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A COVID-19 Philippine Situationer

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Active Cases as of 22 July 2020 (net of recoveries and deaths)

46,803 +1,246 Total Cases as of 22 July 2020 **72,269** +1,594



Breakdown of Active Cases



A patient with an RT-PCR confirmed case of COVID-19 without symptoms.



A patient with mild symptoms and stable vital signs. Unless the patient belongs to high-risk subgroups or has comorbidities, they are often not admitted to a treatment facility.



A patient with difficulty breathing, altered mental status, considered high-risk or in need of hospital care.



A patient with impending or ongoing respiratory failure, in need of mechanical ventilation, or with evidence of end-organ damage.

Note. A person who is classified as having a mild case of COVID-19 but is considered high-risk due to age or the presence of comorbidities must be admitted to a treatment facility. Severe or critical cases must be admitted to a treatment facility, regardless of inclusion in high-risk subgroups or presence of comorbidities.

958

Probable Cases as of 14 July 2020*

Previously termed as PUIs (mild or critical) with inconclusive or unofficial test results.

37,951

Suspect Cases as of 14 July 2020*

Previously termed as PUIs (mild or critical) with no test done or awaiting test results.

*Includes suspect and probable cases in different health facilities, including the LIGTAS COVID facilities, as reported by the Regional Epidemiology and Surveillance Unit.

Top regions by active cases

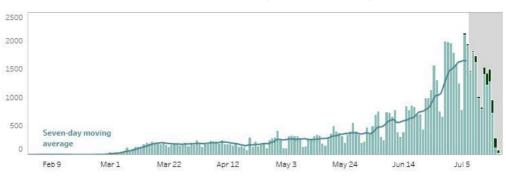
NCR	24,924
Region VII: Central Visayas	8,253
Region IV-A: CALABARZON	3,734
Region III: Central Luzon	1,057
Region VI: Western Visayas	615
Region XI: Davao Region	460
Region X: Northern Mindanao	445
Region IX: Zamboanga Peninsula	372
Region V: Bicol Region	248
BARMM	215

Top Regions by New Cases

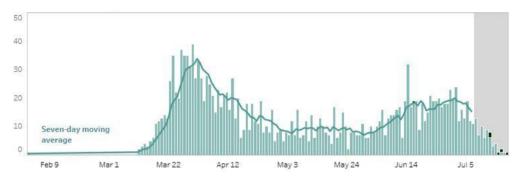
NCR	971
Region VII: Central Visayas	256
Region IV-A: CALABARZON	69
Region III: Central Luzon	54
Region IX: Zamboanga Peninsula	54
Region VI: Western Visayas	46
Region X: Northern Mindanao	42
Region IV-B: MIMAROPA	20
Region II: Cagayan Valley	19
Region XII: SOCCSKSARGEN	17

Note. Data on healthcare workers affected by COVID-19, testing capacity by laboratory, equipment utilization, and LIGTAS COVID facilities will be included in the full situational report every Sunday.

CONFIRMED CASES BY DATE OF ONSET OF ILLNESS (NATIONWIDE)



CONFIRMED DEATHS BY DATE OF DEATH (NATIONWIDE)



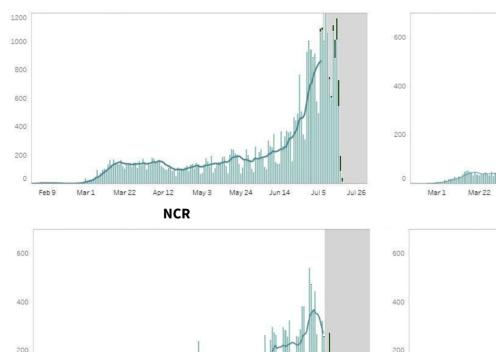
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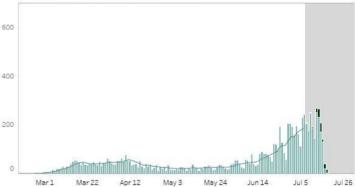
1. Bars with dark green colors indicate the actual date of onset or date of death for newly-reported cases.

