

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Situation Report

Data as reported by national authorities by 23:00 local time 17 June 2020

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	Global		Eastern Mediterranean Region	
	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths
Total	8,061,550	440,290	817,458	18,057
New	119,759	5,494	20,699	499

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	Confirmed Cases	Recovered Cases	Deaths	Active Cases	Critical Cases	PCR Tests
Total	19,553	14,185	49	5,727	27	445,669
New	540	319	2	-	-	7,589

HIGHLIGHTS

- 2 mortalities: 57 and 64 years-old male citizens.
- The National Taskforce for Combating the Coronavirus: ready to handle 10,000 cases in one day.
- 4,735 violations of not wearing the face mask in public places were recorded since the inception of the decision.
- Health Minister participated in the 3rd extraordinary meeting of health ministers in GCC states to discuss developments of the coronavirus pandemic.
- WHO welcomes initial results on dexamethasone which **reduces mortality only among seriously ill patients** with no benefits observed in patients with milder disease (see link below).
- WHO clarifies comments made earlier regarding COVID-19 transmission: transmission is known to occur by symptomatic cases and presymptomatic cases (who later develop symptoms). More data is still needed about transmission via asymptomatic cases (who never develop symptoms). See link below.

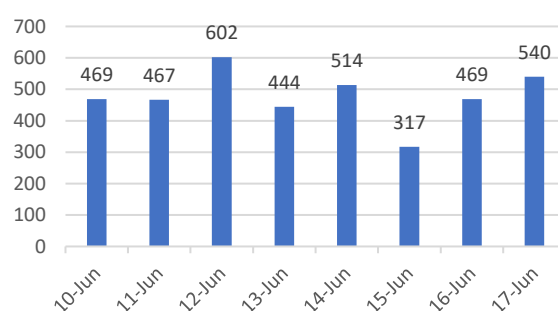
IMPORTANT LINKS

- **Daily COVID-19 updates on MoH website:**
<https://www.moh.gov.bh/>
- **WHO's COVID-19 global situation reports:**
<https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novelcoronavirus-2019/situation-reports>
- **WHO welcomes initial results on Dexamethasone:**
<https://www.who.int/news-room/detail/16-06-2020-who-welcomes-preliminary-results-about-dexamethasone-use-in-treating-critically-ill-covid-19-patients>
- **WHO clarification regarding transmission of COVID-19 by asymptomatic cases:**
<https://twitter.com/WHOEMRO/status/1270769638922768387>

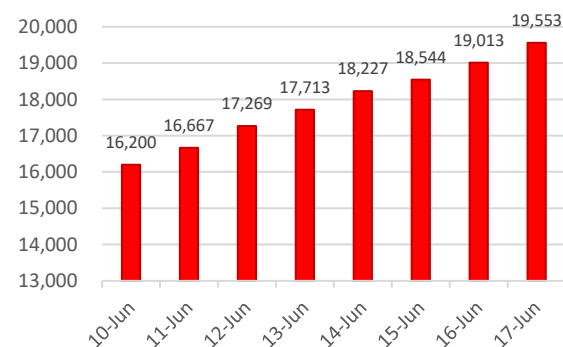
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Number of New Cases



Total Number of Cases



Number of New Deaths

