

(July 16-July 22, 2022)

COVID-19 Update

Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan Week No. 26, July 16-July 22, 2022



Laboratories with COVID-19 testing capacity



Hospitals to triage/ treat COVID-19 cases



Public Hospitals treating COVID-19 cases



Private Hospitals treating COVID-19 cases

New confirmed cases (weekly)

4,763

Weekly incidence

44 / 100,000 pop

Cumulative confirmed cases

1,709,879

New deaths (weekly)

4

Total deaths

14,074

Case fatality rate

0.8%

Total number of inpatients

52

Total received first dose

4,809,987

Total fully

vaccinated (2nd dose)

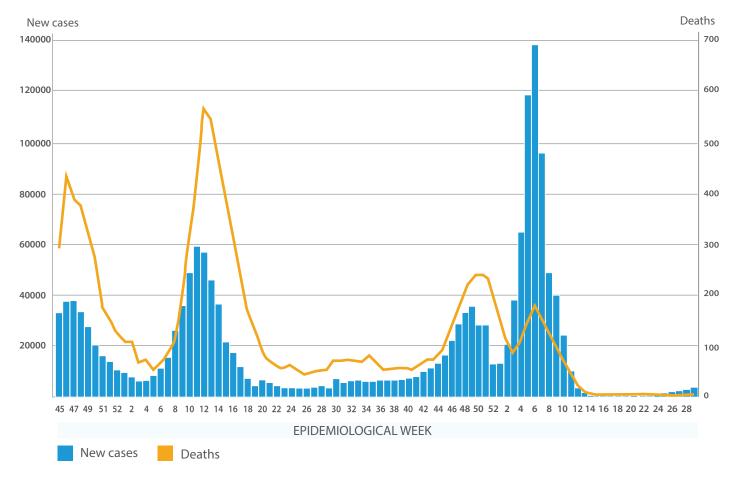
4,548,721

Vaccination coverage Per total population

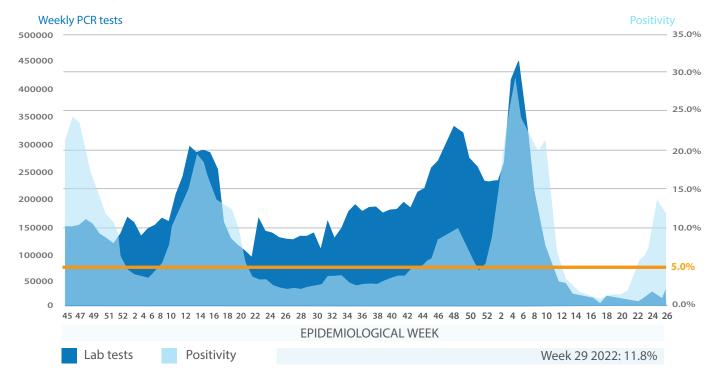
45.0%

Trend of COVID-19

W45 2020-W29 2022



Daily number of COVID-19 PCR tests and test positivity rate in Jordan (starting from September 1, 2020, to July 22, 2022)



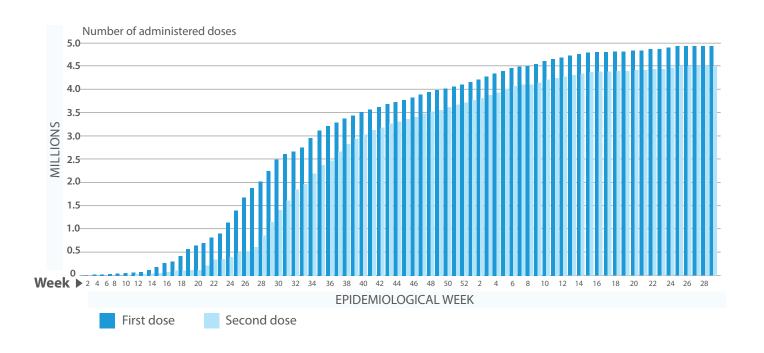
Jordan COVID-19 data

over the last 10 epidemiological weeks

Epi Week#	New Cases	Deaths	Lab Tests	Hospitalized	Test Positivity Rate	Community Transmission Level
20	309	0	17789	12	1.7%	CT1
21	269	0	15933	7	1.7%	CT1
22	334	2	15071	4	2.2%	CT1
23	402	0	12430	3	3.2%	CT1
24	643	0	11694	3	5.5%	CT1
25	881	0	13127	3	5.5%	CT1
26	1329	0	22514	10	5.9%	CT1
27	2135	1	30644	15	6.9%	CT1
28	2455	1	16948	27	14.0%	CT1
29	4763	4	40380	52	11.8%	CT1

COVID-19 vaccination trend in Jordan

starting from Epi Week 2 to W29 2022



COVID-19 epidemiological notifications from countries of WHO Eastern Mediterranean Region