2. In cases where date of onset of illness is unreported, date of specimen collection was used as proxy. Cases that do not have both are not accounted for in the date of onset histogram. As of this situation report, around 10% of cases have unreported dates of specimen collection and onset of illness.

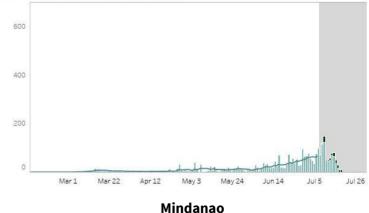
3. Owing to delays in reporting, case counts within the gray area are still incomplete. Hence, we urge caution in interpreting data beyond this 14-day cutoff. Rest assured that the DOH continues to work tirelessly to ensure the timely reporting of accurate data.

CONFIRMED CASES BY DATE OF ONSET OF ILLNESS (DISAGGREGATED)









Notes.

Feb 9

Mar 1

Mar 22

Apr 12

Visayas

1. Bars with dark green colors indicate the actual date of onset or date of death for newly-reported cases.

Jun 14

Jul 5

2. The cases from the "NCR" graph have been separated from cases of the "Luzon" graph.

May 24

May 3

3. Owing to delays in reporting, case counts within the gray area are still incomplete. Hence, we urge caution in interpreting data beyond this 14-day cutoff. Rest assured that the DOH continues to work tirelessly to ensure the timely reporting of accurate data.

Jul 26

COVID-19'S CAPACITY TO SPREAD (R, VALUE)





The time-varying **reproduction number** (R_t) indicates the possible number of people being infected by a sick person, at a specific time with control measures in place.

IMPORTANT NOTE. The reproduction number is measured using symptom onset, we do not include in the interpretation the past 14-16 days given the time between symptoms, health seeking, testing, and reporting. When interpreting the reproduction number keep in mind that it is a **lagging indicator**. Please do not expect this number to change daily.

- The reproduction number (\mathbf{R}_{t}) was around 2 early on in the outbreak. This meant that each confirmed person with COVID was infecting 2 other people.
- Based on the latest data, we are 95 percent confident that $R_t = 1.04 \pm 0.02$, which means each infected individual was infecting an average of 1.04 other persons **around two weeks ago**.
- Lowering this value is made possible through efforts such as social distancing, wearing of PPE, and other means to stop the spread of the virus.
- The goal is for **R**, to be less than 1 and sustain it, which would mean that, on average, an infected person is infecting less than one person, eventually stopping the transmission of COVID-19.

TOP SEA COUNTRIES BY CONFIRMED CASES

	Indonesia	91,751
>	Philippines	72,269
C:	Singapore	48,744
(•	Malaysia	8,831
	Thailand	3,261
\star	Vietnam	408
	Cambodia	197
-	Brunei	141
•	Laos	19

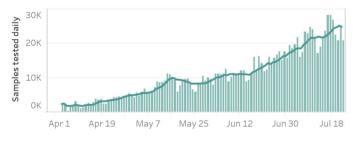
UTILIZATION OF COVID-19 BEDS



Note. The number of confirmed severe and critical cases may not necessarily correspond to occupancy of ICU beds and mechanical ventilators as suspect and probable cases in severe or critical condition also utilize these resources. Facilities which did not submit a daily utilization report have their most recent carry over to today.

DAILY TESTING STATISTICS AS OF 22 JULY 2020 (WEDNESDAY)

Daily Testing Output (Nationwide)



Report Date

Daily Testing Statistics as of 22 July 2020 (Wednesday)

Samples Tested	20,950
Individuals Tested	19,757
Positive Tests	2,293
Positivity Rate	11.6%
Testing Backlogs	2,485
Compliance of Labs	73/86

Cumulative Testing Output

Samples tested	1,239,376
Individuals Tested	1,154,206
Positive Tests	100,407
Positivity Rate	8.7%

Daily Positivity Rate



Notes.

 The DOH is continuously validating the number of positive individuals as reported by the laboratories. When necessary, they are deduplicated. As such, the discrepancy with the number of confirmed cases does not necessarily reflect backlogs in case validation.
 Please visit www.doh.gov.ph/covidtracker for details regarding the testing output per laboratory.

