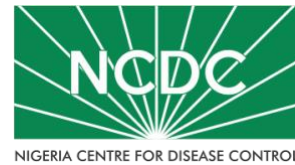


# COVID-19 SITUATION REPORT

## SITUATION REPORT 171

Monday, 17<sup>th</sup> August 2020



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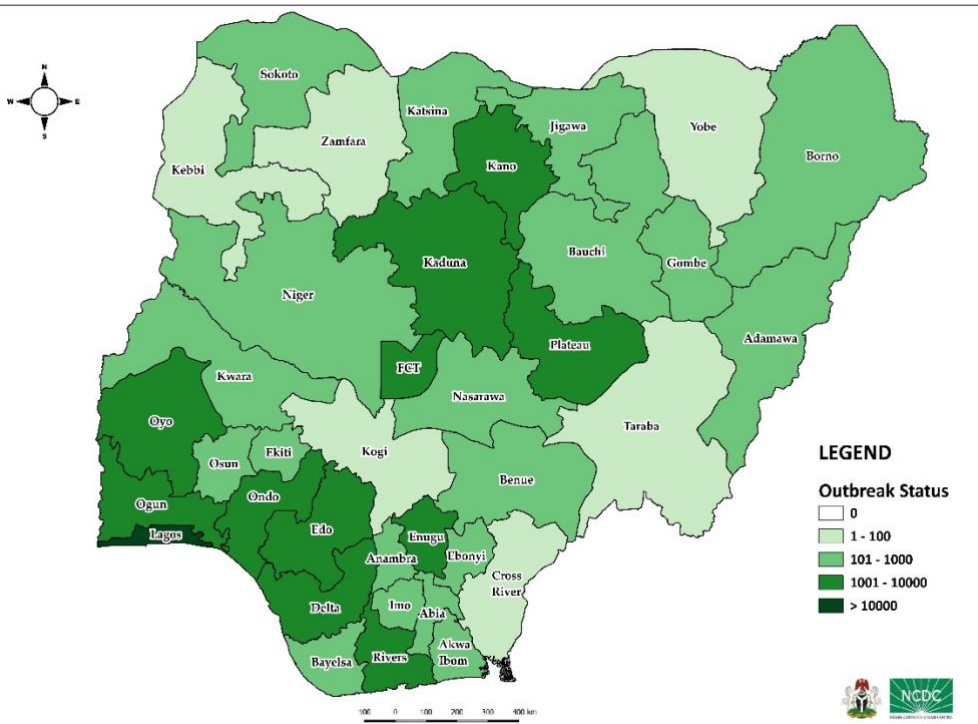
DATA AS REPORTED AND ACCURATE BY NCDC AS AT MIDNIGHT 17<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2020

### HIGHLIGHTS

- Four hundred and seventeen (**417**) confirmed cases were reported in the last 24 hours from **17** states – Lagos (207), Kaduna (44), Ondo (38), Abia (28), Anambra (21), Plateau (20), Bauchi (13), Ebonyi (9), Oyo (9), Delta (7), Edo (7), Enugu (6), Niger (3), Gombe (2), FCT (1), Kano (1) and Ogun (1).
- Three hundred and thirty-seven (**337**) discharges have been reported in the last 24 hours in **15** states – Oyo (73), Plateau (54), Enugu (40), Abia (33), Osun (29), Anambra (28), Lagos (20), FCT (16), Edo (11), Rivers (10), Kaduna (7), Kano (7), Ebonyi (6), Bayelsa (2) and Ogun (1).
- Two (**2**) deaths were reported in the last 24 hours in **two** states – Ondo (1) and Plateau (1).
- All **36** states in Nigeria, and the FCT, have reported a confirmed case.

