

COVID-19 SITUATION REPORT

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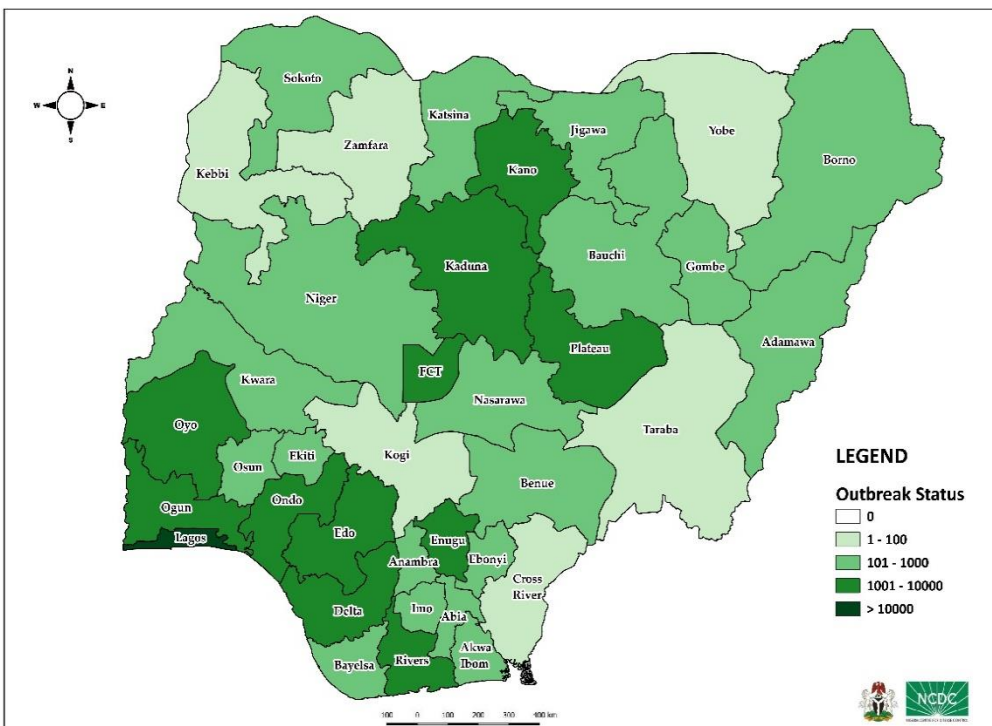
DATA AS REPORTED AND ACCURATE BY NCDC AS AT MIDNIGHT 25TH AUGUST 2020

HIGHLIGHTS

- Two hundred and fifty-two (**252**) confirmed cases were reported in the last 24 hours from **18** states – Plateau (50), Enugu (35), Rivers (27), Lagos (26), FCT (18), Kaduna (18), Ekiti (10), Kano (10), Taraba (9), Anambra (8), Edo (8), Oyo (8), Delta (7), Ogun (6), Abia (5), Bayelsa (5), Ebonyi (1) and Osun (1).
- Seven hundred and seven (**707**) discharges have been reported in the last 24 hours in **14** states – Ondo (528), Oyo (50), Kano (44), Plateau (19), Taraba (18), Ebonyi (8), Edo (8), Osun (8), Kaduna (6), Lagos (5), Ogun (4), Rivers (4), Ekiti (3) and FCT (2).
- Three (**3**) deaths were reported in the last 24 hours in **two** states – FCT (2) and Taraba (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

388,346 (5,216)¹

CONFIRMED CASES

52,800 (252)

AFFECTED STATES INCLUDING FCT

37

DISCHARGED CASES

39,964 (707)

CONFIRMED FATALITIES

1,007 (3) – 1.9% CFR

DEMOGRAPHICS

MALE – 33,580 (**64%**)

FEMALE – 19,220 (**36%**)

MOST AFFECTED AGE GROUP

31 - 40 (**25%**)

PERSONS OF INTEREST

11,622 (Total)

