



NAMIRIA	COVID-19	SITUATION	REPORT NO	765
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Outbreak Name	COVID-19 outbreak	Country affected	Namibia
Date & Time	23.04 2022 17h00	Investigation start Date	13 March 2020
Prepared by		Surveillance Team	

HIGHLIGHTS/SITUATION UPDATE (23/04/2022)

CUMULATIVE

Tested 1 001 841

Confirmed 158 358

Active 495

Recovered 155 997

Vaccinated

1st doses 473 240 2nd doses 266 158 3rd doses 51 253

Deaths 4 025

TOTAL TODAY

Tested 487

Confirmed 26

Active 495

Recovered 63

Vaccinated

1st doses 119 2nd doses 44 3rd doses 116

Deaths 2

- A total of 158 358 cases have been recorded to-date, representing 6% of the total population (2 550 226).
- More female cases 84 007 (53%) have been recorded.
- Of the total confirmed cases, 5 350 (3%) are Health Workers, with no new confirmation today.
 - 4 521 (85%) State; 821 (15%) Private, 8 (0.2%) Non-Governmental Organizations.
 - 5 333 (100%) recoveries and 25 (0.5%) deaths.
- The recovery rate now stands at 99%.
- Khomas and Erongo regions reported the highest number of cases with 51 618 (33%) and 22 777 (14%) respectively.
- Of the total fatalities 3 691 (92%) are COVID-19 deaths while 334 (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, 23 April 2022

Region	New	New re- infections	Cummulative re-infections	Cummulativ e New cases	Active cases	Recoveries	Cumulative Deaths	Cumulative deaths with co-morbidities	Non- COVID deaths	Health Workers
Erongo	0	0	365	22 777	23	22 688	426	353	5	497
Hardap	0	0	67	8 401	8	8 195	265	168	0	160
Kharas	2	1	199	9 981	29	9 990	161	138	0	295
Kavango East	0	0	50	6 365	2	6 183	228	132	2	288
Kavango West	0	0	4	842	0	823	23	21	0	48
Khomas	17	3	952	51 618	347	51 321	901	705	1	1 832
Kunene	0	0	53	5 002	1	4 900	154	108	0	151
Ohangwena	0	0	42	6 098	27	5 903	208	126	2	223
Omaheke	0	0	61	5 204	11	4 962	291	205	1	143
Omusati	1	0	42	7 596	1	7 293	344	211	0	266
Oshana	1	0	92	10 641	29	10 308	395	244	1	607
Oshikoto	0	0	58	7 983	2	7 828	209	160	2	367
Otjozondjupa	5	0	164	12 267	13	12 132	285	195	1	344
Zambezi	0	0	25	3 583	2	3 471	135	77	0	129
Total	26	4	2 174	158 358	495	155 997	4 025	2 843	15	5 350

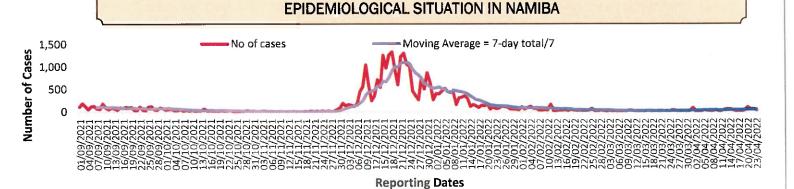


Figure 2: The 7 days moving average line chart for confirmed COVID-19 cases, 23 April 2022

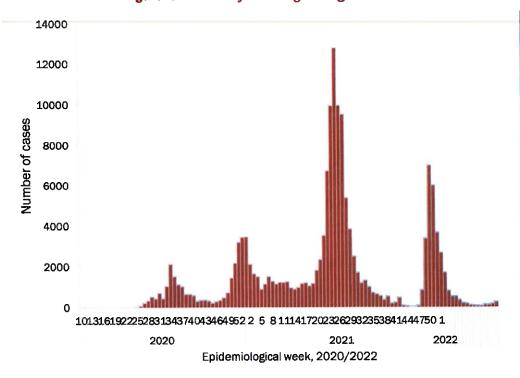


Figure 3: Epi-curve for confirmed COVID-19 case, 23 April 2022

- 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 1424 to 29 from epi-week 26 to 40 of 2021.
- Another peak of 7005 cases was recorded in week 50 of 2021
- The number of cases have decreased in the last seven weeks as seen in the graph.
- > The National Call Center continues operations for 24 hours daily.
- Today (23/04/2022), 263 calls were answered.

Table 4: Number of people in quarantine 23 April 2022

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A total of 267 people are currently in	
quarantine, with 7 new admissions.	

