

# Beat COVID-19 Today

## A COVID-19 Philippine Situationer



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Active Cases as of 10 January 2021  
(net of recoveries and deaths)

**20,087**  
**-6,694**

Total Cases as of 10 January 2021

**487,690**  
**+1,906**

Recovered

**458,198**  
**+8,592**

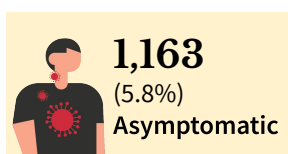


Died

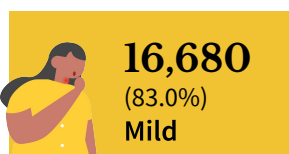
**9,405**  
**+8**



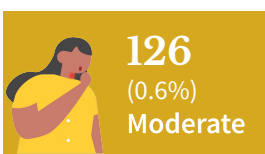
### Breakdown of Active Cases



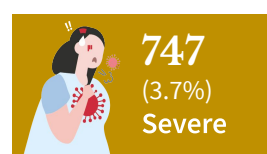
A patient with an RT-PCR confirmed case of COVID-19 without symptoms.



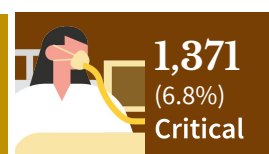
A patient with mild symptoms and stable vital signs. Unless the patient belongs to high-risk subgroups or has comorbidities, they are often not admitted to a treatment facility.



A patient with clinical signs of non-severe pneumonia



A patient with clinical signs of severe pneumonia or severe acute respiratory infection



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

**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 may be admitted to a treatment facility. Moderate, severe or critical cases must be admitted to a health facility, regardless of inclusion in high-risk subgroups or presence of comorbidities. Non-severe pneumonia: fever, cough, dyspnea or respiratory rate of 21-30 breaths/minute, oxygen saturation more than 92% at room air for adults, and cough or difficulty in breathing and fast breathing or chest indrawing for children. Severe pneumonia: fever, cough, dyspnea or respiratory rate of more than 30 breaths/minute, oxygen saturation less than or equal to 92% at room air for adults, central cyanosis, oxygen saturation less than 90%, fast breathing, very severe chest indrawing for children

### Top regions by active cases

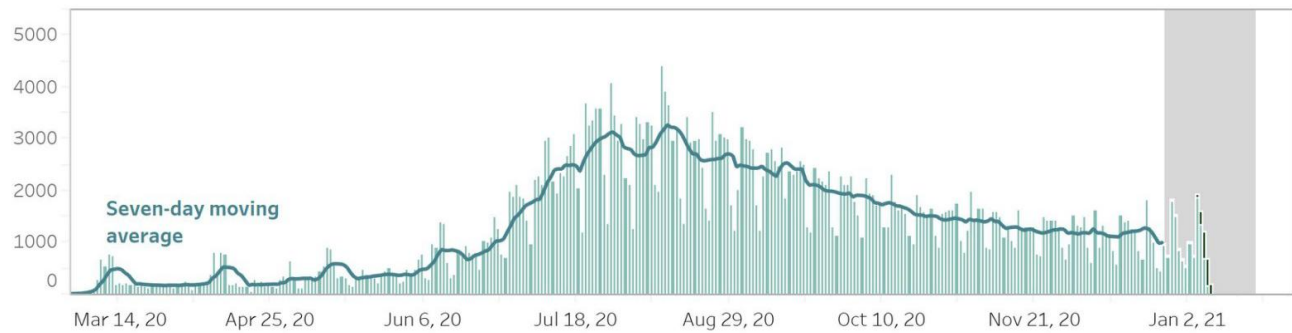
NCR	5,992
Region IV-A: CALABARZON	3,062
Region III: Central Luzon	1,893
Region XI: Davao Region	1,604
Region VIII: Eastern Visayas	1,161
CAR	831
Region VII: Central Visayas	782
Region X: Northern Mindanao	716
Region II: Cagayan Valley	715
Region VI: Western Visayas	678