11,546 (99.3% - Exceeded Follow Up)

PROVENANCE

TRAVEL HISTORY – **850 (1%)**

CONTACTS – **12,561 (24%)**

UNKNOWN EXPOSURE – **39,389 (75%)**

GLOBAL UPDATES

TOTAL NUMBER OF CASES

23,518,343 (810,492 deaths)

COUNTRIES & TERRITORIES AFFECTED*

216

¹Includes backlog of negative samples tested

*Excluding the 2 International Conveyance

GENERAL FACT SHEET – DATA AS AT 25TH 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	NUMBER OF TOTAL SAMPLES COLLECTED	DAYS SINCE LAST REPORTED CASE
	TOTAL	NEW	TOTAL	NEW	TOTAL	NEW			
Lagos	18,018	26	15,214	5	202	0	2,602	95,843	0
FCT	5,046	18	1,450	2	48	2	3,548	46,413	0
Oyo	3,058	8	1,732	50	37	0	1,289	19,562	0
Edo	2,553	8	2,252	8	100	0	201	14,370	0
Plateau	2,185	50	1,168	19	29	0	988	23,113	0
Rivers	2,090	27	1,901	4	57	0	132	14,087	0
Kaduna	2,059	18	1,832	6	12	0	215	16,011	0
Kano	1,721	10	1,507	44	54	0	160	42,744	0
Delta	1,715	7	1,518	0	46	0	151	8,574	0
Ogun	1,631	6	1,447	4	26	0	158	11,342	0
Ondo	1,515	0	1,305	528 ^A	31	0	179	6,395	1
Enugu	1,087	35	852	0	21	0	214	3,919	0
Ebonyi	965	1	921	8	27	0	17	5,401	0
Kwara	936	0	740	0	25	0	171	4,993	2
Katsina	771	0	457	0	24	0	290	10,171	3
Osun	769	1	648	8	16	0	105	3,525	0
Abia	755	5	643	0	7	0	105	4,347	0
Borno	740	0	646	0	36	0	58	10,772	2
Gombe	714	0	605	0	23	0	86	10,827	1
Bauchi	644	0	545	0	14	0	85	7,571	1
Imo	523	0	187	0	10	0	326	3,188	1
Benue	451	0	141	0	9	0	301	3,004	1
Nasarawa	421	0	298	0	12	0	111	3,127	1
Bayelsa	378	5	326	0	21	0	31	1,469	0
Jigawa	322	0	308	0	11	0	3	2,857	40
Akwa Ibom	271	0	220	0	8	0	43	2,075	6
Niger	239	0	168	0	12	0	59	1,747	1
Ekiti	235	10	125	3	4	0	106	3,463	0
Adamawa	217	0	159	0	15	0	43	1,854	1
Anambra	202	8	159	0	18	0	25	1,019	0
Sokoto	158	0	138	0	16	0	4	1,426	2
Kebbi	92	0	82	0	8	0	2	828	1
Taraba	87	9	73	18	5	1	9	705	0
Cross River	82	0	63	0	8	0	11	637	1
Zamfara	78	0	72	0	5	0	1	380	5
Yobe	67	0	59	0	8	0	0	378	26
Kogi	5	0	3	0	2	0	0	209	53
Total	52,800	252	39,964	707	1,007	3	11,829	388,346	

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

notes

^A Community recoveries over the last four weeks reported from Ondo in line with new case management guidelines

SELECTED CHARTS

Figure 2: Daily Epidemic Curve of Confirmed Cases (WK9 – WK35)