### STATE OF THE NATION

Figure 1: Map of Nigeria showing 36 states and FCT affected by COVID-19



### SITUATION UPDATES

Total (New in the last 24 hours)

SAMPLES TESTED

**355,196 (2,571)**

CONFIRMED CASES

**49,485 (417)**

AFFECTED STATES INCLUDING FCT

**37**

DISCHARGED CASES

**36,834 (337)**

CONFIRMED FATALITIES

**977 (2) – 2.0% CFR**

DEMOGRAPHICS

MALE – 31,688 (64%)

FEMALE – 17,797 (36%)

MOST AFFECTED AGE GROUP

31 - 40 (25%)

PERSONS OF INTEREST

**11,423 (Total)**

**11,217 (98.2% - Exceeded Follow Up)**

PROVENANCE

TRAVEL HISTORY – 848 (2%)

CONTACTS – 12,014 (24%)

UNKNOWN EXPOSURE – 36,623 (74%)

GLOBAL UPDATES

TOTAL NUMBER OF CASES

**21,549,706 (767,158 deaths)**

COUNTRIES & TERRITORIES AFFECTED\*

**216**

\*Excluding the 2 International Conveyance

# GENERAL FACT SHEET – DATA AS AT 17<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2020

Table 1: States with reported laboratory-confirmed COVID-19 cases, recoveries, deaths and days since last reported case

STATES	CONFIRMED CASES		DISCHARGED CASES		DEATHS		TOTAL ACTIVE CASES	DAYS SINCE LAST REPORTED CASE
	TOTAL	NEW	TOTAL	NEW	TOTAL	NEW		
Lagos	16,710	207	14,487	20	201	0	2,022	0
FCT	4,730	1	1,368	16	46	0	3,316	0
Oyo	2,967	9	1,654	73	33	0	1,280	0
Edo	2,438	7	2,169	11	100	0	169	0
Rivers	2,006	0	1,820	10	56	0	130	1
Kaduna	1,859	44	1,602	7	12	0	245	0
Plateau	1,836	20	877	54	25	1	934	0
Kano	1,680	1	1,373	7	54	0	253	0
Delta	1,646	7	1,440	0	44	0	162	0
Ogun	1,564	1	1,330	1	25	0	209	0
Ondo	1,433	38	774	0	29	1	630	0
Enugu	1,003	6	850	40	19	0	134	0
Ebonyi	940	9	858	6	27	0	55	0
Kwara	906	0	641	0	23	0	242	2
Osun	754	0	448	29	14	0	292	1
Katsina	746	0	457	0	24	0	265	14
Borno	706	0	577	0	36	0	93	1
Abia	705	28	579	33	5	0	121	0
Gombe	678	2	579	0	23	0	76	0
Bauchi	596	13	538	0	14	0	44	0
Imo	506	0	168	0	10	0	328	2
Benue	430	0	139	0	9	0	282	6
Nasarawa	374	0	272	0	12	0	90	2
Bayelsa	352	0	323	2	21	0	8	3
Jigawa	322	0	308	0	11	0	3	32
Akwa Ibom	250	0	208	0	8	0	34	1
Niger	232	3	168	0	12	0	52	0
Ekiti	206	0	98	0	3	0	105	1
Adamawa	185	0	119	0	12	0	54	10
Anambra	177	21	159	28	18	0	0	0
Sokoto	154	0	138	0	16	0	0	23
Kebbi	90	0	82	0	8	0	0	27
Taraba	78	0	55	0	4	0	19	6
Cross River	77	0	45	0	8	0	24	1
Zamfara	77	0	71	0	5	0	1	30
Yobe	67	0	57	0	8	0	2	18
Kogi	5	0	3	0	2	0	0	45
<b>Total</b>	<b>49,485</b>	<b>417</b>	<b>36,834</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>977</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>11,674</b>	

States, including FCT, are arranged in descending order by number of total confirmed cases and then alphabetical order

## SELECTED CHARTS

Figure 2: Daily Epidemic Curve of Confirmed Cases (WK9 – WK34)