### Top Regions by New Cases

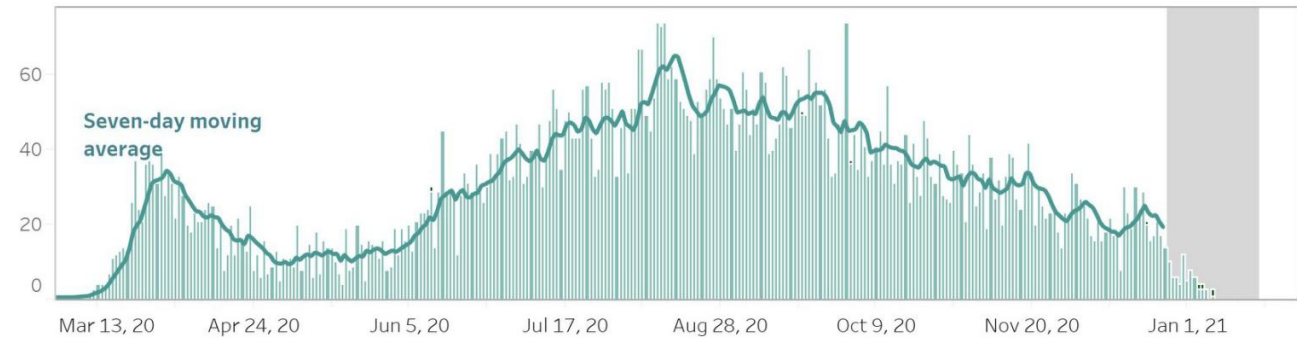
NCR	496
Region IV-A: CALABARZON	270
Region III: Central Luzon	202
CAR	158
Region XI: Davao Region	147
Region VII: Central Visayas	120
Region VIII: Eastern Visayas	114
Region I: Ilocos Region	85
CARAGA	63
Region II: Cagayan Valley	54

**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)

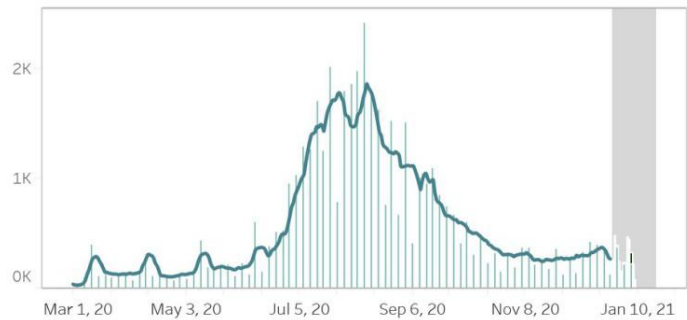


CONFIRMED DEATHS BY DATE OF DEATH (NATIONWIDE)

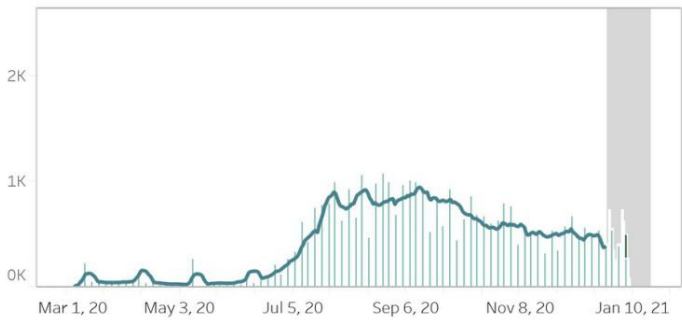


- Notes.**
- 1. Bars with dark green colors indicate the actual date of onset or date of death for newly-reported cases.
  - 2. In cases where date of onset of illness is unreported, date of specimen collection was used as proxy. Cases that do not have both are not accounted for in the date of onset 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.

