

# Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Situation Report

Data as reported by national authorities by 23:00 local time 14 July 2020

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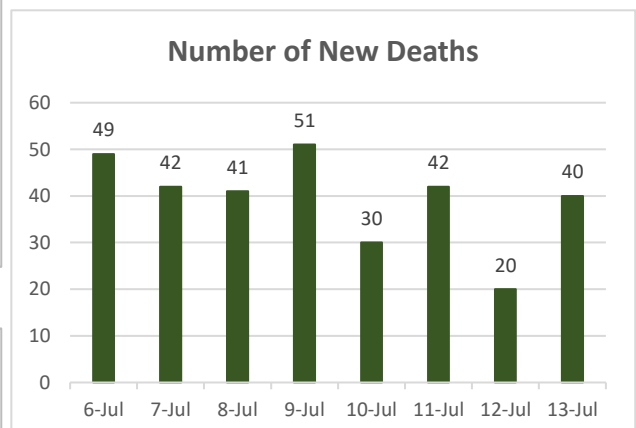
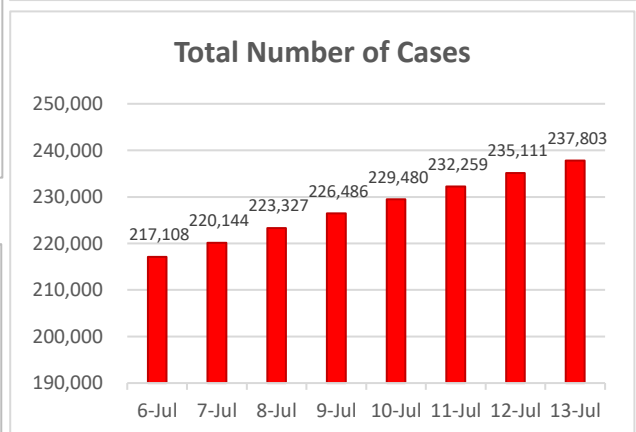
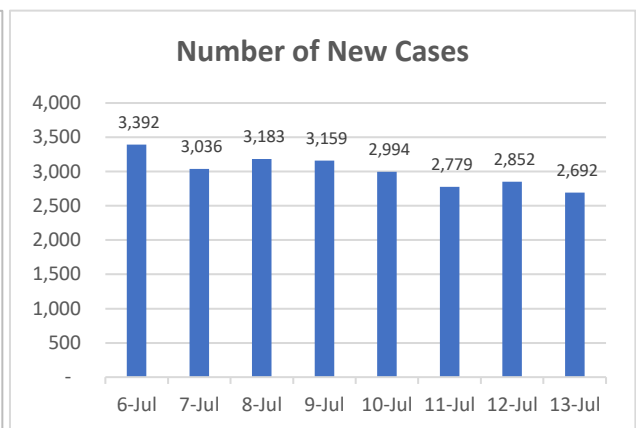
	Global		Eastern Mediterranean Region	
	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths	COVID-19 Cases	COVID-19 Deaths
<b>Total</b>	12,964 809	570,288	1,302,297	31,751
<b>New</b>	196,775	3,634	15,646	523

## Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

	Confirmed Cases	Recovered Cases	Deaths	Active Cases	Critical Cases	PCR Tests
<b>Total</b>	237,803	177,560	2,283	57,960	2,230	2,377,673
<b>New</b>	2,692	7,718	40	-	-	40,799

## HIGHLIGHTS

- 37% of the new cases are female and 10% are children.
- Cities with highest new infections are: Jeddah (263), Hufuf (220), Riyadh (211), Al Mubarraz (189), Abha (141), Dammam (134), Hail (112), Taif (97), and Makkah (81).
- In Tabuk: Inauguration of the drive-through test centre with daily capacity of 400 tests and the COVID-19 testing unit in King Fahd Specialist Hospital with daily capacity of 350 tests.
- MoH: 132 person with Coronavirus benefited from convalescent plasma treatment.
- UN report forecasts increase in hunger and malnutrition globally as a result of COVID-19; in 2019 it was estimated that 690 million people went hungry, by the end of 2020 the number may increase by an additional 130 million.
- WHO releases "WHO Academy" mobile application providing COVID-19 resources for health workers in 6 UN languages, see link below.
- WHO clarifies comments made earlier regarding COVID-19 transmission, See link below.



## 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>
- **Ministry of Health COVID-19 Dashboard:** <https://covid19.moh.gov.sa/>
- **Impact of COVID-19 on hunger:** <https://www.who.int/news-room/detail/13-07-2020-as-more-go-hungry-and-malnutrition-persists-achieving-zero-hunger-by-2030-in-doubt-un-report-warns>
- **WHO Academy:** <https://www.who.int/about/whoacademy/the-who-academy-s-covid-19-mobile-learning-app>
- **WHO clarification regarding transmission of COVID-19 by asymptomatic cases:** <https://twitter.com/WHOEMRO/status/1270769638922768387>

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