



COVID-19 SITUATION REPORT

BI-WEEKLY EPIDEMIOLOGICAL REPORT 01

Epi Week 17 – 18: 25th April – 8th May 2022

DATA AS REPORTED AND ACCURATE BY NCDC AS OF MIDNIGHT 8TH MAY 2022

HIGHLIGHTS

- This is the first bi-weekly epidemiological report in our COVID-19 Situation Report series
- In Week 17 & 18, the number of samples tested was **43,421**. These were reported in **36** states and FCT (Table 1).
- In Week 17 & 18, there were 118 (0.3%) new confirmed cases. These were reported in **8** states and FCT (Tables 1 & 2).
- In Week 17 & 18, the number of discharged cases was **44**.
- There was **no** death reported in the last two weeks (Tables 1 & 4).
- Cumulatively, since the outbreak began in Week 9, 2020, **255,817** cases and **3,143** deaths have been reported giving a case fatality rate (CFR) of **1.2%** (Tables 1 & 4).
- In Week 17 & 18, the number of in-bound international travellers tested was **1,150** of which **5 (0.4%)** were positive.
- In Week 17 & 18, the number of out-bound international travellers tested was **4,350** of which **15 (0.3%)** were positive.
- Worldwide, there has been **516,922,683** confirmed COVID-19 cases with **6,259,945** deaths giving a case fatality rate of **1.2%**.



Fig 1. Distribution of cases (Epi Weeks 17&18, 2022 only)

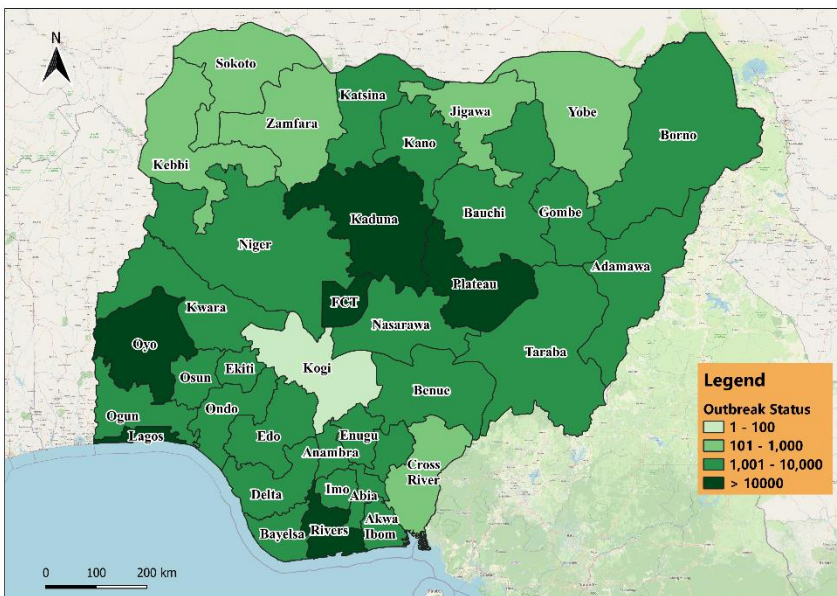


Fig 2. Distribution of cumulative cases as of Epi Weeks 17&18, 2022

GENERAL FACT SHEET – DATA AS OF 8TH MAY 2022

Table 1: States with reported laboratory-confirmed COVID-19 cases, recoveries, deaths, samples tested and active cases.

STATE	CONFIRMED		RECOVERIES		DEATHS		ACTIVE CASES	TESTING	
	Total	Last 2 Weeks	Total	Last 2 Weeks	Total	Last 2 Week		Total	Last Week
Abia	2,177	0	2,143	0	34	0	0	122,474	3,038
Adamawa	1,203	0	1,103	0	32	0	68	33,822	16
Akwa Ibom	4,657	0	4,586	0	44	0	27	118,204	207
Anambra	2,825	0	2,760	0	19	0	46	62,052	298
Bauchi	1,962	4	1,915	0	24	0	23	41,153	-
Bayelsa	1,315	0	1,282	0	28	0	5	42,051	7
Benue	2,129	0	1,764	0	25	0	340	55,026	8
Borno	1,629	0	1,580	0	44	0	5	29,307	89
Cross River	829	0	800	0	25	0	4	25,575	25
Delta	5,394	19	5,170	0	111	0	113	119,415	2,714
Ebonyi	2,064	0	2,004	0	32	0	28	40,504	21
Edo	7,694	0	7,373	0	321	0	0	175,635	999
Ekiti	2,004	0	1,926	0	28	0	50	125,180	7,651
Enugu	2,952	0	2,910	0	29	0	13	81,529	157
FCT	28,660	8	28,334	15	248	0	78	684,192	1,581
Gombe	3,307	0	3,158	0	66	0	83	117,047	539
Imo	2,560	0	2,480	0	58	0	22	92,331	624
Jigawa	669	0	649	0	18	0	2	32,508	416
Kaduna	11,277	19	11,187	20	90	0	0	204,676	1,528
Kano	4,994	8	4,853	0	126	0	15	163,578	334
Katsina	2,418	0	2,381	0	37	0	0	68,390	82
Kebbi	480	0	454	0	16	0	10	76,136	1,406
Kogi	5	0	3	0	2	0	0	16,562	4
Kwara	4,630	0	4,175	0	64	0	391	98,081	1,356
Lagos	99,385	45	98,062	0	769	0	554	1,303,273	10,561
Nasarawa	2,727	0	2,345	0	39	0	343	43,592	61
Niger	1,148	0	998	0	20	0	130	32,795	17
Ogun	5,810	0	5,717	0	82	0	11	130,703	543
Ondo	5,173	0	4,749	0	109	0	315	101,328	3,967
Osun	3,311	0	3,178	0	92		41	45,292	48