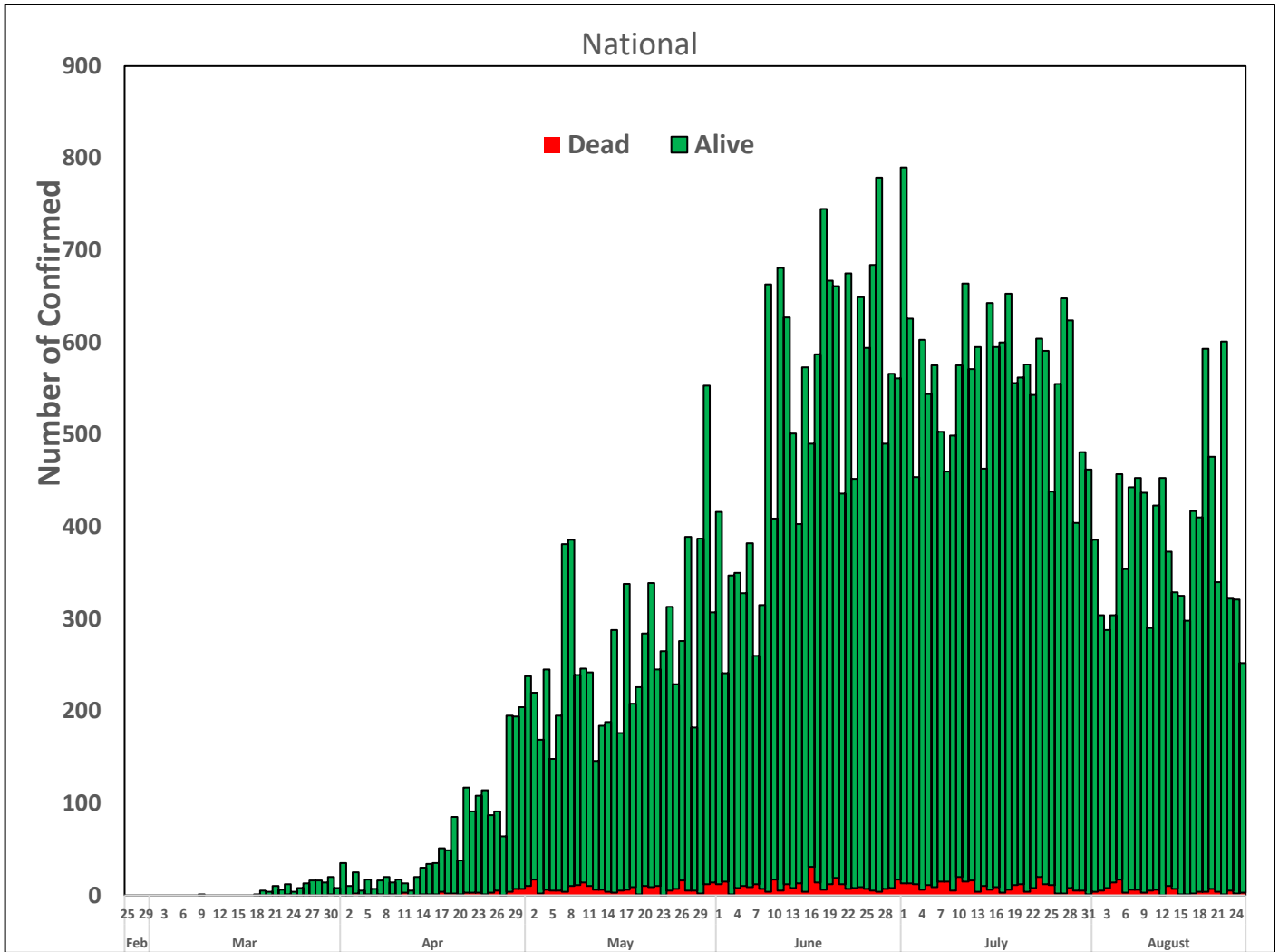
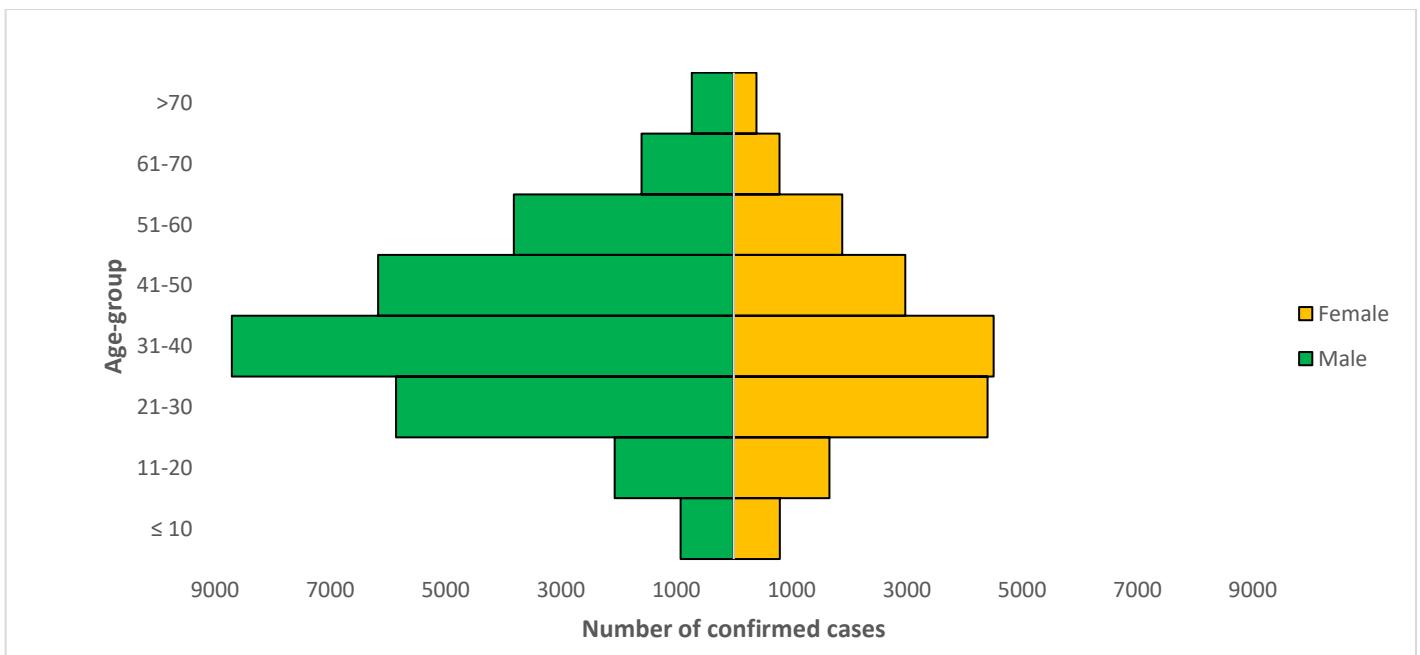


