

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Situation Report

Data as reported by national authorities by 23:00 local time 30 June 2020

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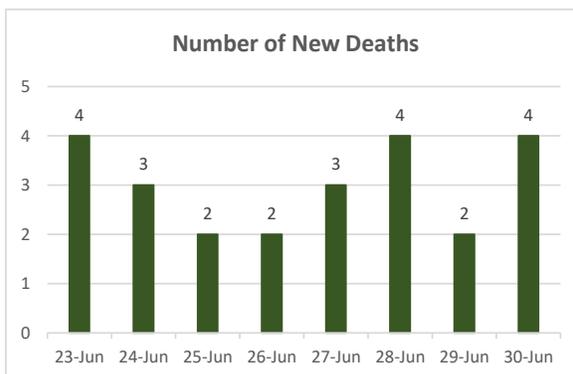
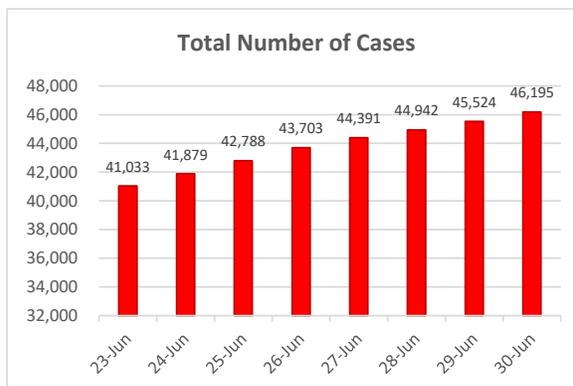
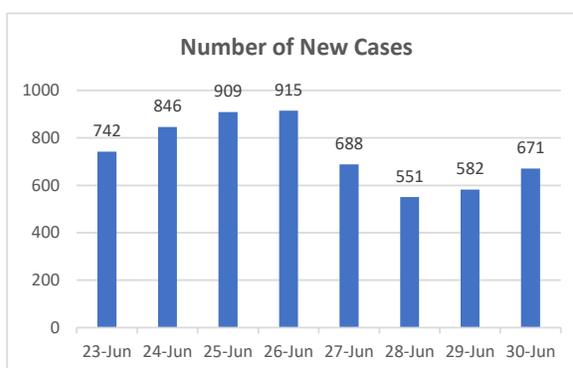
	Global		Eastern Mediterranean Region	
	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths
Total	10,185,374	503,862	1,058,055	24,423
New	163,865	3,946	16,281	535

State of Kuwait

	Confirmed Cases	Recovered Cases	Deaths	Active Cases	Critical Cases	PCR Tests
Total	46,195	37,030	354	8,811	139	386,887
New	671	717	4	-	-	4,045

HIGHLIGHTS

- Of the new cases, 435 (64.8%) are nationals.
- New infections by health area: Al Ahmadi (225), Al Jahra (138), Al Farwaniyah (122), Capital Area (102), and Hawally (84).
- 120 to 130 flights to operate daily from 1st August, incoming passengers to be subjected to PCR tests.
- Shops reopen their doors after a total lockdown of 3 months.
- MoH: Recovery rate reached 80.2%.
- Ministries complex takes precautionary health measures to receive staff and visitors.
- WHO updates criteria for releasing patients from isolation (see link below).
- WHO releases "WHO Academy" mobile application providing COVID-19 resources for health workers in 6 UN languages.
- WHO clarifies comments made earlier regarding COVID-19 transmission, See link below.



IMPORTANT LINKS

- **MoH update of COVID-19:**
<https://corona.e.gov.kw/en/>
- **WHO's COVID-19 global situation reports:**
<https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/situation-reports>
- **WHO prevention and management of COVID-19 across long-term care services:**
http://www.euro.who.int/__data/assets/pdf_file/0004/443605/Tech-guidance-6-COVID19-eng.pdf?ua=1
- **WHO update on releasing patients from isolation:**
<https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/criteria-for-releasing-covid-19-patients-from-isolation>
- **WHO clarification regarding transmission of COVID-19 by asymptomatic cases:**
<https://twitter.com/WHOEMRO/status/1270769638922768387>

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