STATE	CONFIRMED		RECOVERIES		DEATHS		ACTIVE CASES	TESTING	
	Total	Last 2 Weeks	Total	Last 2 Weeks	Total	Last 2 Week		Total	Last Week
Oyo	10,225	4	10,018	1	202	0	5	127,089	439
Plateau	10,253	1	10,177	0	75	0	1	97,317	139
Rivers	16,677	10	16,491	8	154	0	32	471,245	3,540
Sokoto	817	0	789	0	28	0	0	85,534	364
Taraba	1,473	0	1,377	0	34	0	62	26,055	583
Yobe	609	0	600	0	9	0	0	34,271	58
Zamfara	375	0	366	0	9	0	0	18,547	1
Total	255,817	118	249,857	44	3,143	0	2,817	5,142,469	43,421

Test type disaggregation (last one week)

Type	Number of tests done	Percentage of tests done
PCR	20,748	47.8%
RDT	22,673	52.2%
TOTAL	43,421	

NB: 8,870 RDT testing figures are backlogs from 18th April – 1st May 2022

Test type disaggregation (cumulative)

Type	Number of tests done	Percentage of tests done
PCR	3,780,173	73.5%
RDT	1,362,296	26.5%
TOTAL	5,142,469	

PASSENGERS TESTS

Laboratories and COVID-19 tests for Returning and Outbound Persons of Interest

LABORATORY	INBOUND
Everight diagnostics (Imo)	125
MEDBURY	77
54Gene Abuja	64
54Gene Lagos	59
DNA labs Abuja	54
AFRIGLOBAL	48
CLINA-LANCET	47
FUNBELL	43
Cedarcrest Hospitals Abuja	42
BLUE COAT	39
MEDBURY MEDICAL SERVICES	28
SYNLAB	24
EHA Clinics	23
LIFE CENTER	23
ZAINE LAB	23
CLINIX HEALTHCARE	22
Everight diagnostics (Abuja)	21
ACCOUNS	19
ARRIVE ALIVE	18
BIOLOGIX	18
DDW	15
UNION DIAGNOSTICS	12
CLINA-LANCET LABORATORIES ABUJA	11
Edo Specialist Hospital	11
WESTEND HOSPITAL MOLECULAR LABORATORY	11
E-clinic & Diagnostics	9
Dexmian medical laboratory	8
WellMed	8
IFAIN	7
MEDICAID	7
THE LOVETT LAWSON MOLECULAR LAB	7
DemyHealth	6
IBOM MOLECULAR LABORATORY	6
Labcrest	6
HARLEY AND RAINBOW	6
TOTAL LAB	6
Arab Labs	5
LANDMARK DIAGNOSTICS	5
CoolSpring	5
EL-LAB MOLECULAR LAB	5
ME CURE	5
ABUAD MSH	4
DNA LAB	4
DNA LABS KADUNA	3
LIFEBRIDGE	3
NIZAMIYE	3
GRANDVILLE	2
54Gene Ogun	1
CENTOLAB	1
MEDI-COM LABORATORY	1
Genequest	1
The Specialist Lab	1
VCARE	1
TOTAL TESTS	1,003

