

# Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Situation Report

Data as reported by national authorities by 23:00 local time 18 August 2020

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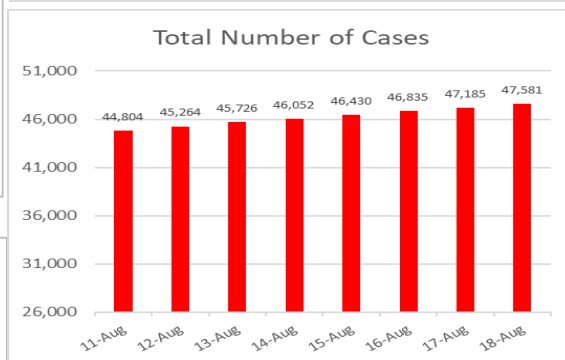
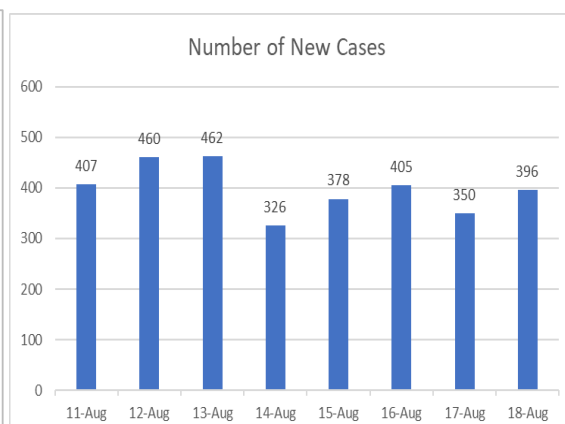
	Global		Eastern Mediterranean Region	
	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths
<b>Total</b>	21,756,357	771,635	1,748,877	46,446
<b>New</b>	206,440	4,473	11,850	379

## Kingdom of Bahrain

	Confirmed Cases	Recovered Cases	Deaths	Active Cases	Critical Cases	PCR Tests
<b>Total</b>	47,581	43,921	175	3,485	45	991,140
<b>New</b>	396	392	2	-	-	9,932

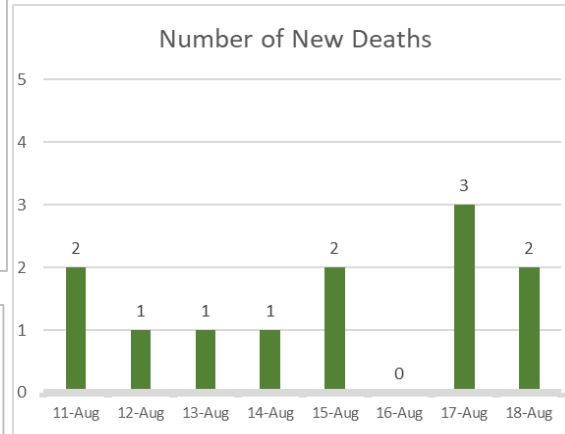
## HIGHLIGHTS

- The mortality were: a 52 and 62 years old female Bahraini Citizen.
- Khalifa Bin Salman Al Khalifa Award for Bahraini Physician recognizes achievements to the enrichment contributions for medical knowledge, scientific research and health services in the Kingdom of Bahrain. The deadline for participation is 5 September 2020.
- The Head of the Disease Control Department in the MoH stressed the importance of persevering the achievements and efforts of the Kingdom of Bahrain in the field of confronting the Corona pandemic (COVID-19).
- Ministry of Health Clarified the details pertinent to the four stages of clinical trials of the (COVID-19) vaccine.
- The Governor of the Northern Governorate called for the protection of public health during Ashura, stressing the importance of efforts to support the Bahraini team to combat Corona.
- Government and public establishments will be closed on Thursday 20 August 2020 for the new Hijra Year and Muharram 1st.
- WHO, UNICEF: 2 in 5 schools around the world lacked basic handwashing facilities prior to COVID-19 pandemic; see link below.
- WHO: Emergency Global Supply Chain System (COVID-19) catalogue; see link below.
- WHO: Home care for patients with suspected or confirmed COVID-19 and management of their contacts; see link below.



## IMPORTANT LINKS

- **Daily COVID-19 updates on MoH website:**  
<https://www.moh.gov.bh/>
- **WHO's COVID-19 weekly situation reports:**  
[https://www.who.int/docs/default-source/coronaviruse/situation-reports/20200817-weekly-epi-update-1.pdf?sfvrsn=b6d49a76\\_4](https://www.who.int/docs/default-source/coronaviruse/situation-reports/20200817-weekly-epi-update-1.pdf?sfvrsn=b6d49a76_4)
- **WHO's COVID-19 Dashboard:** <https://covid19.who.int/>
- **WHO, UNICEF: 2 in 5 schools around the world lacked basic handwashing facilities prior to COVID-19 pandemic:**  
<https://www.who.int/news-room/detail/13-08-2020-2-in-5-schools-around-the-world-lacked-basic-handwashing-facilities-prior-to-covid-19-pandemic-unicf-who>
- **WHO: Emergency Global Supply Chain System (COVID-19) catalogue:**  
[https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/emergency-global-supply-chain-system-\(covid-19\)-catalogue](https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/emergency-global-supply-chain-system-(covid-19)-catalogue)
- **WHO: Home care for patients with suspected or confirmed COVID-19 and management of their contacts:**  
[https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/home-care-for-patients-with-suspected-novel-coronavirus-\(ncov\)-infection-presenting-with-mild-symptoms-and-management-of-contacts](https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/home-care-for-patients-with-suspected-novel-coronavirus-(ncov)-infection-presenting-with-mild-symptoms-and-management-of-contacts)



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