



COVID-19 OUTBREAK IN NIGERIA

Situation Report

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HIGHLIGHTS

This is the 26th national situation report, following confirmation of the first case of coronavirus disease (COVID-19) in Nigeria on 27th February 2020. The data in this report is as at 12 midnight on 25/03/2020

- On the 25th of March 2020, seven new confirmed cases of COVID-19 were recorded in Nigeria
- All new cases were reported from FCT (2), Osun (1), Lagos (3) and Rivers (1) States
- As at 25th March 2020, a total of 262 persons have been screened for COVID-19 (7 new) in 23 States (Adamawa, Akwa Ibom, Bauchi, Bayelsa, Cross River, Delta, Ebonyi, Edo, Ekiti, Enugu, FCT, Kano, Katsina, Lagos, Nasarawa, Ogun, Ondo, Osun, Oyo, Plateau, Rivers, Sokoto and Yobe) out of which 51 were confirmed positive
- The 51 confirmed cases are in Nine States (Bauchi, Edo, Ekiti, FCT, Lagos, Ogun, Oyo, and Osun, Rivers); two cases have been discharged, 48 currently receiving care and **one death** from COVID-19 in Nigeria
- The National EOC is working with affected State EOCs to identify contacts of the new confirmed cases
- Screening has been heightened at all air, land and sea points of entry into Nigeria
- A cumulative total of 4,727 passengers of interest (POI) identified, and being monitored
- A multi-sectoral national emergency operations centre (EOC), activated at level 3, continues to coordinate national response activities

Table1: Situational Update (As at 24th of March 2020):

*COVID-19 SITUATION					
Global (As at 24 th March 2020) ¹					
No. of Confirmed Cases	% Confirmed within China	Total Deaths	CFR (%)	New Countries (Within Last 24hrs)	Total Countries Affected (N)
372,757	22%	16,231	4.4	4 (Myanmar, Belize, Dominica, and Turks and Caicos Islands)	184

¹ <https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/situation-reports/>

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Africa (As at 24th March 2020) ²

African Countries with reported cases	New Countries (Within Last 24hrs)	Total Countries Affected (N)
Algeria, Angola, Benin, Burkina Faso, Cabo Verde, Cameroon, Chad, Central African Republic, Congo, Cote D'Ivoire, Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC), Djibouti, Egypt, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Eswatini, Ethiopia, Gabon, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Kenya, Liberia, Madagascar, Mauritania, Mauritius, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Niger, Nigeria, Rwanda, Senegal, Seychelles, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Tanzania, Togo, Tunisia, Uganda, Zambia and Zimbabwe	-	43 (54) *

* 54 African countries

Table 2: Summary of COVID-19 cases in Nigeria

States Affected	Total Screened	No. of Cases (Lab Confirmed)	No. of Cases (on admission)	No. Discharged	No of Deaths
A/ibom	1	0	0	-	0
Adamawa	2	0	0	-	0
Bauchi	5	1	1	-	0
Bayelsa	1	0	0	-	0
Cross River	2	0	0	-	0
Delta	1	0	0	-	0
Ebonyi	1	0	0	-	0
Edo	12	1	1	0	0
Ekiti	4	1	1	0	0
Enugu	4	0	0	-	0
FCT	74	10	10	0	1
Kano	5	0	0	-	0
Katsina	2	0	0	-	0
Kebbi	2	0	0	-	0
Lagos	116	32	32	0	0
Nasarawa	6	0	0	-	0
Ogun	5	3	1	2	0
Ondo	3	0	0	-	0
Osun	1	1	1	0	0
Oyo	3	1	1	0	0
Plateau	4	0	0	-	0
Rivers	7	1	0	-	0
Sokoto	1	0	0	-	0
Yobe	1	0	0	-	0
Total	262	51	48	2	1

² <https://who.maps.arcgis.com/apps/opsdashboard/index.html#/0c9b3a8b68d0437a8cf28581e9c063a9>

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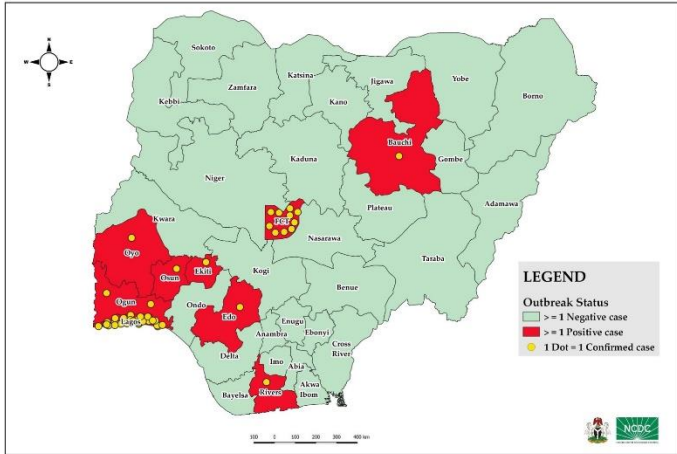


Fig. 1: Map of Nigeria showing COVID-19 affected States

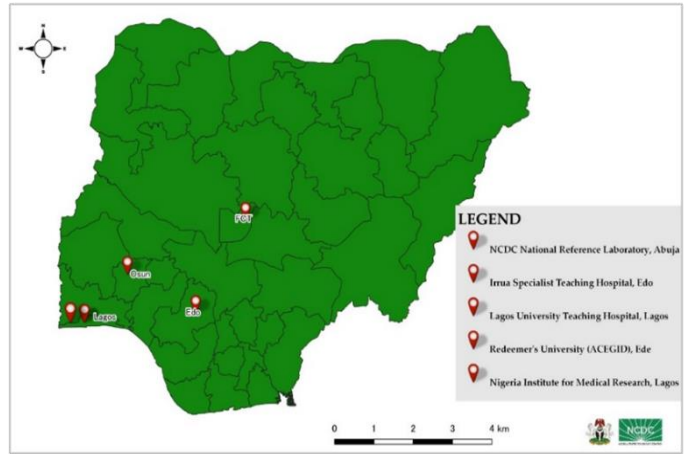


Fig. 2: Map of Nigeria showing COVID-19 testing laboratories

MAJOR RESPONSE ACTIVITIES

- Deployment of Rapid Response Team (RRT) to support Osun and Rivers
- Six laboratories with PCR testing capacity to be assessed and added to existing laboratory network for COVID-19 sample testing
- Daily EOC meetings held at NCDC, Edo, Oyo, Lagos, Ekiti and FCT
- Contact tracing of new confirmed cases commenced
- All education materials can be found via www.covid19.ncdc.gov.ng