LABORATORY	OUTBOUND
LIFE CENTER	502
MEDBURY	433
DNA labs Abuja	296
54Gene Lagos	246
DemyHealth	233
Everight diagnostics (Imo)	233
MEDBURY MEDICAL SERVICES	230
SYNLAB	187
ZAINE LAB	179
Cedarcrest Hospitals Abuja	139
54Gene Abuja	119
ARRIVE ALIVE	113
EHA Clinics	102
CLINIX HEALTHCARE	102
Everight diagnostics (Abuja)	87
VCARE	77
Genequest	62
EL-LAB MOLECULAR LAB	60
FUNBELL	55
BIOLOGIX	52
Edo Specialist Hospital	51
54Gene Ogun	49
UNION DIAGNOSTICS	47
CLINA-LANCET LABORATORIES ABUJA	45
Dexmian medical laboratory	45
ME CURE	44
IML	42
UNION DIAGNOSTICS IBADAN	39
MEDICAID	38
LANDMARK DIAGNOSTICS	35
DNA LAB	35
E-clinic & Diagnostics	30
ACCOUNS	29
DNA LABS KADUNA	27
NIZAMIYE	26
CoolSpring	25
HARLEY AND RAINBOW	23
Labcrest	20
WESTEND HOSPITAL MOLECULAR LABORATORY	18
Arab Labs	17
BLUE COAT	17
IFAIN	16
IBOM MOLECULAR LABORATORY	15
The GeneLab	14
The Specialist Lab	14
CENTOLAB	11
LIFEBRIDGE	11
Sahel Labs	11
Medbury Warri	10
TOTAL LAB	6
54Gene Kano	5
ACCUNALYSIS	5
THE LOVETT LAWSON MOLECULAR LAB	5
GRANDVILLE	5
LASUCOM	4
DDW	3
ONITSHA MEDICAL DIAGNOSTIC CENTRE	3
MEDILAG	2
ABUAD MSH	1
TOTAL TESTS	4,350

Highlights of Non-performing Public and Private Laboratories within the NCDC Lab Network

S/N	LABORATORY	STATE	PUBLIC/PRIVATE	CURRENT STATUS
1	UN IOM	Lagos	Corporate	Reporting but data not accessible
2	UN IOM	FCT	Corporate	Reporting but data not accessible
3	AKTH	Kano	Public	Not testing
4	UNIOSUN	Osun	Public	Not testing
5	OOUTH	Ogun	Public	Not testing
6	SSH	Kogi	Public	Testing but no report
7	PLASVREC	Plateau	Public	Testing but not sequential
8	BUK	Kano	Public	Testing but no report
9	ZANKLI GX lab	Nasarawa	Public	Testing but no report
10	YSSH	Yobe	Public	Not testing
11	UCTH	Cross River	Public	Not testing
12	TSSHJ	Taraba	Public	Testing but no report
13	USUMH	Borno	Public	Not testing
14	FMCK	Katsina	Public	Testing but no report
15	GH Kagarko	Kaduna	Public	Testing but no report
16	DLHMH	Cross River	Public	Not testing
17	FMCG	Zamfara	Public	Testing but no report
18	Sobi IDH	Kwara	Public	Testing but no report
19	NASIDARC	Nasarawa	Public	Testing but no report
20	YDMH Genexpert	Kaduna	Public	Testing but no report
21	GH Takum	Taraba	Public	Testing but no report
22	Mobile Truck GX	Kaduna	Public	Not testing
23	GH Saminaka	Kaduna	Public	Testing but no report
24	O2	Lagos	Private	Not testing
25	FMC Bida	Niger	Public	Not testing
26	NVRI	Plateau	Public	Not testing
27	ABU	Kaduna	Public	Not testing
28	JUTH	Plateau	Public	Testing but no report
29	YDMSH	Kaduna	Public	Testing but no report
30	FMC Birnin Kebbi	Kebbi	Public	Testing but no report
31	UNTH	Enugu	Public	Testing but no report
32	MOGID	Bauchi	Public	Testing but no report
33	BRM	Bauchi	Public	Testing but no report
34	BML	Bayelsa	Public	Testing but no report
35	GH Ikara	Kaduna	Public	Testing but no report
36	Warri Lab	Delta	Public	Testing but no report
37	Delta Mobile Lab	Delta	Public	Testing but no report
38	GAGH	Kaduna	Public	Testing but no report
39	FMC Makurdi	Benue	Public	Not testing
40	FMCI	Taraba	Public	Testing but no report
41	BDTH	Kaduna	Public	Testing but no report
42	SEZTBRL Amachara	Abia	Public	Testing but no report
43	161 NAFHL	Benue	Public	Testing but no report
44	FMC Owerri	Imo	Public	Testing but no report
45	COOUTH	Anambra	Public	Testing but no report
46	FMC OWO	Ondo	Public	Testing but no report
47	UBTH	Edo	Public	Testing but no report
48	FMC KEFFI	Nasarawa	Public	Testing but no report
49	Molecular Lab, Minna	Niger	Public	Testing but no report
50	UDUTH	Sokoto	Public	Testing but no report
51	SPIYDH	Kaduna	Public	Testing but no report
52	AML, Sagamu	Ogun	Private	Not testing
53	FMC Asaba	Delta	Public	Testing but no report
54	Ogun State Mol Lab	Ogun	Public	Testing but no report
55	AE-FETA	Ebonyi	Public	Testing but no report
56	UCH Ibadan	Oyo	Public	Testing but no report
57	SHAC	FCT	Public	Testing but no report
58	NNRHL Cal	Cross River	Public	Testing but no report
59	NNRHL Ojo	Lagos	Public	Testing but no report
60	161 NAFHL	Benue	Public	Testing but no report

