COVID-19 SITUATION REPORT
SITUATION REPORT 155
Saturday, 1st August 2020

HIGHLIGHTS

• Three hundred and eighty-six (386) confirmed cases were reported in the last 24 hours from 18 states – FCT (130), Lagos (65), Ondo (37), Osun (29), Plateau (23), Rivers (15), Enugu (14), Nasarawa (12), Bayelsa (11), Ebonyi (11), Ekiti (9), Edo (8), Oyo (8), Abia (6), Katsina (3), Ogun (3), Adamawa(1) and Imo(1).

• Five hundred and twenty-two (522) cases were discharged in the last 24 hours in 13 states – Ebonyi (122), Ondo (100), Oyo (51), Abia (45), Ogun (45), Edo (42), Akwa Ibom (29), Rivers (21), FCT (20), Imo (17), Plateau (15), Ekiti (10) and Osun(5).

• Four (4) deaths were recorded in the last 24 hours in four states – Ebonyi (1), Edo(1), Ondo (1) and Rivers (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
286,091 (2,175)

CONFIRMED CASES
43,537 (386)

AFFECTED STATES INCLUDING FCT
37

DISCHARGED CASES
20,087 (522)

CONFIRMED FATALITIES
883 (4) – 2.0% CFR

 DEMOGRAPHICS
MALE – 28,165 (65%)
FEMALE – 15,372 (35%)

MOST AFFECTED AGE GROUP
31 - 40 (25%)

PERSONS OF INTEREST
11,197 (Total)
11,127 (99.4% - Exceeded Follow Up)

PROVENANCE
TRAVEL HISTORY – 804 (2%)
CONTACTS – 10,734 (25%)
UNKNOWN EXPOSURE – 31,999 (73%)

GLOBAL UPDATES
TOTAL NUMBER OF CASES
17,396,943 (675,060 deaths)

COUNTRIES & TERRITORIES AFFECTED*
214

*Excluding the 2 International Conveyance
## GENERAL FACT SHEET – DATA AS AT 1ST AUGUST 2020

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

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*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 – WK31)

Figure 3: Age-Sex Distribution of Confirmed Cases (WK9 – WK31)
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 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 of 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).

- Supported the training of staff of Port Health Services (PHS) division on Persons of Interest (POIs) monitoring
- Deployed tablets to enter Persons of Interest data on the Surveillance Outbreak and Response Management and Analysis System (SORMAS) at Points of Entry
- Activated Gombe molecular testing laboratory at the State Specialist Hospital, Gombe State
- Trained 15 staff of the National Identity Management Commission (NIMC) in Anambra State
- Provided support at the training of Red Cross volunteers in all states in the country
- Received a total of 665 Persons of Interest (POIs)/returnees in the last two days as at 30th July 2020: India (99), USA (294), Niger (158), Ghana (16) and Morocco (98)
- All POIs/returnees were received, screened and given the travellers kit on arrival at the Nnamdi Azikiwe International Airport Abuja (NAIA)
- All returnees were issued COVID-19 test appointment
- Trained staff of Yobe State Specialist Hospital Laboratory on COVID-19 testing
• Conducted a three-day IPC training for all health facilities healthcare workers in northern Calabar, Cross River
• Supported the training of surveillance officers across the country on community engagement, managing stigma and discrimination
• All education materials can be found via www.covid19.ncdc.gov.ng