3. A 6 PM cut-off for the situation report is used, and so the numbers presented here are not yet final. A few laboratories submit data between 6 PM and the time the public data drop is generated.

STATUS OF LABORATORY LICENSING as of 22 July 2020



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NO. OF LICENSED RT-PCR LABORATORIES NO. OF LICENSED GENEXPERT LABS TOTAL NO. OF LABORATORIES APPLYING FOR LICENSE*

% APPLICATIONS AT STAGE 3 AND 4*

*Facilities using GeneXpert machines included.

Licensed RT-PCR Laboratories

	NAME OF HEALTH FACILITY OR LABORATORY	REGION
1	Baguio General Hospital and Medical Center	CAD
2	Parkway Medical and Diagnostic Center	CAR
3	Asian Hospital & Medical Center	
4	Chinese Gen. Hospital	
5	De Los Santos Medical Center	
6	Detoxicare Molecular Diagnostics Laboratory	
7	Dr. Jose B. Rodriguez Memorial Hospital and Sanitarium	
8	Fe del Mundo Medical Center	
9	Health Delivery Systems	
	Hi-Precision (QC)	
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11	Lung Center of the Philippines	
12	Makati Medical Center	
13	Marikina Molecular Diagnostic Laboratory	
14	National Kidney and Transplant Institute	
15	Philippine Airport Diagnostic Laboratory	
16	Philippine Children's Medical Center	
17	Philippine Genome Center UP-Diliman	NCR
18	Philippine Red Cross - National Blood Center	
19	Philippine Red Cross - Port Area	
20	PNP Crime Laboratory	
21	PRC - PRC Logistics and Multipurpose Center	
22	Research Institute for Tropical Medicine	
23	Safeguard DNA Diagnostics, Inc.	
24	San Lazaro Hospital	
25	San Miguel Foundation Testing Laboratory	
26	Singapore Diagnostic, Inc.	
27	St. Luke's Medical Center - BGC	
28	St. Luke's Medical Center- QC	
29	The Medical City - Ortigas	
30	Tropical Disease Foundation	
31	UP National Institutes of Health	
32	UP-Philippine General Hospital-Medical Research Laboratory	
33	Victoriano Luna Medical Center - AFRIMS - Collaborative Molecular Laboratory	
34	Ilocos Training Regional Medical Center	
35	Mariano Marcos Memorial Hospital	
36	Bataan General Hospital	
37	Green City Medical Center	
38	J B. Lingad Memorial Hospital	
39	Philippine Red Cross - Logistics and Training Center	
40	Philippine Red Cross Clark Molecular Laboratory	
41	Qualimed Hospital - San Jose Del Monte	
42	DLSU - Cavite	IV-A
43	Laguna Provincial Hospital - San Pablo District Hospital Lucena United Doctors Hospital and Medical Center	

	NAME OF HEALTH FACILITY OR LABORATORY	REGION
45	Mary Mediatrix Medical Center	
46	Ospital ng Imus	
47	PRC- Batangas Chapter Molecular Laboratory	IV-A
48	Qualimed Hospital Sta. Rosa	
49	UPLB COVID-19 Molecular Laboratory	
50	Bicol Regional Diagnostic and Reference Laboratory	V
51	Corazon Locsin Montelibano Memorial Regional Hospital	
52	Qualimed Health Network - Iloilo	VI
53	Teresita Jalandoni Provincial Hospital	VI
54	Western Visayas Medical Center	
55	Allegiant Regional Care Hospital	
56	Cebu TB Reference Laboratory	
57	Philippine Red Cross - Cebu Chapter	
58	Prime Care Alpha Covid-19 Testing Laboratory	V11
59	University of Cebu Medical Center	
60	Vicente Sotto Memorial Medical Center	
61	Divine Word Hospital	VIII
62	Eastern Visayas Regional COVID-19 Testing Center	
63	Ciudad Medical Zamboanga	IX
64	Zamboanga City Medical Center-Department of Agriculture Satellite Laboratory for COVID-19 Testing	
65	Northern Mindanao TB Regional Center	v
66	Polymedic Medical Plaza	X
67	Davao One World Diagnostic Center Incorporated	XI
68	Southern Philippines Medical Center	