NB: This refers to all testing not just travel-related testing

DAILY CONFIRMED CASES – DATA AS OF 8TH MAY 2022

Table 2: States with reported laboratory-confirmed COVID-19 cases daily over the last two weeks

CONFIRMED CASES	WEEK 17 - 18	25 th Apr	26 th Apr	27 th Apr	28 th Apr	29 th Apr	30 th Apr	1 st May	2 nd May	3 rd May	4 th May	5 th May	6 th May	7 th May	8 th May
	TOTAL	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Abia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Adamawa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Akwa Ibom	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Anambra	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bauchi	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0
Bayelsa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Benue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Borno	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cross River	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Delta	19	0	1	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Ebonyi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Edo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ekiti	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enugu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FCT	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	2	0	1	0
Gombe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Imo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jigawa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kaduna	19	0	0	2	8	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0
Kano	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	2	2
Katsina	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kebbi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kogi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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	TOTAL	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Kwara	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lagos	45	5	5	5	5	4	0	2	1	3	1	7	1	1	5
Nasarawa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Niger	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ogun	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ondo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Osun	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oyo	4	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Plateau	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rivers	10	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	2	0	0	0	0	2
Sokoto	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Taraba	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yobe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Zamfara	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	118	6	6	12	31	4	5	2	5	7	5	13	8	4	10

DAILY RECOVERIES – DATA AS OF 8TH MAY 2022

Table 3: States with reported case management confirmed COVID-19 recoveries daily over the last two weeks.

RECOVERIES	WEEK 17 - 18	25 th Apr	26 th Apr	27 th Apr	28 th Apr	29 th Apr	30 th Apr	1 st May	2 nd May	3 rd May	4 th May	5 th May	6 th May	7 th May	8 th May
	TOTAL	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Abia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Adamawa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Akwa Ibom	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Anambra	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bauchi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bayelsa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Benue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Borno	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cross River	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Delta	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ebonyi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Edo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ekiti	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enugu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FCT	15	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gombe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Imo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jigawa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kaduna	20	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	3	0	3	0	0	9
Kano	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Katsina	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kebbi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kogi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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	TOTAL	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Kwara	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lagos	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nasarawa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Niger	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ogun	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ondo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Osun	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oyo	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Plateau	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rivers	8	1	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	2	0	0
Sokoto	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Taraba	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yobe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Zamfara	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	44	1	2	1	4	15	0	3	0	4	0	3	2	0	9

DAILY FATALITIES – DATA AS OF 8TH MAY 2022

Table 4: States with reported COVID-19 fatalities daily over the last two weeks

DEATHS	WEEK 17 - 18	25 th Apr	26 th Apr	27 th Apr	28 th Apr	29 th Apr	30 th Apr	1 st May	2 nd May	3 rd May	4 th May	5 th May	6 th May	7 th May	8 th May
	TOTAL	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Abia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Adamawa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Akwa Ibom	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Anambra	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bauchi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bayelsa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Benue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Borno	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cross River	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Delta	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ebonyi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Edo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ekiti	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enugu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FCT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gombe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Imo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jigawa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kaduna	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kano	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Katsina	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kebbi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kogi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

DEATHS	WEEK 17 - 18	25 th Apr	26 th Apr	27 th Apr	28 th Apr	29 th Apr	30 th Apr	1 st May	2 nd May	3 rd May	4 th May	5 th May	6 th May	7 th May	8 th May
	TOTAL	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Kwara	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lagos	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nasarawa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Niger	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ogun	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ondo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Osun	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oyo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Plateau	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rivers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sokoto	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Taraba	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yobe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Zamfara	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