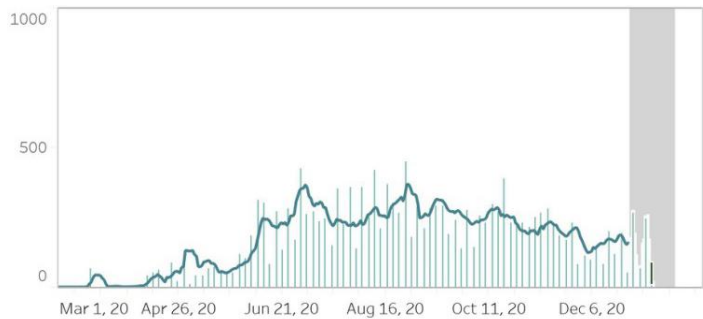
CONFIRMED CASES BY DATE OF ONSET OF ILLNESS (DISAGGREGATED)



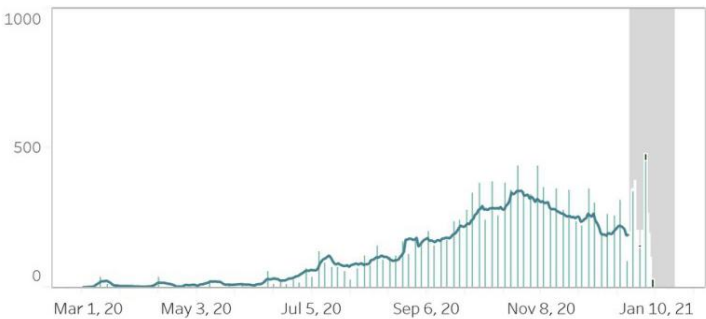
NCR



Rest of Luzon



Visayas



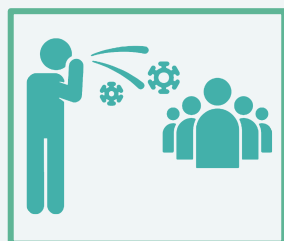
Mindanao

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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. The cases from the “NCR” graph have been separated from cases of the “Luzon” graph.
  - 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.

## COVID-19'S CAPACITY TO SPREAD ( $R_t$ VALUE)

December 26:  $0.97 \pm 0.02$ December 27:  $1.02 \pm 0.02$ 

### Time-varying Reproduction number

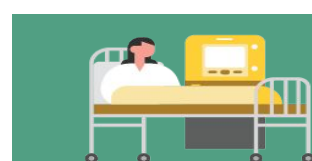


The time-varying **reproduction number ( $R_t$ )** indicates the possible number of people being infected by a sick person, at a specific time with control measures in place.

**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 (that is, it provides a snapshot of the situation two weeks ago)**. Please do not expect this number to change daily.

- The reproduction number ( $R_t$ ) 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  $R_t = 1.02 \pm 0.02$ , which means each infected individual was infecting an average of 1.02 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  $R_t$  to be less than 1, which would mean that, on average, an infected person is infecting less than one person, eventually stopping the transmission of.

## UTILIZATION OF COVID-19 BEDS



# 34%

8,617 beds occupied out of 25,750 as of 10 January 2021

# 40%

824 ICU beds occupied out of 2,056

# 25%

1,987 ward beds occupied out of 7,817

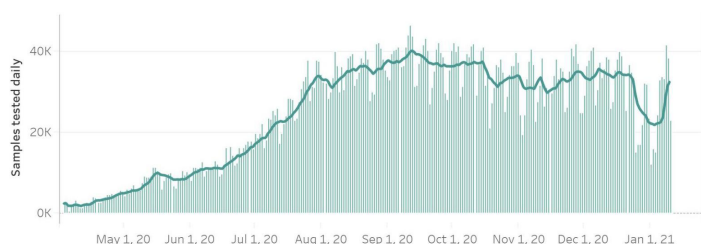
# 37%

5,806 isolation beds occupied out of 15,877

**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 (Data for January 10 as reported as of January 11, 6 PM)

### Daily Testing Output (Nationwide)



As of January 10, 2021

### Testing Output (January 10)

Samples Tested	22,968
Individuals Tested	21,391
Positive Tests	1,034
Positivity Rate	4.83%
Testing Backlog	40
Compliance of Labs	145/181

### Daily Positivity Rate



As of January 10, 2021

### Cumulative Testing Output

Samples tested	7,067,352
Individuals Tested	6,662,475
Positive Tests	551,107
Positivity Rate	8.27%

### Notes.

1. 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.
2. Please visit [www.doh.gov.ph/covid19tracker](http://www.doh.gov.ph/covid19tracker) 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 10 January 2021**152**

NO. OF LICENSED RT-PCR LABORATORIES

**45**

NO. OF LICENSED GENEXPERT LABS

**50**

TOTAL NO. OF LABORATORIES APPLYING FOR LICENSE\*

**100%**

% APPLICATIONS AT STAGE 3 and 4\*

**Licensed RT-PCR Laboratories**

\*Facilities using GeneXpert machines included.