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Country	Cumulative cases	Cumulative deaths	CFR %
Afghanistan	184,474	7,738	4.2
Bahrain	653,146	1,506	0.2
Djibouti	15,690	189	1.2
Egypt	514,413	24,750	4.8
Iran (Islamic Republic of Iran)	7,319,322	141,650	1.9
Iraq	2,427,884	25,286	1.0
Jordan	1,705,116	14,070	0.8
Kuwait	653,020	2,559	0.4
Lebanon	1,155,660	10,506	0.9
Libya	503,611	6,431	1.3
Morocco	1,257,320	16,211	1.3
occupied Palestinian territory**	672,039	5,664	0.8
Oman	393,002	4,628	1.2
Pakistan	1,549,073	30,462	2
Qatar	401,322	680	0.2
Saudi Arabia	807,215	9,238	1.1
Somalia	26,912	1,361	5.1
Sudan	62,914	4,955	7.9
Syrian Arab Republic	56,085	3,150	5.6
Tunisia	1,114,370	28,942	2.6
United Arab Emirates	981,657	2,331	0.2
Yemen	11,849	2,149	18.1
Total	22,466,094	344,456	1.5

Public Health and Social Measures (PHSMs)

Restrictions:

As of 25/05/2022, wearing a face mask is no longer necessary in indoor and outdoor spaces.

Defense Order No. 36 was issued on 27 March 2022, aiming to ease COVID-19 restrictions. The new set of mitigating measures include the following:

- **1.** Prayers in mosques and places of worship will operate normally once again and without any restrictions (without social distancing), however, adherence to face masks is still required.
- 2. Indoor and outdoor gatherings are permitted in all their forms.
- 3. Facilities will once again operate normally at full capacity.
- **4.** Restaurants and venues will once again operate normally at full capacity, without the need for social distancing or limiting the number of people at each table.
- **5.** Face masks are no longer required outdoors.

On February 20, 2022, over 2.1 million students returned to school for entirely in-person education. The government announced new easing procedures for responding to the COVID-19 pandemic on February 17, 2022, as recommended by the National Epidemiological Committee, depending on developments in the epidemiological situation. The procedures will be active as of March 1, 2022 and include reducing the quarantine period for infected people to five days, starting on the date of the sample without the need to conduct another PCR test, canceling quarantine for people who came into contact with COVID-19 patients, and canceling PCR tests for arrivals to the Kingdom at airports and land and sea crossings for Jordanians and non-Jordanians alike.

WEEKLY BULLETIN

COVID -19 RELATED TRAVEL MEASURES

IMPLEMENTED IN COUNTRIES OF THE EASTREN MEDITERRANEAN REGION

Week no.29

Date: 17-23 July 2022

Validation

Yes (16)

Afghanistan, Egypt, Iran, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libya, Morocco, Oman, Pakistan, Palestine, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, Syria, United Arab Emirates

No (6)

Bahrain, Djibouti, Qatar, Sudan, Tunisia, Yemen

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TESTING

QUARANTINE

VACCINES

RESTRICTING ENTRY

(12/22 Countries)

Period of validity for the PCR to be conducted before arrival which ranges from:

96 hours (2):

Afghanistan, Syria

72 hours (8):

Djibouti, Iran, Morocco, Pakistan, Palestine*, Qatar, Somalia, Sudan

48 hours (2):

Lebanon, Tunisia

*No commercial flights

No PCR (10):

Bahrain, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Libya, Oman, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen

Testing on Arrival

PCR (6): Djibouti, Iran, Palestine, Qatar, Sudan, Tunisia.

Rapid (4): Djibouti, Palestine, Sudan, Tunisia

(10/22 Countries)

Mandatory Quarantine:

10 (45%) of EMR countries for arriving passengers, some contingent upon destination

Home Quarantine (4):

Lebanon, Libya, Pakistan, Palestine.

Institutional Quarantine (3):

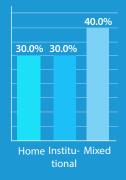
Somalia, Sudan, Tunisia

Mixed Method Quarantine (3):

Djibouti, Iran, Qatar

No Quarantine (12):

Afghanistan, Bahrain, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Morocco, Oman, Saudi Arabia, Syria, United Arab Emirates, Yemen



(14/22 Countries)

A certificate of vaccination has offered arriving passengers:

Exemption from mandatory testing (13):

Iraq, Lebanon, Libya, Morocco, Oman, Pakistan, Palestine, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, Sudan, Syria, United Arab Emirates.

Exemption from mandatory guarantine (8):

Libya, Oman, Palestine, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates

Vaccination required for entry – (11):

Djibouti, Iran, Iraq, Lebanon, Libya, Morocco, Pakistan, Palestine, Qatar, Sudan, Tunisia

Immunity certificate honored – (5): Iraq, Lebanon, Palestine, Qatar, Tunisia

(2/22 Countries)