DAILY EPICURVE

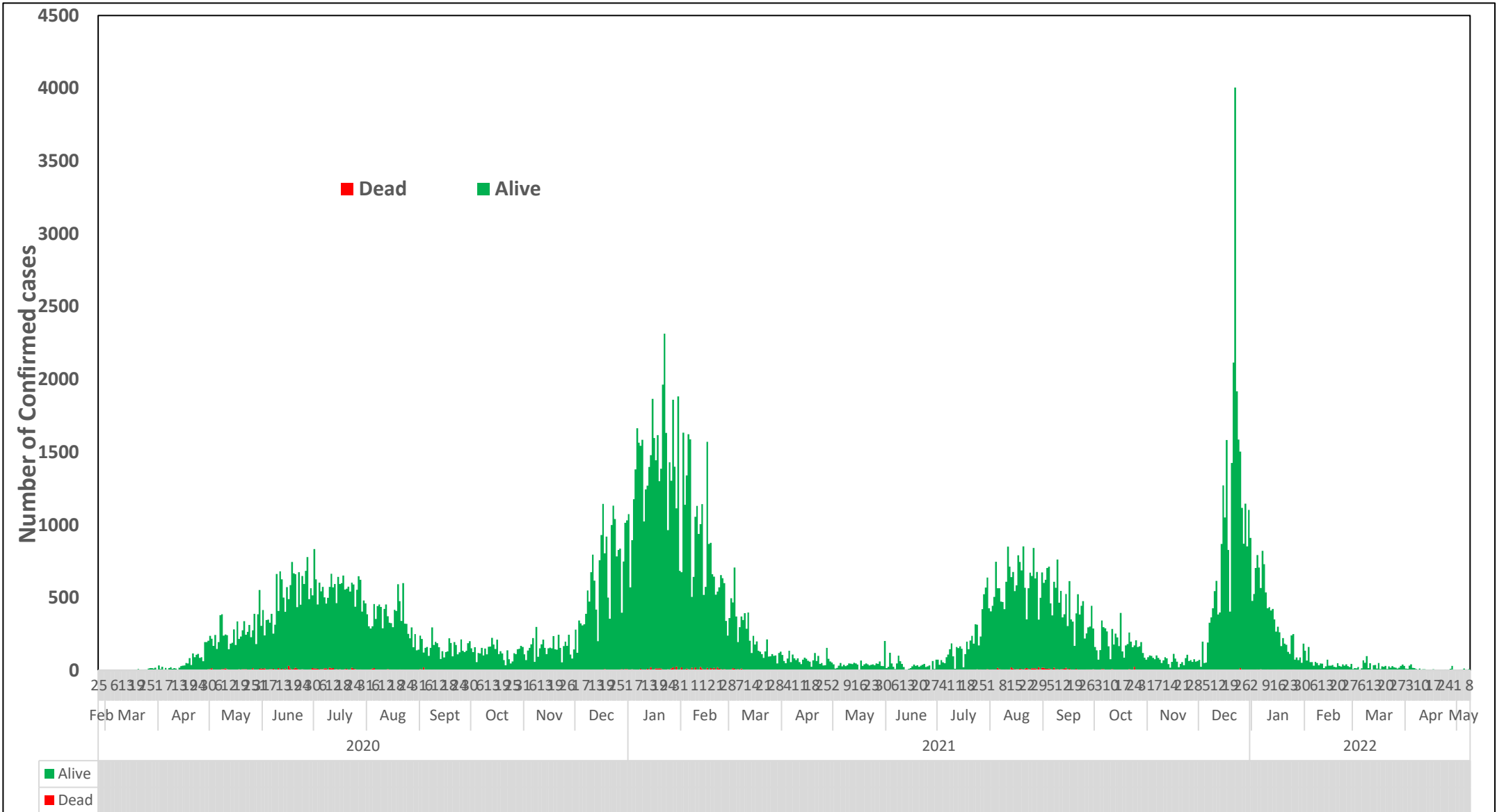


Figure 5: Daily epidemic curve of reported confirmed cases as of 8th May 2022

AGE-GENDER BREAKDOWN

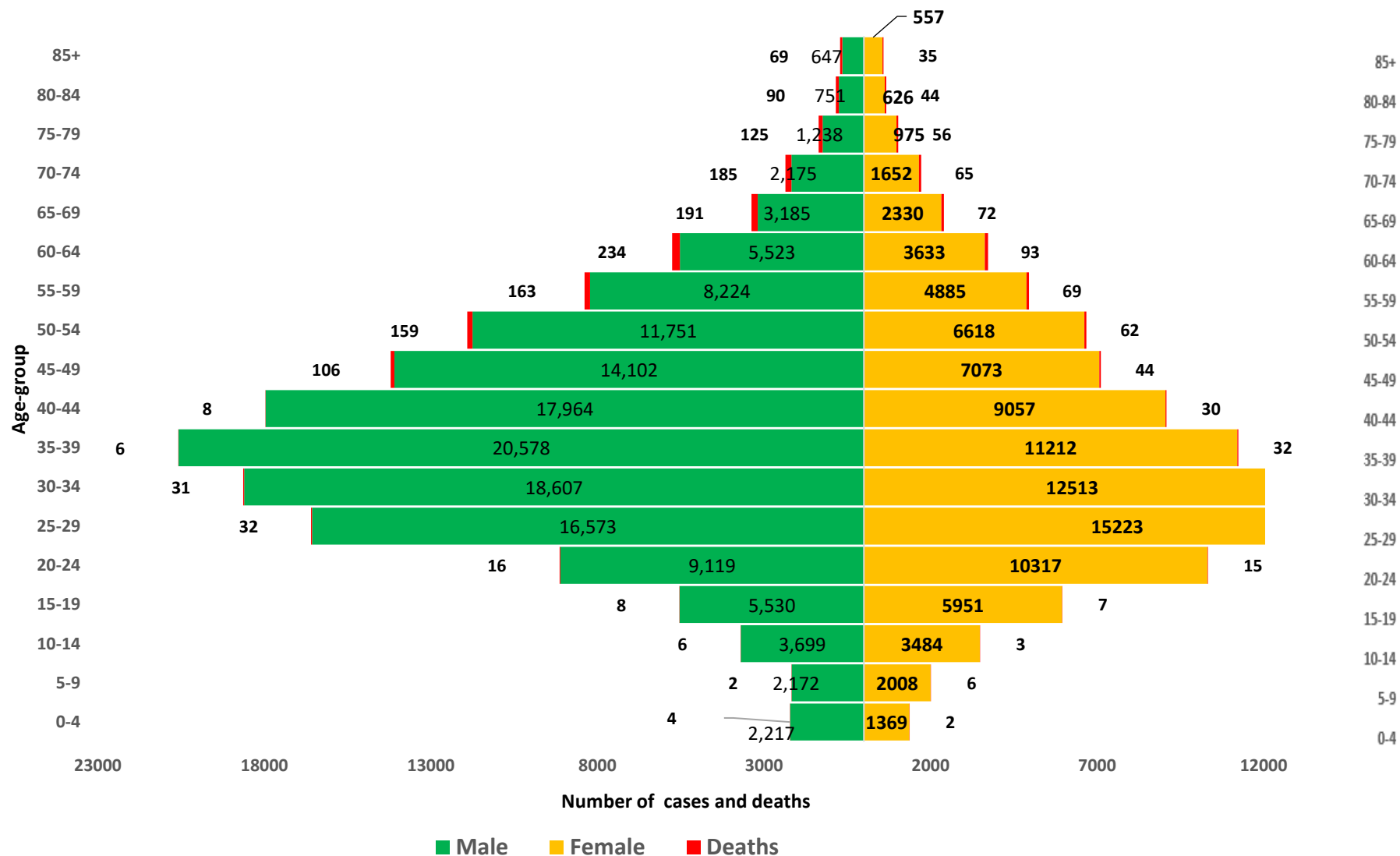


Figure 9: Age and gender distribution of cases and deaths (WK10, 2020 – WK18, 2022)

IN FOCUS: World Hand Hygiene Day

The COVID-19 pandemic has brought to the fore the importance of public health measures to control the spread of epidemic-prone diseases. One of these measures is hand hygiene. When properly and consistently done, hand hygiene reduces the risk of disease transmission between members of the public, patients and healthcare workers at health facilities, health outposts, sample collection centres etc. Hand hygiene has played a significant role in managing outbreaks and continues to do so in Nigeria's COVID-19 response.

In commemoration of World Hand Hygiene Day in 2019, the Nigeria Centre for Disease Control (NCDC) launched the Turn Nigeria Orange programme to provide support in strengthening infection prevention and control (IPC) practices in health facilities across the country. IPC practices including hand hygiene are practical evidence-based measures to reduce the risk of healthcare associated infections. NCDC has continued to standardise and institutionalise IPC practices in Nigeria including the publishing of a [COVID-19 IPC Recommendation](#).

This year, Hand Hygiene Day was observed on 5th May, 2022 with the Nigerian subtheme 'One Nation, One Plan; Turn Nigeria Orange!' emphasising on the earlier launched programme. This theme emphasises the importance of uniting to promote hand hygiene at all levels of healthcare delivery across the country. With the buy-in and support of healthcare workers, patients and their loved ones, we can develop safer healthcare practices.