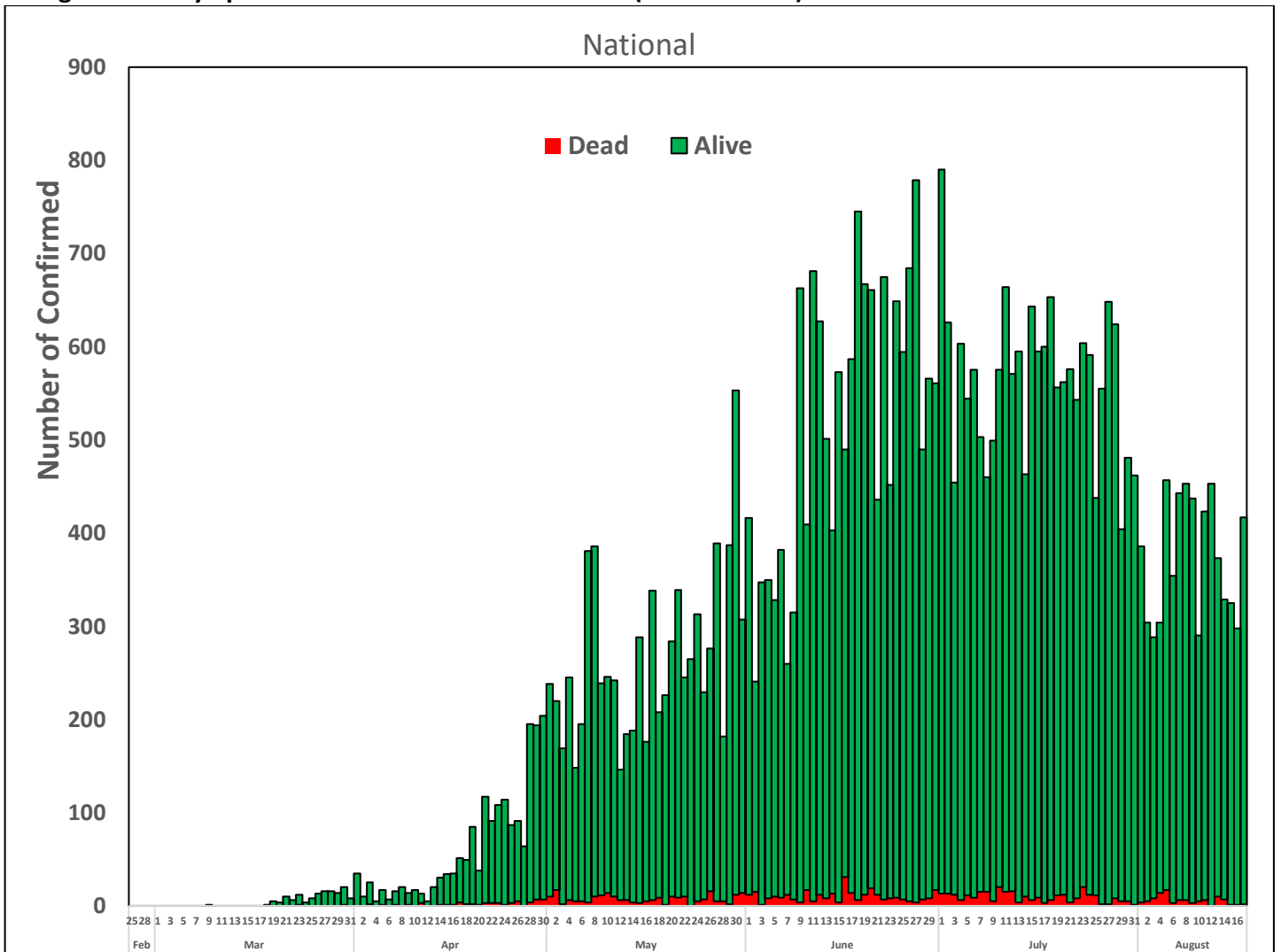