Figure 3: Age-Sex Distribution of Confirmed Cases (WK9 – WK35)



PREPAREDNESS

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

- NCDC recently published the first edition of a quick reference guide on setting up sample collection centre - [A step by step guide on setting up a sample collection centre](#)
- 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 28th 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).

- **Staffing and onboarding of focal persons to enhance response coordination at National and sub-national level**
- **Supported the roll out of automation of Laboratory results in 5 states in the south west states Oyo, Ondo, Osun, Ogun, and Ekiti states**
- **Currently optimising a new state molecular laboratory in Kebbi State**
- **Weekly logistics routine data analysis is ongoing**
- **Reviewed and finalised the Operational Research Agenda for the National COVID-19 Emergency Operation Centre**
- **Ongoing gathering of insight on messaging to improve deployment of community engagement strategies**

- Ongoing support to states to organise trainings for Health Facilities (HFs) in Local Government Areas on sample collection and active case finding
- Ongoing optimisation of a new state molecular laboratory in Yenagoa, Bayelsa State
- Held a virtual strategic meeting with State focal persons on Incident Action Plan and IPC Activities to be prioritised for quality implementation of hotspot strategy
- Reviewed and updated the national needs assessment template
- Mapped COVID-19 hotspot communities based on surveillance criteria for effective risk communication interventions
- All education materials can be found via www.covid19.ncdc.gov.ng