Healthcare associated infections are a major public health issue in Nigeria affecting both health care workers and patients. Leaders, facility managers, health workers and people who access care are all key players in promoting a culture of hand hygiene at the point of care. We call on State Ministries of Health to provide the resources, training and programmes to enable the practice of adequate hand hygiene at all points of care.

Let's make proper hand hygiene a regular practice in Nigerian healthcare to keep our loved ones and communities safe.

RESPONSE

On 28th February 2020, a multi-sectoral Emergency Operations Centre EOC was activated at Level 3 which is the highest emergency level in Nigeria. This is led by the NCDC in close coordination with the State Public Health Emergency Operations Centres and through the deployment of 62 Rapid Response Teams to states. The EOC presently operates at response level 2 and current response activities include:

- **Ongoing data collection on the study “Burden of COVID-19 among health care workers (BCHW) assessing vaccine coverage and effectiveness, infection, risk factors, working experiences and one-health implications: a mixed methodology, multisite international study”**
- **Conducted World Hand Hygiene Day celebration across Nigeria**
- **Disseminated messages on hand hygiene to health facilities**
- **Ongoing COVID-19 strengthening of health facilities in the surge testing states - Abia, Akwa Ibom, Edo, Ekiti, Kwara, Kebbi, Ondo and Sokoto as part of the sustainability plans develop by the state**
- **Supported Ekiti and Kwara States Ministries of Health with RDT kits for increased testing**

