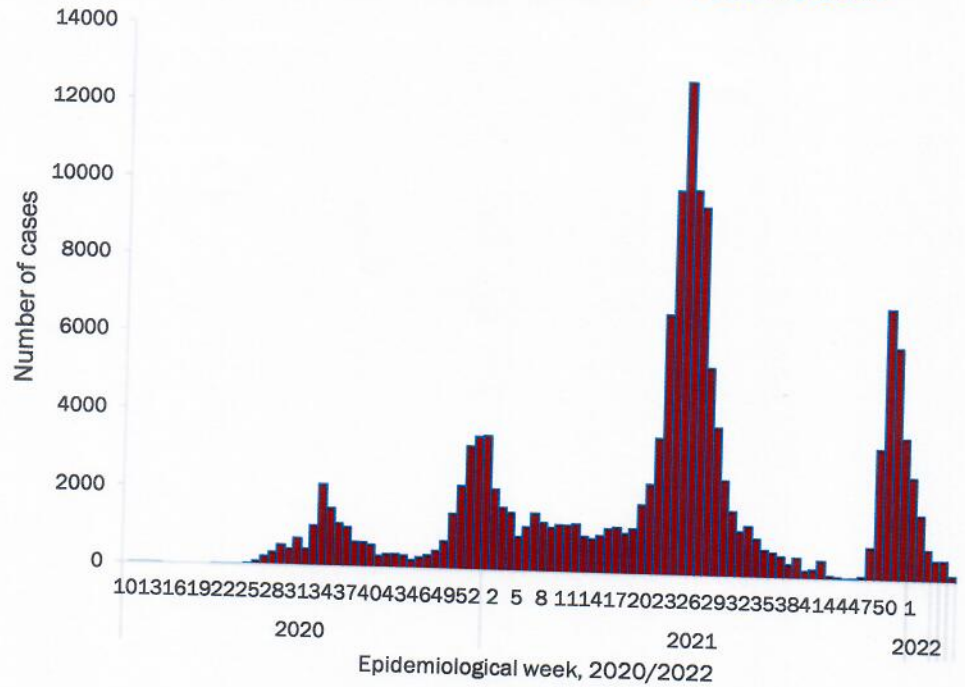
- The laboratory testing capacity has been enhanced; with a total of twenty-three (23) laboratories carrying out the testing of samples: NIP, Path-Care, UNAM Molecular, Central Veterinary Laboratory, Namib Poultry, NAMDEB, NamPath, Namibia Central Pathology, DiagnoLab, High Care, Alpha Medical Laboratory, Des-Jo Medical Test Centre, ProQuest Diagnostic Laboratory, MAXI, Medlink Laboratory Services, Biotech Medical, Covisure, Star Care, Soweto Medical Center, Hosea Kutako International Airport & Oshana Med Laboratory.
- To date, **935 474** tests (including **18 089** re-tests) have been conducted by authorized laboratories.
- Since the beginning of the outbreak, **166 622** contacts of confirmed cases have been identified, **18** new contacts were identified within the last 24 hours from **9** regions.
- Cumulatively, **163 976** contacts have completed their monitoring period, while **299** contacts are lost to follow-up and a total of **28 502 (18%)** contacts of confirmed cases have tested positive.
- Today, **916 (92%)** out of **994** active contacts were monitored.



**Figure 2: The 7 days moving average line chart for confirmed COVID-19 cases, 10 February 2022**

- The highest peak of **12 787 (8%)** cases was recorded during week 25 of 2021 (Figure 3).
- The country has started seeing a gradual reduction in the average number of confirmed cases from 383 to 77 in epi-week 5.
- The number of cases have decreased in the last four weeks as seen in the graph.

- The National Call Center continues operations for 24 hours daily.
- Today (10/02/2022), **229** calls were answered.



**Figure 3: Epi-curve for confirmed COVID-19 cases, 10 February 2022**

**Table 4: Number of people in quarantine 10 February 2022**

Region	Newly quarantined 24 hours	Cumulative number	Number discharged	Number in quarantine now
Erongo	14	6 963	6 949	14
Hardap	0	3 263	3 263	0
Kavango (East and West)	0	1 673	1 673	0
Khomas	0	3 763	3 754	9
Kharas	0	10 000	10 000	0
Kunene	0	6 493	6 493	0
Ohangwena	0	924	924	0
Omaheke	0	18 769	18 580	189
Omusati	0	3 947	3 936	11
Oshana	0	400	400	0
Oshikoto	62	27 190	27 114	76
Otjozondjupa	0	1 932	1 927	5
Zambezi	0	2 107	2 107	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>87 424</b>	<b>87 120</b>	<b>304</b>

- Since March 2020, **87 424** people have been placed into quarantine around the country.
- A total of **304** people are currently in quarantine, with **76** new admissions.

**Table 5: Summary of COVID-19 vaccine doses administered, 10 February 2022**

Region	Cumulative no. of persons vaccinated with doses of Sinopharm, AstraZeneca, Sputnik V, Pfizer and Jassen & Johnson		Targeted Population	Vaccination Coverage (%)	Cumulative no. of Healthcare Workers vaccinated with doses of Sinopharm, AstraZeneca, Sputnik V, Pfizer and Jassen & Johnson	
	1 <sup>st</sup> doses	Fully vaccinated			1 <sup>st</sup> doses	Fully vaccinated
Erongo	40721	36009	161 966	22%	1415	1077
Hardap	26698	23025	69 121	33%	525	432
Kharas	21836	18257	69 786	26%	803	474
Kavango East	34006	24611	105 223	23%	1252	997
Kavango West	23808	18550	57 210	32%	427	381
Khomas	98516	85956	362 620	24%	4035	3019
Kunene	25933	21219	72 991	29%	658	514
Ohangwena	27756	23652	174 546	14%	845	670
Omaheke	19373	14934	53 002	28%	374	270
Omusati	27055	23803	179 370	13%	998	788
Oshana	22665	20144	143 395	14%	1593	1309
Oshikoto	22412	20139	144 912	14%	863	740
Otjozondjupa	32405	28698	112 119	26%	895	648
Zambezi	7645	6946	73 010	10%	639	594
<b>Total</b>	<b>430829</b>	<b>365943</b>	<b>1 779 271</b>	<b>21%</b>	<b>15322</b>	<b>11913</b>

**Table 6: Summary of COVID-19 vaccine 3<sup>rd</sup> doses administered, 10 February 2022**

Region	Cumulative no. of persons vaccinated		
	Sinopharm	AstraZeneca	Pfizer
Erongo	13896	11390	677
Hardap	10863	4311	404
Kharas	8475	3211	219
Kavango East	7747	3856	705
Kavango West	4778	3081	354
Khomas	36062	24696	3217
Kunene	8803	4050	87
Ohangwena	13188	4141	35
Omaheke	6071	3063	179
Omusati	11934	5897	249
Oshana	11195	3858	205
Oshikoto	10644	3100	57
Otjozondjupa	10942	6574	281
Zambezi	3180	746	29
<b>Total</b>	<b>157778</b>	<b>81974</b>	<b>6698</b>

**PUBLIC HEALTH ACTION (S)**

- The COVID-19 vaccination programme is ongoing throughout the country.
- Public Health measures continue to be enforced as the situation is closely monitored.
- The government and development partners continue to prioritize the continuation of essential health services.

**CHALLENGES**

- Slow vaccine uptake among members of the public, and circulation of anti-vaccination information.




**RECOMMENDATIONS**

- Encourage the public to get vaccinated and strengthen community health awareness to counteract anti-vaccination information in circulation.

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