

# Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Situation Report

Data as reported by national authorities by 23:00 local time 31 August 2020

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	Global		Eastern Mediterranean Region	
	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths
<b>Total</b>	25,118,689	844,312	1,915,275	50,778
<b>New</b>	264,107	5,385	11,728	312

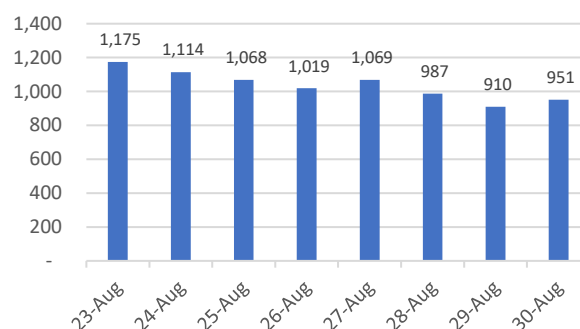
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	Confirmed Cases	Recovered Cases	Deaths	Active Cases	Critical Cases	PCR Tests
<b>Total</b>	315,772	290,796	3,897	21,079	1,552	NA
<b>New</b>	951	1,129	27	-	-	NA

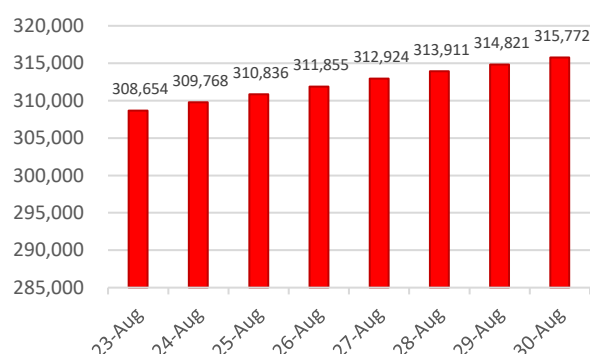
## HIGHLIGHTS

- Cities with highest new infections were: Makkah (76), Jeddah (65), Taif (48), Hufuf (41), Jazan (38), Riyadh (38), Madinah (35) and Tabouk (27).
- Recovery rate reaches 92.1%, while case fatality rate reaches 1.23%.
- WHO publishes updated guidance on home care for patients with suspected or confirmed COVID-19 and management of their contacts, see link.
- WHO and UNICEF provide advice on the use of masks for children in the community in the context of COVID-19, see link.
- WHO: Interim guidance on considerations for quarantine of contacts of COVID-19 cases with updates on ventilation and on the care of children in quarantine; see link.

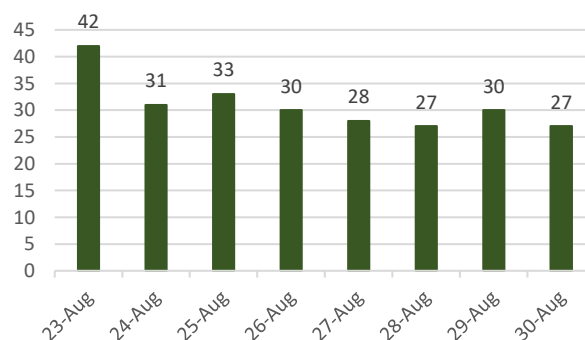
Number of New Cases



Total Number of Cases



Number of New Deaths



## IMPORTANT LINKS

- MoH COVID-19 updates: <https://twitter.com/saudimoh>
- WHO's COVID-19 global situation reports: <https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/situation-reports>
- WHO's COVID-19 dashboard: <https://covid19.who.int/>
- Ministry of Health COVID-19 Dashboard: <https://covid19.moh.gov.sa/>
- WHO publishes updated guidance on home care of COVID-19: [https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/home-care-for-patients-with-suspected-novel-coronavirus-\(ncov\)-infection-presenting-with-mild-symptoms-and-management-of-contacts](https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/home-care-for-patients-with-suspected-novel-coronavirus-(ncov)-infection-presenting-with-mild-symptoms-and-management-of-contacts)
- WHO and UNICEF: Advice on the use of masks for children in the community in the context of COVID-19 [https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/WHO-2019-nCoV-IPC\\_Masks-Children-2020.1](https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/WHO-2019-nCoV-IPC_Masks-Children-2020.1)
- WHO: Interim guidance on considerations for quarantine of contacts of COVID-19 cases with updates on ventilation and on the care of children in quarantine: <https://apps.who.int/iris/handle/10665/333901>

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