- **Supported AIDS Prevention Initiative in Nigeria, FCT with laboratory diagnostic tools and consumables**
- **Supported Akwa Ibom and Gombe States' Ministries of Health with RDT kits for increased testing**
- **Ongoing 4 days training of NCDC media spokespersons**
- **Ongoing media monitoring and social listening for COVID-19 updates and misinformation**
- **Reviewed and disseminated the Frequently Asked Questions on travel protocol for COVID-19 response**
- Ongoing analysis of the COVID-19 response checklist that was deployed to states
- Continued engagement with states to ensure regular reporting and response continuity
- Continued roll out of antigen based rapid diagnostic test kits in collaboration with partners
- Continued tracking and collation of data from states for strategic coordination
- Ongoing data collection for COVID-19 vaccine effectiveness study in collaboration with National Primary Health Care Development Agency (NPHCDA) and the World Health Organisation
- Conducted oxygen assessment and advocacy visit to National Agency for Food Drug Administration and Control, Standard Organization of Nigeria, and Air Liquide in Lagos
- Conducted technical evaluation of synchronization issues on SORMAS mobile application in 18 states
- Ongoing active case finding and contact tracing in 15 states
- Continued follow up with states for daily reporting, contact tracing and key challenges
- Ongoing enhanced surveillance at points of entry
- Reviewed IPC COVID-19 online training modules to incorporate other IPC issues
- Ongoing integration of COVID-19 packages into other disease specific trainings and community sensitization
- Ongoing monitoring and supervision of healthcare activities across health facilities
- Ongoing collaboration with Institute of Chartered Accountants of Nigeria and College of Medicine University of Lagos in the delivery of the IPC intermediate course for healthcare workers across the country
- Ongoing COVID-19 laboratory audit across the laboratory network in the country
- Suspension of the addition of labs to the network (optimization/activation) in general although requests are still considered on a case-by-case basis
- Ongoing COVID-19 surge testing scale-up project in Abia, Akwa Ibom, Edo, Ekiti, Kwara, Kebbi, Ondo and Sokoto States
- Ongoing review and finalization of the National COVID-19 testing strategy
- Ongoing sequencing of positive samples among travellers to Nigeria and positive cases detected in-country, at the National Reference Laboratory, Gaduwa
- Completed nationwide PPE and other commodities prepositioning to treatment and sample collection centres and other health facilities in Adamawa, Gombe, Jigawa, and Zamfara States
- Ongoing quarterly commodity monitoring and stock verification exercise to reconcile data across states, check available stock balance and utilisation records
- Ongoing prepositioning of PPE and commodities at the sub-national level for labs, treatment centres, sample collection centres and other relevant facilities as preparedness for surge in cases
- Continued offsite support to state health promotion officers
- Continued support to NPHCDA in the COVID-19 vaccination campaign

- Ongoing media appearances on radio and television

PREPAREDNESS

Since the confirmation of the first case on 27th February 2020, the NCDC has released advisories, guidelines, and statements to help Nigerians and affected groups to respond to the pandemic:

- Presidential Steering Committee on COVID-19 updated the Implementation Guidelines for Easing COVID-19 Restrictions: [http://covid19.ncdc.gov.ng/media/files/F5 -
IMPLEMENTATION GUIDELINES Ako.pdf](http://covid19.ncdc.gov.ng/media/files/F5_-_IMPLEMENTATION_GUIDELINES_Ako.pdf)
- NCDC revised and updated the [Nigeria International Travel Portal \(NITP\)](#)
- Presidential Steering Committee on COVID-19 updated the international travel protocol: http://covid19.ncdc.gov.ng/media/files/Revised_Travel_protocol_revised_2nd_April_2022.pdf
- Celebrate Responsibly Campaign: [NCDC Intensifies COVID-19 Awareness ahead of the Yuletide](#)
- NCDC issued a press release on the [detection of the first confirmed cases of omicron variant of SARS-CoV-2 in Nigeria](#)
- NCDC revised and updated the [Nigeria International Travel Portal \(NITP\)](#)
- Presidential Steering Committee on COVID-19 released a press statement on [Revised International Travel Protocol into Nigeria](#)
- NCDC published [COVID-19 safety guidelines for Conferences and Events in Nigeria](#)
- NCDC issued a press release on the [detection of the first confirmed case of delta variant of SARS-CoV-2 in Nigeria](#)
- Presidential Steering Committee on COVID-19 reviewed and published [Travel advisory for passengers arriving Nigeria from Brazil, India and Turkey to include South Africa](#)
- Presidential Steering Committee on COVID-19 published [Travel advisory for passengers arriving Nigeria from Brazil, India and Turkey](#)
- Presidential Steering Committee on COVID-19 published [Implementation guidelines for phased restriction of movement](#)
- NCDC published [One year of COVID-19 response in Nigeria](#)
- NCDC and NIMR publish [findings of COVID-19 household seroprevalence surveys in four states of Nigeria](#)
- NCDC published a [Statement on variants of SARS-CoV-2 in Nigeria](#)
- The Federal Ministry of Education (FME) and partners, PTF and NCDC have developed: [Guidance for integrated safe school re-opening 26th January 2021](#)
- COVID-19 Health Protection Regulation signed by President Muhammadu Buhari on 26th January 2021: [Coronavirus Disease \(COVID-19\) Health Protection Regulations 2021](#)
- NCDC published an updated [community case definitions for coronavirus disease 2019](#)
- The Federal Ministry of Health and NCDC published [COVID-19 Patient's handbook for home-based care in Nigeria](#)
- NCDC published an updated [case definitions for coronavirus disease](#)
- NCDC published [Guidance for the use of approved COVID-19 antigen-based rapid diagnostic tests in Nigeria](#)
- Update of [travel protocols](#) for all travellers into Nigeria from [UK and South Africa](#)
- NCDC recently launched the [Celebrate Responsibly](#) campaign in response to the increase in cases of coronavirus disease (COVID-19) and poor adherence to public health and social measures across the country: [Celebrate Responsibly and Save Lives – New Awareness Campaign for the Yuletide Season](#)
- Ahead of the Christmas and end of year festivity, NCDC published the [End-of-Year Travel Advisory on COVID-19](#)

