



NAMIBIA COVID-19 SITUATION REPORT NO. 846

Outbreak Name	COVID-19 outbreak	Country affected	Namibia
Date & Time	13.07.2022 17h00	Investigation start Date	14 March 2020

HIGHLIGHTS/SITUATION UPDATE (13/07/2022)

CUMULATIVE

Tested 1 065 897

Confirmed 166 353

Active 133

Recovered 165 169

Vaccinated

1st doses 511 290 2nd doses 278 845
Booster doses 78 587

Deaths 4 068

TOTAL TODAY

Tested 519

Confirmed 14

Active 133

Recovered 22

Vaccinated

1st doses 6 923 2nd doses 221 Booster doses 378

Deaths 0

- A total of **166 353** cases have been recorded to-date, representing 7% of the total population (2 550 226).
- More female cases **88 456 (53%)** have been recorded.
- Of the total confirmed cases, **5 708 (3%)** are Health Workers, with **0** new confirmed today.
 - 4 797 (84.1%) State; 901 (15.8%) Private, 10 (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 **54 674 (33%)** and **23 806 (14%)** respectively.
- Of the total fatalities **3 717 (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, 13 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	450	23 806	12	23 809	430	355	5	528
Hardap	0	0	119	8 803	0	8 657	265	168	0	193
Karas	2	0	315	10 715	20	10 847	163	138	0	324
Kavango East	1	0	77	6 703	4	6 544	230	132	2	315
Kavango West	0	0	4	865	23	823	23	21	0	50
Khomas	5	0	1 365	54 674	31	55 097	910	706	1	1 936
Kunene	0	0	73	5 289	0	5 202	160	110	0	166
Oshana	1	0	57	6 236	20	6 058	213	126	2	235
Omaheke	0	0	71	5 379	0	5 158	291	205	1	152
Omusati	0	0	59	7 942	1	7 656	344	211	0	289
Oshana	0	0	109	10 892	8	10 588	404	244	1	613
Oshikoto	0	0	79	8 209	5	8 069	212	160	2	388
Otjozondjupa	2	0	224	13 196	6	13 125	288	196	1	388
Zambezi	0	0	30	3 644	3	3 536	135	77	0	131
Total	14	0	3 032	166 353	133	165 169	4 068	2 849	15	5 708

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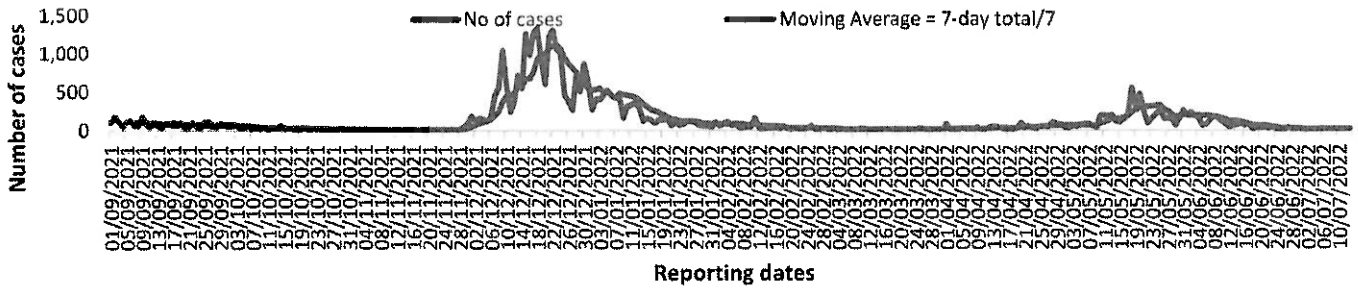
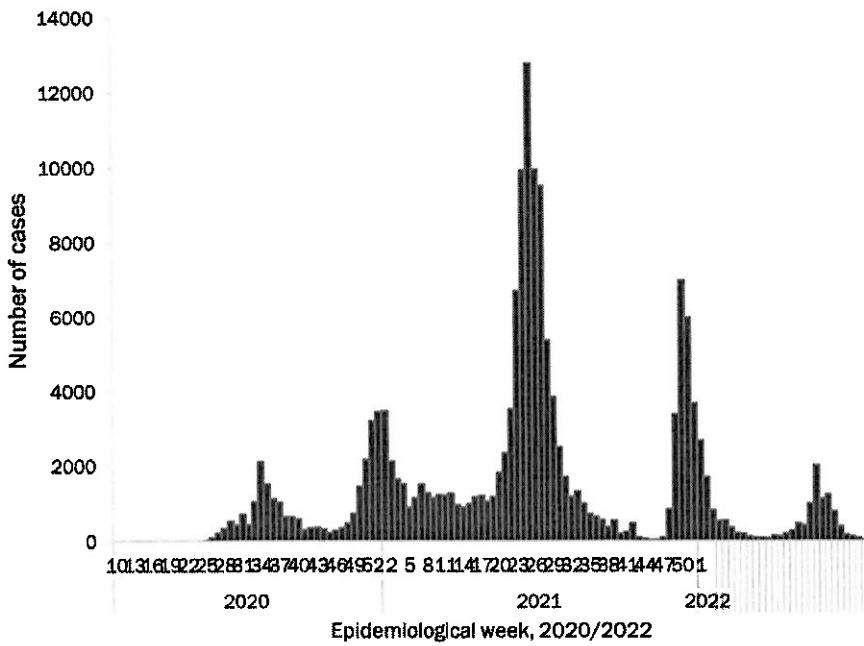


