

# Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Situation Report

Data as reported by national authorities by 24:00 local time 2 January 2021

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	Global		Eastern Mediterranean Region	
	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths
<b>Total</b>	82,579,768	1,818,849	4,957,344	121,664
<b>New</b>	1,779,444 in 3 days	34,615 in 3 days	71,922 in 3 days	1,325 in 3 days

## Kingdom of Bahrain

	Confirmed Cases	Recovered Cases	Deaths	Active Cases	Critical Cases	PCR Tests
<b>Total</b>	93,184	90,558	352	2,274	12	2,328,934
<b>New</b>	759 in 3 days	532 in 3 days	0 in 3 days	-	-	27,621 in 3 days

## HIGHLIGHTS

- Ministry of Health urges citizens and residents to register for COVID-19 vaccination and to view vaccination certificates via the 'BeAware' application.
- Violating Café, restaurant and tourism facilities are closed down and referred to court for breaching mandatory health measures against COVID-19.
- A suspect was handed down a one-year jail term for violating mandatory public health measures.
- President of Supreme Council for Health (SCH) inspected King Hamad University Hospital Vaccination Center.
- The World Health Organization listed Pfizer-BioNTech's Covid-19 vaccine for emergency use to speed up access in the developing world.
- Over 52,000 foreign expat workers of different nationalities have left Bahrain on chartered flights during the pandemic last year.
- Bahrain has not detected any cases of the variant Covid-19 strain spreading in other parts of the world.
- Bahrain is awaiting the arrival of the next shipment of coronavirus vaccines as its national vaccination campaign received an overwhelming positive response.
- Ministry of Health revealed that total number of individuals vaccinated as of 2 January 2021 is 60,097.
- WHO: New research helps to increase understanding of the impact of COVID19 for pregnant women and their babies; see link below.
- WHO: Guidance on Informing vaccination programs: a guide to the design and conduct of denguesero surveys; see link below.
- WHO: Responding to non-communicable diseases during and beyond the COVID-19 pandemic; see link below.
- WHO :Emergency Global Supply Chain System(COVID-19) catalogue; see link below.
- WHO: Interim guidance on Antigen-detection in the diagnosis of SARS-CoV-2 infection using rapidimmun assay; see link below.
- WHO: Global TB progress a trisk; see link below.
- WHO SAGE values framework for the allocation and prioritization of COVID-19 vaccination; see link below.
- WHO: interim guidance Operational considerations for COVID19 surveillance using GISRS; see link below.
- WHO: Statement by WHO Director of Programme Management on COVID-19 pandemic; see link below.
- WHO: As COVID19 spread accelerates, JHR Emergency Committee urges focus on measures that work; see link below.
- WHO: Thepush for aCOVID-19 vaccine; see link below.
- WHO-ICMRA joint statement on the need for improved global regulatory alignment on COVID-19 medicines and vaccines; see link below.
- WHO Living Guideline: The reapeutics andCOVID-19; see link below.
- WHO: Interim guidance on Diagnostics, therapeutics, vaccine readiness, and other health products for COVID-19; see link below.
- WHO: Evidence to recommendations: COVID-19 mitigation in the aviation sector; see link below.
- WHO: Health workforce policy and management in the context of the COVID-19 pandemic response; see link below.
- WHO: Checklist to support schools re-opening and preparation for COVID-19 resurgences or similar public health crises; see link below
- WHO: COVID-19 vaccine introduction and deployment costing tool; see link below.
- WHO: Emergency Use Designation of COVID-19 candidate vaccines: Ethical considerations for current and future COVID-19 place bo-controlled vaccine trials and trial unblinding; see link below.
- WHO: Considerations for implementing a risk-based approach to international travel in the context of COVID-19; see link below.
- WHO: Risk assessment tool to inform mitigation measures for international travel in the context of COVID-19; see link below.
- WHO: COVAX Announces additional deals to access promising COVID-19 vaccine candidates; plans global rollout starting Q1 2021; see link below.
- WHO: Rational use of personal protective equipment for coronavirus disease (COVID-19) and considerations during severe shortages; see link below.
- WHO issues its first emergency use validation for a COVID-19 vaccine and emphasizes need for equitable global access; see link below.