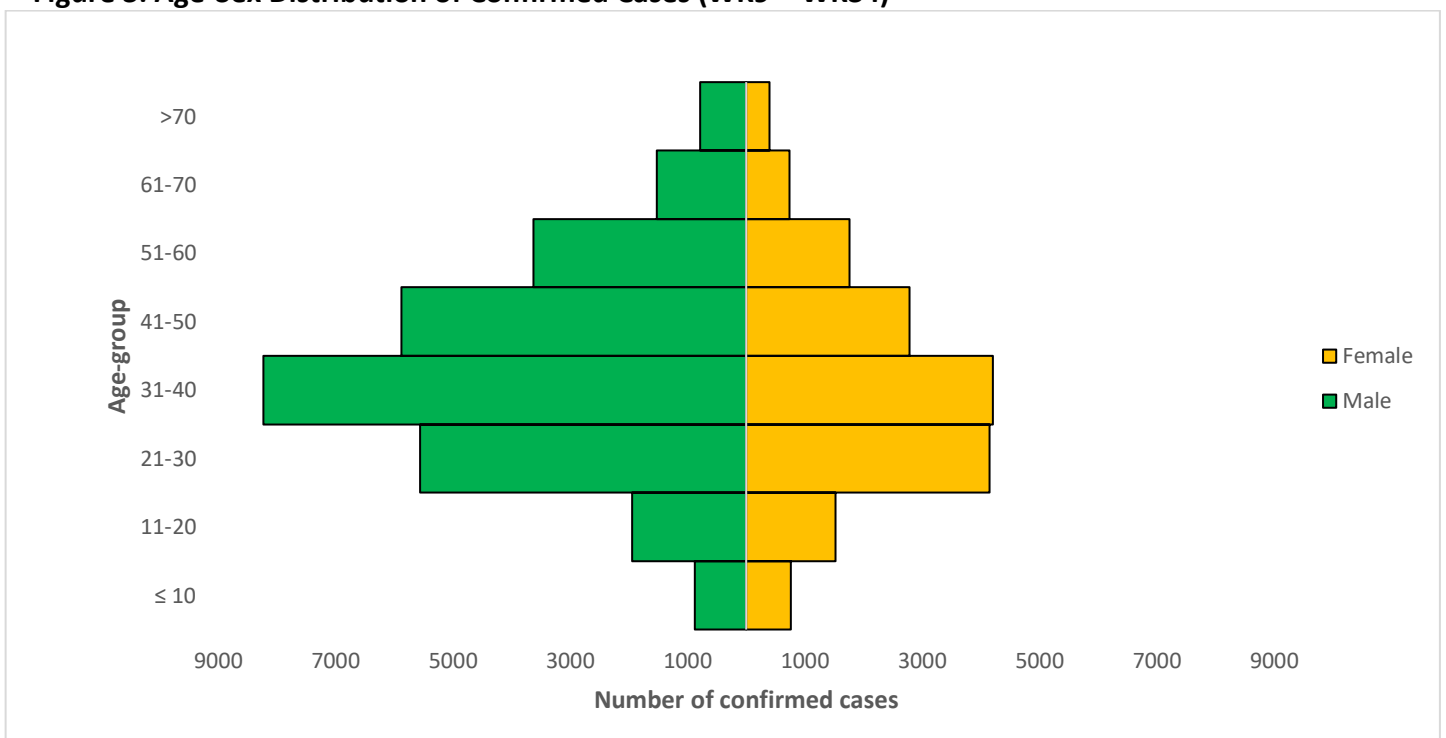