Figure 2: The 7 days moving average line chart for confirmed COVID-19 cases, 13 July 2022



- 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 (13/07/2022), 53 calls were answered.

Figure 3: Epi-curve for confirmed COVID-19 case, 13 July 2022

Table 4: Number of people in quarantine 13 July 2022

Region	Newly quarantined 24 hours	Cumulative number	Number discharged	Number in quarantine now
Erongo	5	8 672	8 648	24
Hardap	0	3 269	3 269	0
Kavango (East and West)	0	1 833	1 816	17
Khomas	0	3 781	3 781	0
Kharas	0	10 000	10 000	0
Kunene	0	6 955	6 947	8
Ohangwena	0	924	924	0
Omaheke	17	23 583	23 432	151
Omusati	1	4 020	4 019	1
Oshana	0	402	402	0
Oshikoto	5	29 670	29 633	37
Otjozondjupa	0	1 932	1 932	0
Zambezi	0	2 252	2 244	8
Total	28	97 293	97 047	246

- Since March 2020, **97 293** people have been placed into quarantine around the country.
- A total of **246** people are currently in quarantine, with **28** new admissions.

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

VARIABLES	TOTAL
Total samples received by the Laboratory	1 065 845
Total samples tested	1 046 122
Total samples re-tested	19 606
Total positive results	166 353
Total negative results	879 612
Total samples discarded	117
Invalid results	0
Total pending results	0
Indeterminant/Inconclusive	157
Suspected cases in 24 hours (excluding re-tests)	517

- 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, Medlink Laboratory Services, Biotech Medical, Covisure, Star Care, Soweto Medical Center, Hosea Kutako International Airport & Oshana Med Laboratory .
- To date, **1 065 897** tests (including **19 606** re-tests) have been conducted by authorized laboratories.
- Since the beginning of the outbreak, **176 969** contacts of confirmed cases have been identified, **14** contact was identified within the last 24 hours from 5 regions.
- Cumulatively, **174 709** contacts have completed their monitoring period, while **299** contacts are lost to follow-up and a total of **29 253 (18%)** contacts of confirmed cases have tested positive.
- Today, **397 (99%)** out of **402** contacts were monitored.

