

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Situation Report

Data as reported by national authorities by 24:00 local time 15 August 2021

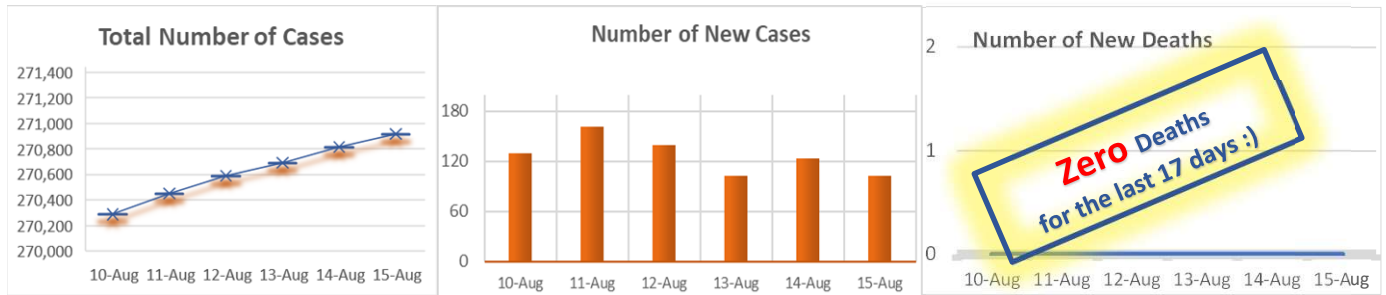
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	Global		Eastern Mediterranean Region	
	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths
Total	206,958,371	4,357,179	13,665,080	250,318
New	265,014 (as 16th Aug)	4,691 (as 16th Aug)	63,691 (as 15 Aug)	929 (as 15 Aug)

Kingdom of Bahrain

	Confirmed Cases	Recovered Cases	Deaths	Active Cases	Critical Cases	PCR Tests	Vaccine First Dose	Vaccine Second Dose	Booster Dose
Total	270,919	268,422	1,384	1,113	6	5,677,009	126,331	1,071,350	227,279
New	103	123	0	-	-	16,731	-	-	-



HIGHLIGHTS

- ZERO Deaths for the last 17 consecutive days, for the first time since January this year:)
- His Highness Sheikh Nasser bin Hamad Al Khalifa, representative of His Majesty the King for Humanitarian Works and Youth Affairs, met with the WHO Representative and expressed his appreciation for the outstanding efforts made by the World Health Organization at all levels, especially in the fight against the Corona virus
- WHO Representative and the Supreme Council for Women discussed on ways of collaboration for the Health of Women
- WHO Representative and the Supreme Council of Health Chairman discussed bilateral cooperation and continuous development in the health field
- The National Medical Taskforce announces the adoption of the **Orange Alert Level** during Ashura
- Bahrain has retained its top position in Covid-19 recovery rates in the GCC – with 99.1 per cent of patients resuming a healthy life. A total of 1,384 patients have died since the outbreak of the pandemic. Qatar follows close behind with a 98.6pc recovery rate followed by Kuwait (97.6pc), Saudi (97) and the UAE (96.8pc). Oman is last on the chart with 95.9pc of its people recovering from the infection
- The second Bahrain Emergency Medicine Conference (BEMC) – scheduled to start on November 25, will discuss role of emergency medicine during Covid-19 pandemic, and the importance of research in emergency medicine.
- National Health Regulatory Authority said Medicine prices in Bahrain are similar to those in GCC countries following a decision to standardize them in all member states
- The National Vaccination Campaign continues across the Kingdom of Bahrain
- The National Medical Taskforce for Combatting COVID-19: the goal is to administer booster shots to 95,000 individuals aged 40 and above to reach a target of 80%
- Due to the increase in the spread of the mutated virus "Delta" in many countries, in addition to the stability of the effectiveness of vaccination and the booster dose of it in enhancing immunity and protecting against the effects of the virus, the transition to the yellow level has been carried out until 80% of adults 40 years and over are vaccinated with the booster dose

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