Figure 3: Age-Sex Distribution of Confirmed Cases (WK9 – WK34)



## PREPAREDNESS

Since the confirmation of the first case on 27<sup>th</sup> February 2020, the NCDC has released advisories and statements to help Nigerians and affected groups in particular to respond to the pandemic

- NCDC has launched an online course on [Infection, Prevention and Control \(IPC\) for COVID-19](#) NCDC eLearning platform
- Ahead of forthcoming elections in the country, NCDC has issued [Guidelines for Conducting Elections During the COVID-19 Outbreak in Nigeria](#).
- To protect our elders, and those with pre-existing medical conditions, NCDC has issued an [Advisory for Vulnerable Groups](#).
- NCDC has released [guidelines on the re-opening of places for worship](#).
- NCDC has released [Strategies to Improve Surveillance for COVID-19 Guidance for States](#)
- The Nigeria Police Force has released COVID-19 operational guidelines for the [Police and other Law Enforcement Agencies](#) in Nigeria
- Guidelines have been issued for the [safe transportation of remains of persons suspected or confirmed to have died of COVID-19](#)
- Information on diagnostics of the COVID-19 virus can be found in our [detailed FAQ document](#).
- To increase our testing capacity, NCDC has issued guidelines for the [integration of private labs](#).
- Guidelines for [businesses and employers](#) have been updated.
- NCDC has updated its [case definition](#) , [community case definition](#) and [case management guide](#).
- NCDC releases periodic [public health advisories](#) to Nigerians on the COVID-19 disease.
- To adhere to post-lockdown measures, NCDC has released an [advisory on the use of face masks](#), as well as information on the [Use of Cloth face masks](#) and [how to make your cloth face masks](#).
- NCDC has released guidelines for the [management of pregnant women and nursing mothers](#) during the pandemic.
- To address burials of loved ones who die from COVID-19, guidelines have been issued to advise on the [management of dead bodies](#).
- For health centres managing cases, the following documents have been released- a guideline for the [Rational Use of Personal Protective Equipment in the care of COVID-19 cases](#).
- As part of plans to increase the testing capacity of the country, the NCDC published a [National Strategy to Scale Up Access to Coronavirus Disease Testing in Nigeria](#) document.
- The Presidential Task Force has published policies and announcements on COVID-19 [available on the website of the Presidency](#) – including presidential addresses, task force updates and information on livelihood and economic support.

## RESPONSE

On 28<sup>th</sup> February 2020, a multi-sectoral Emergency Operations Centre (EOC) was activated at Level 3 – the highest emergency level in Nigeria –led by NCDC in close coordination with the State Public Health EOCs (PHEOC).

- **Developed and disseminated advisory on schools reopening to the State Ministries of Health and Public Health Emergency Operations Centres (PHEOCs) leadership**
- **Developed and disseminated quick reference guide for improved surveillance and sample collection to all State Epidemiologists**
- **Commenced deployment of Surveillance Outbreak Response Management and Analysis System tool (SORMAS) in Yobe State**
- **Supported the activation of effective transportation system for movement of COVID-19 cases for referral to higher level of care**
- **Finalised plans to train laboratorians on the use of Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) diagnostic method across states**
- **Commenced the final batch of 3-day National Training of Trainers (TOT) for case managers from Federal Tertiary Hospitals and Institutions supporting the COVID-19 outbreak response in the South East and South South States on 17<sup>th</sup> August 2020**

- **Concluded the set up of triaging areas in secondary health facilities: 43 in Akwa Ibom, 100 in Borno, 35 in Bayelsa**
- **Ongoing support on Risk Communication and Community Engagement (RCCE) in 23 states in collaboration with partners**
- Daily escalation of appropriate state specific thematic strategies to state coordination teams improve response
- Ongoing optimisation of a new GeneXpert laboratory in Federal Medical Keffi, Nasarawa State
- Deployed webinar for IPC-PALS training for COVID-19 intervention in secondary health facilities across 6 states – Delta, Edo, Enugu, Oyo, Ondo, Kaduna and FCT
- Developed and pretested criteria and tools for mapping stakeholders in Kogi State
- All education materials can be found via [www.covid19.ncdc.gov.ng](http://www.covid19.ncdc.gov.ng)