Region	Newly quarantined 24 hours	Cumulative number	Number discharged	Number in quarantine now
Erongo	0	7 343	7 342	1
Hardap	0	3 263	3 263	0
Kavango (East and West)	0	1 686	1 686	0
Khomas	0	3 767	3 767	0
Kharas	0	10 000	10 000	0
Kunene	0	6 510	6 497	13
Ohangwena	0	924	924	0
Omaheke	0	20 341	20 113	228
Omusati	0	4 006	4 006	0
Oshana	0	400	400	0
Oshikoto	7	28 186	28 165	21
Otjozondjupa	0	1 932	1 932	0
Zambezi	0	2 186	2 182	4
Total	7	90 544	90 277	267

Table 3: COVID-19 specimen recorded at the Laboratories 23 April 2022

VARIABLES	TOTAL
Total samples received by the Laboratory	1 001 829
Total samples tested	983 362
Total samples re-tested	18 350
Total positive results	158 358
Total negative results	824 912
Total samples discarded	117
Invalid results	0
Total pending results	0
Indeterminant/Inconclusive	92
Suspected cases in 24 hours (excluding re-tests)	483

- Of the total confirmed cases. 95 209 (60%) are in the 20-49 years age-brackets which constitutes the majority of the recorded cases.
- A total of 25 225 (16%) of the confirmed cases are among the 5-19 years category.
- ➤ A total of 18 227 (12%) of the confirmed cases are among the 50 59 years group.
- The under 5 years age group make up 3 505 (2%) of the total cases whereas, 16 192 (10%) are above 60 years of age.

- 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, 1 001 841 tests (including 18 350 re-tests) have been conducted by authorized laboratories.
- Since the beginning of the outbreak, 169 494 contacts of confirmed cases have been identified, 0 contacts were identified within the last 24 hours from 2 regions.
- Cumulatively, 167 708 contacts have completed their monitoring period, while 299 contacts are lost to followup and a total of 28 658 (18%) contacts of confirmed cases have tested positive.
- Today, 212 (100%) out of 212 active contacts were monitored.

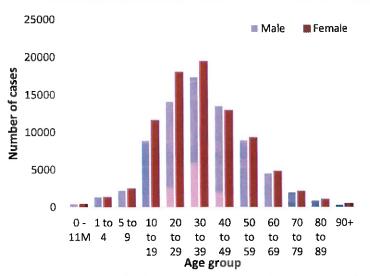


Figure 1: Age and Sex distribution of COVID-19 confirmed cases, 23 April 2022

Table 2: The current distribution for hospitalization of confirmed cases by region, 23 April 2022

Region	Hospitalized confirmed cases		Vacci	Vaccinated		Intensive Care Unit		Vaccinated	
	Current	Previous	1 st dose	2 nd dose	Current	Previous	1st dose	2 nd dose	
Erongo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Hardap	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Kharas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Kavango East	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Kavango West	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Khomas	5	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Kunene	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Ohangwena	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Omaheke	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Omusati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Oshana	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Oshikoto	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Otjozondjupa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Zambezi	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Total	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	

table o: Summary of COVID-19 vaccine 314 doses administered, 23 April 2022

Region	Cumulative no. of persons vaccinated							
	Sinopharm	AstraZeneca	Pfizer	Booster Doses J&J				
Erongo	1 884	788	3 183	553				
Hardap	2 647	671	1 087	811				
Kharas	1 121	269	395	166				
Kavango East	850	331	378	662				
Kavango West	833	358	490	445				
Khomas	3 058	1 272	5 902	955				
Kunene	1 949	579	700	830				
Ohangwena	593	190	39	92				
Omaheke	2 748	1 384	918	61				
Omusati	1 289	531	534	125				
Oshana	1 572	388	653	346				
Oshikoto	1 176	294	266	103				
Otjozondjupa	1 948	752	1 081	27				
Zambezi	539	87	125	225				
Total	22 207	7 894	15 751	5 401				

Table 5: Summary of COVID-19 vaccine doses administered, 23 April 2022

Region	Cumulative no. o	f persons vaccinated	Targeted Population	Vaccination Coverage (%)	Cumulative no. of Healthcare Workers vaccinated with doses of		
	with doses	of Sinopharm,					
	AstraZeneca,S	outnik V, Pfizer and			Sinopharm, As	traZeneca, Sputnik V,	
	Jassen	Jassen & Johnson			Pfizer and Jassen & Johnson		
	1st dose	Fully vaccinated			1st doses	Fully vaccinated	
Erongo	42 398	37 898	161 966	23%	1 432	1 095	
Hardap	28 770	24 691	69 121	36%	541	447	
Kharas	23 416	19 870	69 786	28%	815	491	
Kavango East	41 206	30 359	105 223	29%	1 264	1 011	
Kavango West	30 410	23 665	57 210	41%	434	388	
Khomas	102 342	90 109	362 620	25%	4 085	3 067	
Kunene	27 815	23 056	72 991	32%	689	537	
Ohangwena	32 454	25 395	174 546	15%	885	716	
Omaheke	23 227	20 929	53 002	39%	382	272	
Omusati	28 040	24 797	179 370	14%	1 000	790	
Oshana	24 308	21 563	143 395	15%	1 637	1 345	
Oshikoto	25 176	21 164	144 912	15%	881	770	
Otjozondjupa	34 511	30 788	112 119	27%	911	666	
Zambezi	9 167	8 364	73 010	11%	662	614	
Total	473 240	402 648	1 779 271	23%	15 618	12 209	

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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