NAME OF HEALTH FACILITY OR LABORATORY		REGION
1	Baguio General Hospital and Medical Center	CAR
2	Parkway Medical and Diagnostic Center	
3	AL Molecular Diagnostic Laboratory	
4	Amang Rodriguez Memorial Hospital	
5	Army General Hospital Molecular Laboratory	
6	Asian Hospital & Medical Center	
7	BioPath Clinical Diagnostic, Inc.	
8	BioPath Clinical Diagnostic, Inc. (E. Rodriguez)	
9	Cardinal Santos Medical Center	
10	Chinese Gen. Hospital	
11	De Los Santos Medical Center	
12	Detoxicare Molecular Diagnostics Laboratory	
13	Dr. Jose B. Rodriguez Memorial Hospital and Sanitarium (TALA)	
14	East Avenue Medical Center	
15	El Roi Molecular Diagnostic Laboratory	
16	Fe del Mundo Medical Center	
17	First Aide Diagnostic Center	
18	Health Delivery Systems	
19	Health Metrics, Inc.	
20	Hero Laboratories	
21	Hi-Precision (QC)	
22	JT Cenica Medical Health System	NCR
23	Kairos Diagnostic Laboratory	
24	Kaiser Medical Center Inc.	
25	Las Pinas General Hospital and Satellite Trauma Center	
26	Lifecore Biointegrative Inc.	
27	Lung Center of the Philippines	
28	Makati Medical Center	
29	Manila Diagnostic Center for OFW Inc.	
30	Manila Doctors Hospital	
31	Manila Healthtek, Inc	
32	Marikina Molecular Diagnostic Laboratory	
33	National Kidney and Transplant Institute	
34	New World Diagnostics Inc. Premium Medical Branch	
35	Ospital ng Muntinlupa	
36	Pasig City Children's Hospital - Child's Hope	
37	Philippine Children's Medical Center	
38	Philippine Genome Center UP-Diliman	
39	Philippine National Police Crime Laboratory	
40	Philippine Red Cross - National Blood Center	
41	Philippine Red Cross - Port Area	
42	PNP General Hospital	
43	PRC - PRC Logistics and Multipurpose Center	
44	QR Medical Laboratories Inc. (Vita Care)	
45	Quezon City Molecular Diagnostic Laboratory	
46	Research Institute for Tropical Medicine	
47	Safeguard DNA Diagnostics, Inc.	
48	San Lazaro Hospital	
49	San Miguel Foundation Testing Laboratory	
50	Singapore Diagnostic, Inc.	