- Of the total confirmed cases, **99 777 (60%)** are in the 20-49 years age-brackets which constitutes the majority of the recorded cases.
- A total of **26 667 (16%)** of the confirmed cases are among the 5-19 years category.
- A total of **19 114 (11%)** of the confirmed cases are among the 50 - 59 years group.
- The under 5 years age group make up **3 709 (2%)** of the total cases whereas, **17 086 (10%)** are above 60 years of age.

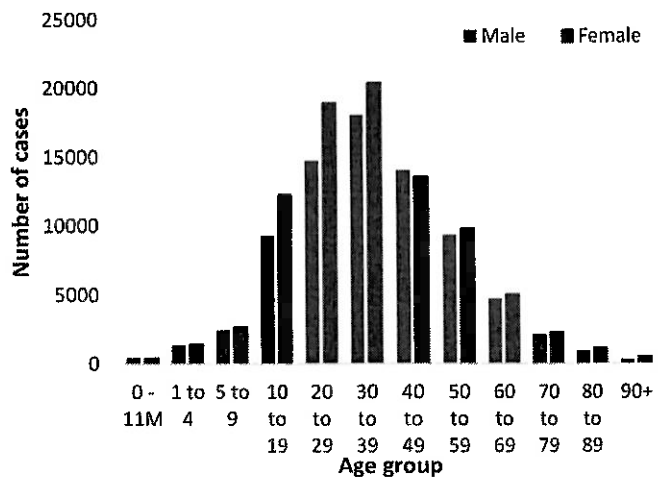


Figure 1: Age and Sex distribution of COVID-19 confirmed cases, 13 July 2022

Table 2: The current distribution for hospitalization of confirmed cases by region, 13 July 2022

Region	Hospitalized confirmed cases		Vaccinated		Intensive Care Unit		Vaccinated	
	Current	Previous	1 st dose	2 nd dose	Current	Previous	1 st dose	2 nd dose
Erongo	8	8	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	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0
Kunene	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ohangwena	9	9	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	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oshikoto	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Otjozondjupa	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Zambezi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	25	25	0	0	1	1	0	0

Table 6: Summary of COVID-19 vaccine 3rd doses administered, 13 July 2022

Region	Cumulative no. of persons vaccinated			
	Sinopharm	AstraZeneca	Pfizer	Booster Doses J&J
Erongo	2 362	1 063	3 736	1 051
Hardap	3 611	888	1 413	1 776
ǀKaras	1 843	449	607	433
Kavango East	1 546	508	959	1 570
Kavango West	1 503	575	880	1 355
Khomas	4 353	1 949	7 383	2 176
Kunene	2 512	870	860	1 490
Ohangwena	1 163	364	124	303
Omaheke	3 294	1 548	1 095	143
Omusati	2 490	907	885	533
Oshana	2 597	648	893	905
Oshikoto	1 829	491	387	361
Otjozondjupa	2 656	1 180	1 403	708
Zambezi	941	156	168	694
Total	32 700	11 596	20 793	13 498

Table 5: Summary of COVID-19 vaccine doses administered, 13 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 st dose	Fully vaccinated			1 st doses	Fully vaccinated
Erongo	44 625	39 949	161 966	24%	1 453	1 116
Hardap	30 967	26 603	69 121	38%	551	455
ǀKaras	25 266	21 521	69 786	30%	839	518
Kavango East	44 454	33 784	105 223	32%	1 299	1 046
Kavango West	33 933	27 390	57 210	47%	444	401
Khomas	107 904	95 686	362 620	26%	4 119	3 109
Kunene	30 295	24 712	72 991	34%	695	542
Ohangwena	34 827	28 617	174 546	16%	909	736
Omaheke	24 379	21 911	53 002	41%	430	342
Omusati	30 551	26 838	179 370	15%	1 030	811
Oshana	27 538	24 722	143 395	16%	1 667	1 373
Oshikoto	27 672	24 380	144 912	16%	902	793
Otjozondjupa	37 348	33 074	112 119	29%	933	689
Zambezi	11 531	10 655	73 010	14%	725	684
Total	511 290	439 842	1 779 271	24%	15 996	12 615

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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