2 (9%) of countries are still restricting entry from specific countries

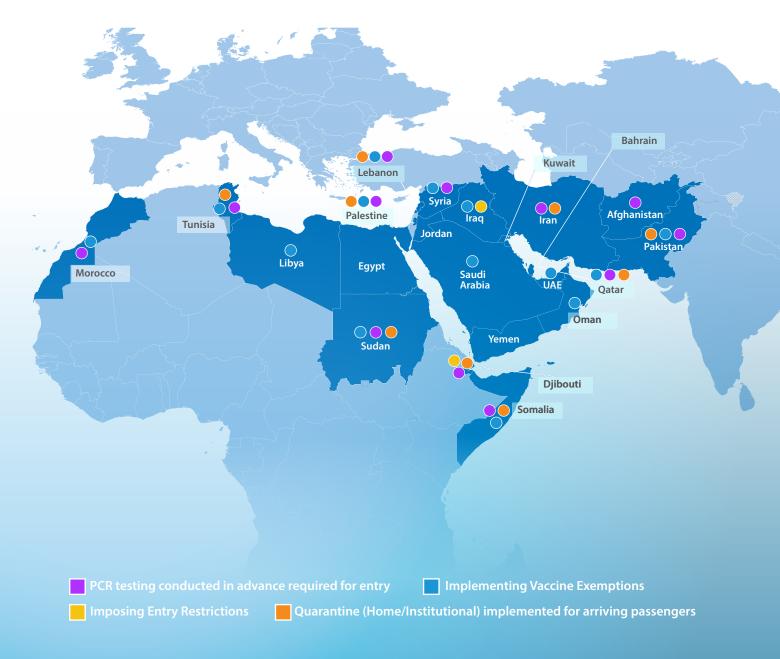
Travel restrictions in response to variants (1)

India (1):

Djibouti

Brazil (1):

South Africa (1):



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Jordan COVID-19 Travel Updates & Requirements

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Beginning March 1st, travelers to Jordan will no longer need to conduct a PCR test before departure to Jordan nor will they need to conduct a PCR test upon arrival at the airports, land borders or seaport.

All passengers are required to visit https://gateway2jordan.gov.jo to complete the required travel declaration form and obtain the QR code which is mandatory for boarding. Vaccinated travelers will need to show their vaccination certificate or proof of vaccination (full doses) upon check-in and to be uploaded to the platform (https://gateway2jordan.gov.jo). This QR code will also serve as proof of vaccination for fully vaccinated travelers upon arrival in Jordan and while traveling through the country.3. Proof of health/travel insurance that includes Covid-19 coverage is required for foreign nationals. Exemptions include: Medical Tourism Patients.

Useful links

For the latest updates and more information on measures and restrictions taken in Jordan, visit the links below:

www.Gateway2Jordan.gov.jo

Jordan Covid-19 Statistical Report - as of June 20, 2021

Reopening of the Public Sector 2021

https://corona.moh.gov.jo/en

COVID-19 PCR Testing Labs

https://www.moh.gov.jo/ - Ministry of Health daily briefings on Coronavirus in Jordan

Royal Jordanian Airlines Travel Restrictions & International Guidelines

The Royal Film Commission - Jordan (RFC) Film Production Protocols during & post COVID-19

Face the Nation with King Abdullah II of Jordan

For updates on the Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) for the tourism sector in Jordan:

Hotel Establishments

Tourist Transport

Tourist Restaurants

Tourist Camps

Tour Guides

Museums & Visitors Centers

Scuba Diving Centers, Tourist Boats & Water Parks

Antique Shops

Covid-19 and Trails Guidelines

Post COVID-19 Jordan Hotels Operational Protocols

Dead Sea Marriott Breakfast setup to meet COVID-19 safety standards (as of July 2020)

Grand Hyatt Amman activates contactless payment method

For COVID-19 travel industry updates:

US Tour Operator Association (USTOA)

Adventure Travel Trade Association (ATTA)

National Tour Association (NTA) American Society of Travel Advisors (ASTA) Association of Canadian Travel Agencies (ACTA)

WHO website on coronavirus:

https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019

WHO online training:

https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/training/online-training

WHO COVID-19 Situation reports:

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

New EPI-WIN website:

Access to timely, accurate, and easy-to-understand advice and information from trusted sources) www.who.int/epi-win

Web link to Farsi translations of WHO public awareness raising materialsforCOVID-19:

https://www.who.int/ar/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019-farsi/advice-for-public-farsi/

Protect yourself and others

http://www.emro.who.int/health-topics/corona-virus/protect-yourself-and-others.html

Myth busters

https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/advice-for-public/myth-busters

Travel health

https://www.who.int/news-room/articles-detail/key-considerations-for-repatriation-and-quarantine-of-travellers-in-re-lation-to-the-outbreak-of-novel-coronavirus-2019-ncov/

Videos

http://www.emro.who.int/health-topics/corona-virus/videos.html

Questions and answers

http://www.emro.who.int/health-topics/corona-virus/questions-and-answers.html

Technical guidance

https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/technical-guidance

HIV and COVID-19

https://www.unaids.org/en/resources/documents/2021/HIV_COVID-19_brochure

WHO Database of Publications on Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19)

https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/global-research-on-novel-coronavirus-2019-ncov

Worldometers Information on COVID-19 cases:

https://www.worldometers.info/coronavirus/

WHO COVID-19 Updates:

https://covid19.who.int

COVID-19 Health System Response Monitor

https://www.covid19healthsystem.org/mainpage.aspx