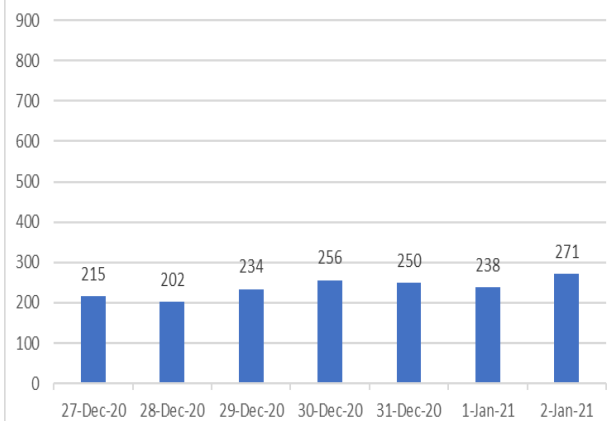
## IMPORTANT LINKS

- 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/coronavirus/situation-reports/20200817-weekly-epi-update-1.pdf?sfvrsn=b6d49b76\\_4](https://www.who.int/docs/default-source/coronavirus/situation-reports/20200817-weekly-epi-update-1.pdf?sfvrsn=b6d49b76_4)
- WHO: COVID-19 Dashboard: <https://covid19.who.int/>
- WHO: New research helps to increase understanding of the impact of COVID19 for pregnant women and their babies: <https://www.who.int/news-room/detail/01-09-2020-new-research-helps-to-increase-understanding-of-the-impact-of-covid-19-for-pregnant-women-and-their-babies>
- WHO: Guidance on Informing vaccination programs: a guide to the design and conduct of denguesero surveys: <https://www.who.int/publications/item/9789292451325219>
- WHO: Responding to non-communicable diseases during and beyond the COVID-19 pandemic : <https://bit.ly/25vds0r>
- WHO :Emergency Global Supply Chain System(COVID-19) catalogue: [https://www.who.int/publications/item/emergency-global-supply-chain-system-\(covid-19\)-catalogue](https://www.who.int/publications/item/emergency-global-supply-chain-system-(covid-19)-catalogue)
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- WHO: Statement by WHO Director of Programme Management on COVID-19 pandemic: <https://bit.ly/31050DF>
- WHO: As COVID19 spread accelerates, JHR Emergency Committee urges focus on measures that work : <https://bit.ly/3720i6>
- WHO: Thepush for aCOVID-19 vaccine :<https://bit.ly/3m3h3aa>
- WHO-ICMRA joint statement on the need for improved global regulatory alignment on COVID-19 medicines and vaccines: <https://bit.ly/3panKSM>
- WHO Living Guideline: The reapeutics andCOVID-19: <https://www.who.int/publications/item/therapeutics-and-covid-19-living-guideline>
- WHO: Interim guidance on Diagnostics, therapeutics, vaccine readiness, and other health products for COVID-19: [https://www.who.int/publications/item/WHO-2019-nCoV-HCF\\_assessment-Products-2020.1](https://www.who.int/publications/item/WHO-2019-nCoV-HCF_assessment-Products-2020.1)
- WHO: Evidence to recommendations: COVID-19 mitigation in the aviation sector: <https://www.who.int/publications/item/evidence-to-recommendation-covid-19-mitigation-in-the-aviation-sector>
- WHO: Health workforce policy and management in the context of the COVID-19 pandemic response: [https://www.who.int/publications/item/WHO-2019-nCoV-health\\_workforce-2020.1-eng.pdf](https://www.who.int/publications/item/WHO-2019-nCoV-health_workforce-2020.1-eng.pdf)
- WHO: Checklist to support schools re-opening and preparation for COVID-19 resurgences or similar public health crises: <https://www.who.int/publications/item/9789240017463>
- COVID-19 vaccine introduction and deployment costing tool: <https://www.who.int/publications/item/10665337553>
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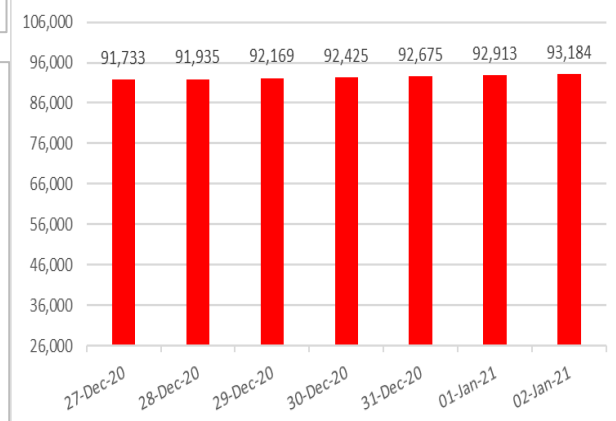
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Number of New Cases



Total Number of Cases



Number of New Deaths

