



NAMIBIA COVID-19 SITUATION REPORT NO. 839

Outbreak Name	COVID-19 outbreak	Country affected	Namibia
Date & Time	06.07.2022 17h00	Investigation start Date	14 March 2020

HIGHLIGHTS/SITUATION UPDATE (06/07/2022)

CUMULATIVE

Tested 1 063 458

Confirmed 166 265

Active 308

Recovered 164 901

Vaccinated

1<sup>st</sup> doses 500 488 2<sup>nd</sup> doses 278 166  
Booster doses 76 851

Deaths 4 066

TOTAL TODAY

Tested 527

Confirmed 22

Active 308

Recovered 55

Vaccinated

1<sup>st</sup> doses 268 2<sup>nd</sup> doses 93 Booster doses 61

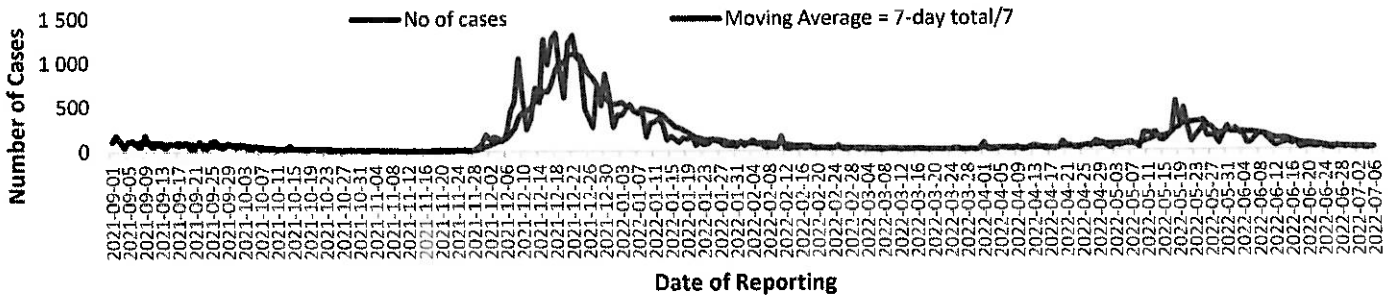
Deaths 0

- A total of 166 265 cases have been recorded to-date, representing 7% of the total population (2 550 226).
- More female cases 88 399 (53%) have been recorded.
- Of the total confirmed cases, 5 704 (3%) are Health Workers, with 3 new confirmed today.
  - 4 795 (84.1%) State; 900 (15.8%) Private, 9 (0.2%) Non-Governmental Organizations.
  - 5 692 (100%) recoveries and 25 (0.5%) deaths.
- The recovery rate now stands at 97%.
- Khomas and Erongo regions reported the highest number of cases with 54 648 (33%) and 23 790 (14%) respectively.
- Of the total fatalities 3 715 (91%) are COVID-19 deaths while 351 (9%) are COVID-19 related deaths.
- The case fatality rate now stands at 2.4%.

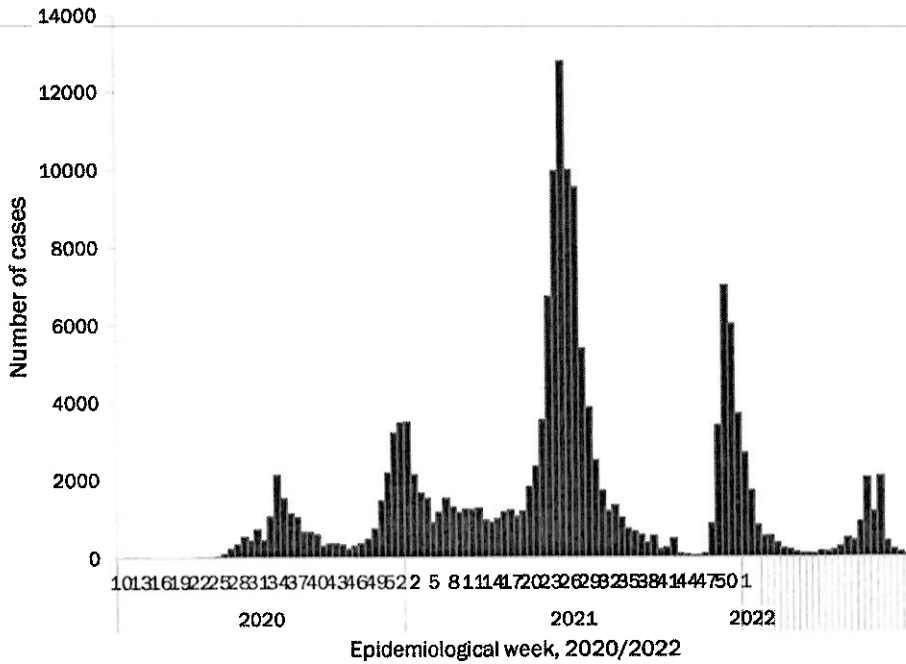
Table 1: Distribution of confirmed COVID-19 cases by region, 06 July 2022