- NCDC recently launched the [COVID-19 blog](#) for telling the stories of Nigeria's response to the COVID-19 pandemic.
- NCDC published guidelines on 2020 National Youth Service Corps (NYSC) Orientation Camp activities in conjunction with PTF and NYSC: [Guidelines on 2020 National Youth Service Corps \(NYSC\) Orientation Camp activities](#)
- NCDC published guidance on the use of antigen RDTs: [Guidance on the use of Antigen Rapid Diagnostic Kits for diagnosis of SARS-CoV-2 infection in Nigeria](#)
- NCDC published guidance on safe school re-opening: [Public Health guidance for Safe School re-opening in Nigeria](#)
- NCDC published second interim guidance – Infection Prevention and Control: [Recommendations during health care provision for suspected and confirmed cases of COVID-19](#)
- NCDC recently published the first edition of a quick reference guide on setting up sample collection centre - [A step by step guide on setting up a sample collection centre](#)
- NCDC has launched an online course on [Infection, Prevention and Control \(IPC\) for COVID-19](#) NCDC eLearning platform
- Ahead of forthcoming elections in the country, NCDC has issued [Guidelines for Conducting Elections During the COVID-19 Outbreak in Nigeria](#).
- To protect our elders, and those with pre-existing medical conditions, NCDC has issued an [Advisory for Vulnerable Groups](#).
- NCDC has released [guidelines on the re-opening of places for worship](#).
- NCDC has released [Strategies to Improve Surveillance for COVID-19 Guidance for States](#)
- The Nigeria Police Force has released COVID-19 operational guidelines for the [Police and other Law Enforcement Agencies](#) in Nigeria
- Guidelines have been issued for the [safe transportation of remains of persons suspected or confirmed to have died of COVID-19](#)
- Information on diagnostics of the COVID-19 virus can be found in our [detailed FAQ document](#).
- To increase our testing capacity, NCDC has issued guidelines for the [integration of private labs](#).
- Guidelines for [businesses and employers](#) have been updated.
- NCDC has updated its [case definition](#) , [community case definition](#) and [case management guide](#).
- NCDC releases periodic [public health advisories](#) to Nigerians on the COVID-19 disease.
- To adhere to post-lockdown measures, NCDC has released an [advisory on the use of face masks](#), as well as information on the [Use of Cloth face masks](#) and [how to make your cloth face masks](#).
- NCDC has released guidelines for the [management of pregnant women and nursing mothers](#) during the pandemic.
- To address burials of loved ones who die from COVID-19, guidelines have been issued to advise on the [safe burials](#)
- For health centres managing cases, the following documents have been released- a guideline for the [Rational Use of Personal Protective Equipment in the care of COVID-19 cases](#).
- As part of plans to increase the testing capacity of the country, the NCDC published a [National Strategy to Scale Up Access to Coronavirus Disease Testing in Nigeria](#) document.
- The Presidential Task Force has published policies and announcements on COVID-19 [available on the website of the Presidency](#) – including presidential addresses, task force updates and information on livelihood and economic support.

INFORMATION RESOURCES

- Nigeria Centre for Disease Control: www.covid19.ncdc.gov.ng | www.ncdc.gov.ng
- Nigerian Presidency Website on COVID-19: www.statehouse.gov.ng/COVID19
- WHO Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) Dashboard (**source for global updates**) <https://covid19.who.int/>