



Ministry of Health

NATIONAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE COMMITTEE ON

CORONAVIRUS

UPDATE ON COVID-19 IN THE COUNTRY AND RESPONSE

MEASURES, AS AT AUGUST 17, **2022**

DAY: 880

BRIEF NO: 870

PRESS STATEMENT

Today, **19** people have tested positive from a sample size of **1,262** tested in the last 24 hours. The positivity rate is now at **1.5%**. **15** of the cases are Kenyans while **4** are foreigners. **10** are female while **9** are male. The youngest is aged **4** years while the oldest is **78** years old. Total confirmed positive cases are now **337,985**

with cumulative tests so far conducted standing at **3,840,859**.

In terms of **County** distribution, **10** cases are from Nairobi, Uasin Gishu **5**, Kajiado **2**, Kiambu and Nakuru recording **1** case each.

Distribution of positive cases by age is as follows; 0-9 years **(1)**, 10-19 years **(0)**, 20-29 years **(3)**, 30-39 **(4)**, 40-49 **2)** 50-59 **(3)**, 60 years and above **(6)**.

Today, **20** patients have recovered from the disease, **all** from the Home Based and Isolation Care Program. This pushes the total recoveries to **332,1800** of whom **278,588** are from the Home-Based Care and Isolation program, while **53,592** are from various health facilities across the country.

No fatalities were recorded during the period under review so the cumulative fatalities remain at **5,673**.

Cumulative deaths by age are; 0-9 years **(62)**, 10-19 years **(44)**, 20-29 **(151)**, 30-39 years **(411)**, 40-49 years **(652)**, 50-59 years

(1,032), 60 years and above (3,321).

There are **25** patients currently admitted in our health facilities, while **107** are under the Home-Based Isolation and Care program. **6** patients are on supplemental oxygen, **1** in the Intensive Care Unit (ICU) while **5** are in General Wards.

VACCINATION:

As of August 16th 2022, a total of **20,920,745** vaccines have been administered across the country. Of these, **17,631,408** are doses administered to the adult population (18 years and above). An additional **1,887,620** are doses administered to those between 15 to 17 years, **329,132** are below 15 years but above 12 years while **1,072,585** are booster doses.

The total number of vaccines administered in the last 24 hours is **5,581** while the total number of people fully vaccinated over the last 24 hours stand at **2,051**. Proportion of adults fully vaccinated

was **34.3%**. The Government is working towards vaccinating a targeted population of **27,246,033** people.

The table below shows the total County cumulative trends and proportion of fully vaccinated.

No.	County	Number of adults fully vaccinated	Target Population above 18 years	% of fully vaccinated adults	No.	County	Number of adults fully vaccinated	Target Population above 18 years	% of fully vaccinated adults
1	Nyeri	272,731	510,028	53.5%	25	Bungoma	278,697	843,735	33.0%
2	Nairobi	1,590,581	3,052,494	52.1%	26	Nyandarua	123,953	376,776	32.9%
3	Kisumu	290,331	656,147	44.2%	27	Makueni	190,785	584,379	32.6%
4	Kakamega	433,040	982,838	44.1%	28	Kericho	165,338	508,980	32.5%
5	Siaya	234,365	536,031	43.7%	29	Meru	282,238	949,186	29.7%
6	Nyamira	141,250	341,397	41.4%	30	Elgeyo Marakwet	66,709	243,690	27.4%
7	Nakuru	514,392	1,273,265	40.4%	31	Nandi	132,395	492,652	26.9%
8	Laikipia	122,437	306,448	40.0%	32	Baringo	84,623	338,937	25.0%
9	Migori	220,169	557,657	39.5%	33	Lamu	19,626	83,433	23.5%
10	Taita Taveta	82,524	213,335	38.7%	34	Kitui	137,941	624,506	22.1%
11	Homa Bay	233,298	608,326	38.4%	35	Samburu	31,666	145,608	21.7%

12	Kirinyaga	157,250	413,708	38.0%	36	Turkana	101,686	468,878	21.7%
13	Muranga	253,283	675,364	37.5%	37	Kilifi	135,349	784,567	17.3%
14	Trans Nzoia	190,365	518,077	36.7%	38	Kwale	77,823	451,261	17.2%
15	Kiambu	593,440	1,623,545	36.6%	39	Bomet	76,522	465,963	16.4%
16	Kisii	252,944	697,445	36.3%	40	Narok	84,075	548,229	15.3%
17	Machakos	321,507	905,172	35.5%	41	West Pokot	41,517	283,727	14.6%
18	Uasin Gishu	240,988	693,570	34.7%	42	Garissa	54,232	399,358	13.6%
19	Kajiado	229,506	663,201	34.6%	43	Isiolo	17,525	133,358	13.1%
20	Vihiga	113,924	329,317	34.6%	44	Wajir	37,345	337,296	11.1%
21	Tharaka Nithi	84,943	246,699	34.4%	45	Tana River	16,590	151,051	11.0%
22	Busia	159,350	465,190	34.3%	46	Marsabit	22,884	219,170	10.4%
23	Mombasa	273,802	804,202	34.0%	47	Mandera	35,545	341,857	10.4%
24	Embu	132,898	395,980	33.6%	Total		9,354,382	27,246,033	34.3%

The following table shows the Booster doses administered in the Counties.

No.	County	Received Booster dose	No.	County	Received Booster dose
1	Nairobi	215,727	25	Tharaka Nithi	16,469
2	Nakuru	63,700	26	Machakos	13,612
3	Meru	57,733	27	Laikipia	13,520
4	Muranga	52,947	28	Nandi	10,486
5	Kisumu	43,967	29	Baringo	9,790
6	Kiambu	42,929	30	Kirinyaga	9,739

7	Homa Bay	41,209	31	Elgeyo Marakwet	8,518
8	Kisii	37,179	32	Turkana	7,958
9	Kajiado	35,154	33	Kilifi	7,597
10	Mombasa	30,913	34	Taita Taveta	4,873
11	Uasin Gishu	29,082	35	Samburu	3,330
12	Bungoma	27,078	36	Vihiga	3,308
13	Nyeri	26,445	37	Bomet	2,797
14	Migori	26,087	38	Lamu	2,532
15	Trans Nzoia	25,676	39	Narok	1,899
16	Siaya	25,400	40	Kwale	1,749
17	Kakamega	24,839	41	West Pokot	370
18	Makueni	24,484	42	Tana River	324
19	Nyamira	24,261	43	Garissa	289
20	Embu	21,969	44	Mandera	288
21	Kericho	20,893	45	Isiolo	263
22	Kitui	19,514	46	Wajir	157
23	Nyandarua	18,165	47	Marsabit	131
24	Busia	17,235		Total	1,072,585

I Thank You.

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