**Licensed RT-PCR Laboratories**

NAME OF HEALTH FACILITY OR LABORATORY		REGION
51	South Super Hi Way Molecular Diagnostic Lab	NCR
52	St. Luke's Medical Center - BGC	
53	St. Luke's Medical Center- QC	
54	Sta. Ana Hospital	
55	Supercare Medical Services, Inc.	
56	Taguig City Molecular Laboratory	
57	The Lord's Grace Medical and Industrial Clinic	
58	The Medical City - Ortigas	
59	The Premier Molecular Diagnostics	
60	Tropical Disease Foundation	
61	University of Perpetual Help System Dalta	
62	University of the East Ramon Magsaysay Memorial Medical Center	
63	UP National Institutes of Health	
64	UP-Philippine General Hospital-Medical Research Laboratory	
65	Valenzuela Hope Molecular Laboratory	
66	Veteran Memorial Medical Center	
67	Victoriano Luna Medical Center -AFRIMS - Collaborative Molecular Laboratory	
68	Z Diagnostics	
69	Zuellig Pharma Solutions	
70	Dagupan Doctors Villaflor Memorial Hospital	I
71	Ilocos Training Regional Medical Center	
72	Mariano Marcos Memorial Hospital	
73	Pangasinan Molecular Diagnostic Laboratory	II
74	Cagayan Valley Medical Center Molecular Laboratory	
75	Philippine Red Cross Isabela Molecular Laboratory	
76	San Antonio City of Ilagan Hospital	
77	Southern Isabela Medical Center	III
78	Bataan General Hospital	
79	Bulacan Medical Center	
80	Graman Medical & Maternity Hospital Inc. Molecular Laboratory	
81	Green City Medical Center	
82	Jose B. Lingad Memorial Hospital	
83	Marilao Medical and Diagnostic Clinic, Inc.	
84	Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Medical Center Molecular Laboratory	
85	Philippine Red Cross - Logistics and Training Center	
86	Philippine Red Cross Clark Molecular Laboratory	
87	Qualimed Hospital - San Jose Del Monte	IV-A
88	Tarlac Provincial Hospital Molecular Laboratory	
89	Batangas Medical Center	
90	Calamba Medical Center	
91	Daniel O. Mercado Medical Center	
92	De La Salle Medical and Health Sciences Institute	
93	Fatima University Medical Center Antipolo Corp.	
94	Laguna City Provincial Hospital - San Pablo City District Hospital	
95	Laguna Holy Family Hospital, Inc.	
96	Lucena United Doctors Hospital and Medical Center	
97	Mary Mediatrix Medical Center	
98	Ospital ng Imus	
99	PRC- Batangas Chapter Molecular Laboratory	
100	Qualimed Hospital Sta. Rosa	
101	San Pablo College Medical Center	
102	UPLB COVID-19 Molecular Laboratory	

**Licensed RT-PCR Laboratories**

	<b>NAME OF HEALTH FACILITY OR LABORATORY</b>	<b>REGION</b>
103	Bicol Regional Diagnostic and Reference Laboratory	V
104	Bacolod Queen of Mercy Hospital	VI
105	Corazon Locsin Montelibano Memorial Regional Hospital	
106	Dr. Pablo O. Torre Memorial Hospital	
107	Dr. Rafael S. Tumbokon Memorial Hospital	
108	Iloilo Provincial Hospital	
109	Metro Iloilo Hospital and Medical Center	
110	Philippine Red Cross Passi City Molecular Laboratory	
111	PRC - Negros Occidental Molecular Laboratory	
112	Qualimed Health Network - Iloilo	
113	Roxas City Diagnostic and Laboratory Center	
114	Roxas Memorial Provincial Hospital Molecular Laboratory	
115	Teresita Jalandoni Provincial Hospital	
116	The Doctors Hospital, Inc.	
117	Uswag Iloilo Molecular Laboratory	
118	Western Visayas Medical Center	
119	Western Visayas State University Medical Center	VII
120	Allegiant Regional Care Hospital	
121	BioPath Clinical Diagnostic, Inc. - AFRIMS PCR Laboratory	
122	Bohol Containerized PCR Laboratory	
123	Cebu Doctors University Hospital, Inc.	
124	Cebu TB Reference Laboratory	
125	Chong Hua Hospital	
126	Governor Celestino Gallares Memorial Medical Center	
127	Negros Oriental Provincial Hospital	
128	Perpetual Succour Hospital of Cebu, Inc.	
129	Philippine Red Cross - Cebu Chapter	
130	Prime Care Alpha Covid-19 Testing Laboratory	
131	University of Cebu Medical Center	
132	Vicente Sotto Memorial Medical Center	VIII
133	Divine Word Hospital	
134	Eastern Visayas Regional COVID-19 Testing Center	IX
135	OSPA - Farmers' Medical Center	
136	Ciudad Medical Zamboanga	
137	Philippine Red Cross - Molecular Biology Laboratory	X
138	Zamboanga City Medical Center-Department of Agriculture Satellite Lab. for COVID-19 Testing	
139	Zamboanga Del Sur Medical Center PCR Laboratory	
140	Lanao Del Norte COVID-19 Testing Laboratory	XI
141	Maria Reyna Xavier University Hospital, Inc.	
142	Northern Mindanao Medical Center - Satellite COVID-19 Laboratory	
143	Philippine Red Cross - Cagayan de Oro Chapter	
144	Polymedic Medical Plaza	XI
145	Davao One World Diagnostic Center Incorporated	
146	Southern Philippines Medical Center	
147	Southern Philippines Medical Center (SPMC) - Pop-up	