	New cases	New re-infections	Cum re-infections	Cum confirmed excluding re-infections	Active cases	Recoveries	Cum Deaths	Cum deaths with co-morbidities	Non-COVID deaths	Health Workers
Erongo	3	0	449	2 3790	22	23 782	430	355	5	528
Hardap	0	0	119	8 802	1	8 655	265	168	0	193
Kharas	0	0	315	10 707	12	10 847	163	138	0	324
Kavango East	0	0	77	6 699	8	6 536	230	132	2	315
Kavango West	0	0	4	865	23	823	23	21	0	50
Khomas	6	0	1 363	54 648	49	55 051	910	706	1	1 934
Kunene	0	0	73	5 289	0	5 202	160	110	0	166
Ohangwena	10	0	55	6 223	159	5 904	213	126	2	234
Omaheke	0	0	71	5 379	0	5 158	291	205	1	152
Omusati	0	0	59	7 939	4	7 650	344	211	0	289
Oshana	0	0	109	10 884	18	10 571	403	244	1	613
Oshikoto	2	0	79	8 207	6	8 067	211	160	2	388
Otjozondjupa	1	0	222	13 193	3	13 123	288	196	1	388
Zambezi	0	0	30	3 640	3	3 532	135	77	0	130
Total	22	0	3 025	166 265	308	164 901	4 066	2 849	15	5 704

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**Figure 2: The 7 days moving average line chart for confirmed COVID-19 cases, 06 July 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 started decreasing in the last three weeks as seen on the graph.

- The National Call Center continues operations for 24 hours daily.
- Today (06/07/2022), 0 calls were answered.

**Figure 3: Epi-curve for confirmed COVID-19 case, 06 July 2022**

**Table 4: Number of people in quarantine 06 July 2022**

Region	Newly quarantined 24 hours	Cumulative number	Number discharged	Number in quarantine now
Erongo	147	8 667	8 520	147
Hardap	0	3 269	3 269	0
Kavango (East and West)	0	1 816	1 816	0
Khomas	0	3 781	3 781	0
Kharas	0	10 000	10 000	0
Kunene	0	6 953	6 947	6
Ohangwena	0	924	924	0
Omaheke	10	23 382	23 352	30
Omusati	0	4 019	4 019	0
Oshana	0	402	402	0
Oshikoto	14	29 616	29 580	36
Otjondjupa	0	1 932	1 932	0
Zambezi	0	2 252	2 237	15
<b>Total</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>97 013</b>	<b>96 779</b>	<b>234</b>

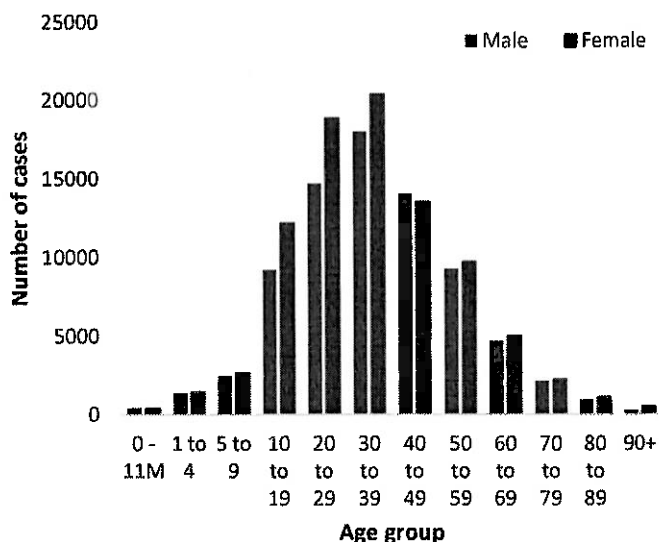
- Since March 2020, 97 013 people have been placed into quarantine around the country.
- A total of 234 people are currently in quarantine, with 171 new admissions.