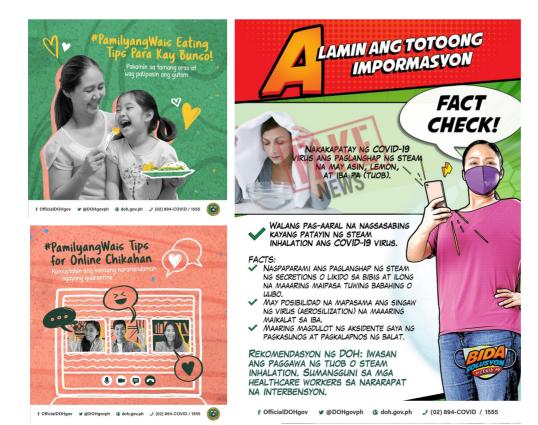
Licensed Cartridge-based PCR or GeneXpert Laboratories

	NAME OF HEALTH FACILITY OR LABORATORY	REGION
1	Amai Pakpak Medical Center	BARMM
2	Amang Rodriguez Memorial Center	
3	Dr. Jose B. Rodriguez Memorial Hospital and Sanitarium	
4	Lung Center of the Philippines	
5	NKTI	NCR
6	Philippine Heart Center	
7	Sta. Ana Hospital - Closed System Molecular Laboratory	
8	Tondo Medical Center	
9	Mariano Marcos Memorial Hospital	
10	Region 1 Medical Center	I
11	Cagayan Valley CHD TB Reference Laboratory	
12	Bataan General Hospital	
13	Bulacan Medical Center	
14	Batangas Medical Center	IV-A
15	Oriental Mindoro Provincial Hospital	IV-B
16	Ospital ng Palawan	
17	Bicol Medical Center	V
18	Zamboanga City Medical Center	IX
19	Northern Mindanao Medical Center	Х
20	Davao Regional Medical Center	XI
21	Cotabato Regional Medical Center	
22	Dr. Arturo Pingoy Medical Center	XII
23	St. Elizabeth Hospital	

RECENT UPDATES ON COVID-19

As of July 22, 2020

- DOH recorded **46,803 active cases** with the majority of the patients exhibiting **mild symptoms** (42,154; 90%) while **205 patients** are in **critical condition** (0.4%).
- DOH recorded **4,157 health care workers** positive for COVID-19. Of these, **3,295** have recovered (79%), 617 (15%) are mild cases, 207 are asymptomatic (5%), 2 in severe condition (0.05%), and 36 (1%) have died.
- A total of **168,642 Returning Overseas Filipinos (ROFs) have arrived** (Land-based: 81,625; Sea-based: 86,622; and Transferees from Sabah 395). Of these, 162,110 were released from facility quarantine (Land-based: 77,141; Sea-based: 84,574; and Sabah: 395). Among the ROFs, 3,880 were confirmed COVID-19 positive (Land based: 2,037; Sea-based: 1,843). Among the confirmed COVID-19 ROFs, 782 are currently admitted, 2,837 already recovered; and 2 deaths reported.
- There are now 5,484 Human Resources for Health (HRH) hired out of the 8,694 approved slots for emergency hiring in 309 health facilities. Of these, 42% are hired in DOH hospitals, 15.7% in COVID-19 diagnostic facility, 14.2% in Temporary Treatment and Monitoring Facility, 12.8% in LGU and other hospitals, 6.1% in COVID-19 referral facility, 3.4% in Bureau of Quarantine managed quarantine facilities and airport units, 3.3% in private health facilities, 0.8% in Mega Ligtas COVID-19 Centers, 0.7% in Epidemiology and Surveillance Units, 0.6% for other healthcare facilities, and 0.4% in Primary Care Facility.
- The total funds sub-allotted and transferred to health facilities (COVID referral hospitals, DOH Designated Diagnostic Facility, and DOH Hospital) is **Php 1.2B**. In addition to this, the Department is processing sub-allotment or transfer of Php 212M to other health facilities with approved health personnel slots for hiring (pending the approval of their Memorandum of Agreement or Sub-Allotment Guidelines). Out of Php 1.7B released funds for HRH hiring, the remaining funds for allocation is Php 325 M.





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