

# Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19)

## Situation Report No. 20 - Kingdom of Saudi Arabia



Data as reported by national authorities by 23:59 local time 3 April 2020

### HIGHLIGHTS

- Out of a total of 2,039 confirmed cases, a total of 351 recovered and were discharged, 41 are in critical condition and 4 died;
- Out of the new cases 3 were travel related, and 151 were contacts of cases;
- Distribution of new cases: 34 in Madinah, 30 in Jeddah, 21 in Makkah, 17 in Tabuk, 13 in Riyadh, 9 in Buraidah, and 6 in Qatif; the remaining cases are distributed in 12 other localities;
- The curfew in Dammam, Taif and Qatif has been extended, now it starts from 3pm and until 6 am;
- The Saudi Government decided to pay 60% of the salaries of Saudi citizens working in private sector facilities affected by the repercussions of COVID-19 instead of terminating their contracts, this will last for 3 months, it will benefit up to 1.2 million Saudi workers and can cost the Government up to SAR 9 billion.

### SITUATION IN NUMBERS

Total (new) cases in last 24 hours

#### Globally

972,303 confirmed (75,853)  
50,322 deaths (4,823)

#### Eastern Mediterranean Region

62,236 confirmed (4,068)  
3,439 deaths (160)

#### Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

2,039 confirmed (154)  
25 deaths (4)

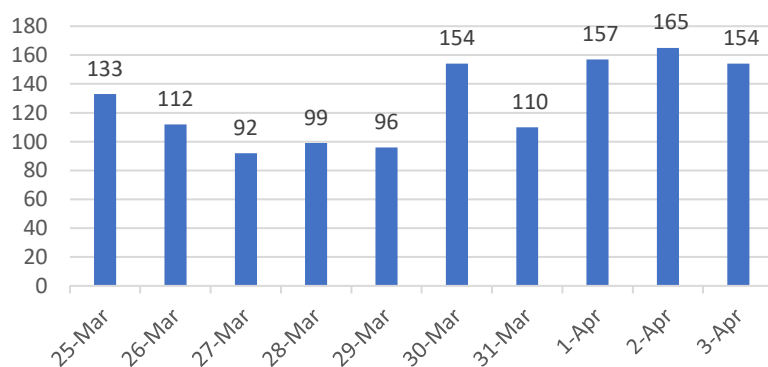
### IMPORTANT LINKS

- **Daily COVID-19 updates on MoH Twitter account:** <https://twitter.com/saudimoh>
- **WHO's COVID-19 global situation reports:** <https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/situation-reports>
- **Ministry of Health website:** <https://www.moh.gov.sa/en/Pages/default.aspx>
- **To download "Mawid" application, go to App store or Google play, the Ministry of Health web page:** <https://www.moh.gov.sa/en/Support/Pages/MobileApp.aspx>

### IMPORTANT CONTACTS

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Number of New Cases



Total Number of Cases