**Table 3: COVID-19 specimen recorded at the Laboratories 06 July 2022**

VARIABLES	TOTAL
Total samples received by the Laboratory	1 063 406
Total samples tested	1 043 705
Total samples re-tested	19 584
Total positive results	166 265
Total negative results	877 285
Total samples discarded	117
Invalid results	0
Total pending results	0
Indeterminant/Inconclusive	155
Suspected cases in 24 hours (excluding re-tests)	518

- 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, NCP, Maerua MC, Des-Jo Medical Test Centre, ProQuest Diagnostic Laboratory, MAXI, Medilink Laboratory Services, Biotech Medical, Covisure, Star Care, Soweto Medical Center, Hosea Kutako International Airport & Oshana Med Laboratory .
- To date, 1 063 458 tests (including 19 584 re-tests) have been conducted by authorized laboratories.
- Since the beginning of the outbreak, 176 928 contacts of confirmed cases have been identified, 18 contact was identified within the last 24 hours from 9 regions.
- Cumulatively, 174 572 contacts have completed their monitoring period, while 299 contacts are lost to follow-up and a total of 29 248 (18%) contacts of confirmed cases have tested positive.
- Today, 152 (54%) out of 282 contacts were monitored.

- Of the total confirmed cases, 99 743 (60%) are in the 20-49 years age-brackets which constitutes the majority of the recorded cases.
- A total of 26 654 (16%) of the confirmed cases are among the 5-19 years category.
- A total of 19 101 (11%) of the confirmed cases are among the 50 - 59 years group.
- The under 5 years age group make up 3 702 (2%) of the total cases whereas, 17 065 (10%) are above 60 years of age.



**Table 2: The current distribution for hospitalization of confirmed cases by region, 06 July 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	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hardap	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kharas	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kavango East	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kavango West	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Khomas	4	4	0	0	4	4	0	0
Kunene	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ohangwena	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Omaheke	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Omusati	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oshana	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oshikoto	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Otjozondjupa	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Zambezi	2	3	1	1	0	0	0	0
Total	28	29	1	1	4	4	0	0

**Table 6: Summary of COVID-19 vaccine 3<sup>rd</sup> doses administered, 06 July 2022**

Region	Cumulative no. of persons vaccinated			
	Sinopharm	AstraZeneca	Pfizer	Booster Doses J&J
Erongo	2 325	1 053	3 721	1 016
Hardap	3 522	888	1 377	1 684
Kharas	1 766	431	596	375
Kavango East	1 517	508	931	1 505
Kavango West	1 485	575	868	1 350
Khomas	4 306	1 920	7 352	2 113
Kunene	2 455	830	852	1 409
Ohangwena	1 074	326	122	277
Omaheke	3 272	1 540	1 087	116
Omusati	2 424	882	867	509
Oshana	2 532	620	884	868
Oshikoto	1 774	480	374	344
Otjozondjupa	2 621	1 178	1 387	682
Zambezi	923	155	168	635
<b>Total</b>	<b>31 996</b>	<b>11 386</b>	<b>20 586</b>	<b>12 883</b>

**Table 5: Summary of COVID-19 vaccine doses administered, 06 July 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> dose	Fully vaccinated			1 <sup>st</sup> doses	Fully vaccinated
Erongo	43 823	39 226	161 966	24%	1 451	1 115
Hardap	30 619	26 258	69 121	38%	551	455
Kharas	24 767	21 059	69 786	30%	839	516
Kavango East	43 956	33 409	105 223	32%	1 296	1 043
Kavango West	33 635	27 130	57 210	47%	444	401
Khomas	106 030	93 869	362 620	26%	4 116	3 103
Kunene	30 136	24 579	72 991	34%	695	542
Ohangwena	33 831	27 706	174 546	16%	895	722
Omaheke	24 152	21 705	53 002	41%	430	342
Omusati	29 474	26 101	179 370	15%	1 030	811
Oshana	25 836	23 041	143 395	16%	1 664	1 370
Oshikoto	26 721	23 486	144 912	16%	901	791
Otjozondjupa	36 552	32 528	112 119	29%	932	688
Zambezi	10 956	10 093	73 010	14%	720	679
<b>Total</b>	<b>500 488</b>	<b>430 190</b>	<b>1 779 271</b>	<b>24%</b>	<b>15 964</b>	<b>12 578</b>

**PUBLIC HEALTH ACTION (S)**

- The COVID-19 vaccination programme is ongoing throughout the country.
- The public is encouraged to continue adhering to COVID-19 preventative measures as the situation is being observed.
- 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.

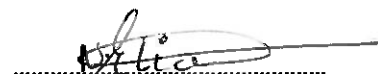
**RECOMMENDATIONS**

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

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