Licensed RT-PCR Laboratories

NAME OF HEALTH FACILITY OR LABORATORY		REGION
148	Cotabato Regional Medical Center	XII
149	Dr. Jorge P. Royeca Hospital	
150	Butuan Medical Center	CARAGA
151	Philippine Red Cross Molecular Laboratory	
152	Amai Pakpak Medical Center	BARMM

**Licensed Cartridge-based PCR or GeneXpert Laboratories**

<b>NAME OF HEALTH FACILITY OR LABORATORY</b>		<b>REGION</b>
1	Amai Pakpak Medical Center	BARMM
2	Amang Rodriguez Memorial Center	NCR
3	Amosup Seamen's Hospital	
4	BioPath Clinical Diagnostic, Inc.	
5	BioPath Clinical Diagnostic, Inc. (E. Rodriguez)	
6	Dr. Jose B. Rodriguez Memorial Hospital and Sanitarium (TALA)	
7	IOM- Manila Health Centre Laboratory	
8	Las Pinas General Hospital and Satellite Trauma Center	
9	Lung Center of the Philippines	
10	National Kidney and Transplant Institute	
11	Philippine General Hospital	
12	Philippine Heart Center	
13	Rizal Medical Center	
14	St. Luke's Medical Center - BGC	
15	St. Luke's Medical Center - QC	
16	Sta. Ana Hospital - Closed System Molecular Laboratory	
17	Tondo Medical Center	
18	Ilocos Training Regional Medical Center	I
19	Mariano Marcos Memorial Hospital	
20	Region 1 Medical Center	
21	Cagayan Valley CHD TB Reference Laboratory	II
22	Bataan General Hospital	III
23	Bulacan Medical Center	
24	Central Luzon Doctor's Hospital	
25	President Ramon Magsaysay Provincial Hospital	
26	Batangas Medical Center	IV-A
27	Rakkk Prophet Medical Center, Inc.	
28	Sta. Rosa CHO	
29	Culion Sanitarium and General Hospital	IV-B
30	Oriental Mindoro Provincial Hospital	
31	Ospital ng Palawan	
32	Bicol Medical Center	V
33	BioPath Clinical Diagnostic, Inc. - AFRIMS	VII
34	Cebu TB Reference Laboratory	
35	West Metro Medical Center	IX
36	Zamboanga City Medical Center	
37	Northern Mindanao Medical Center	X
38	Davao Doctors Hospital	XI
39	Davao Regional Medical Center	
40	Cotabato Regional Medical Center	XII
41	Dr. Arturo Pingoy Medical Center	
42	St. Elizabeth Hospital	
43	Butuan Medical Center	CARAGA
44	CARAGA Regional Hospital	
45	Manuel J. Santos Hospital	



## RECENT UPDATES ON COVID-19

As of January 10, 2021

- DOH recorded **20,087 active cases** with the majority of the patients exhibiting **mild symptoms** (16,680; 83.0%) while **1,371 patients** are in **critical condition** (6.8%).
- DOH recorded **13,856 health care workers** positive for COVID-19. Of these, **13,600** (98.2%) have recovered, 76 (0.5%) have died and 180 (1.3%) were active cases. Of these active cases, 89 (49.4%) were mild cases, 63 (35.0%) were asymptomatic, 15 (8.3%) in severe condition, 11 (6.1%) in critical condition and 2 (1.1%) in moderate condition.
- A total of **820,312 Returning Overseas Filipinos (ROFs)** have arrived in the country (Land-based: 501,240; Sea-based: 317,086; and Transferees from Sabah 1,986). Of these, **816,360 were released from facility quarantine** (Land-based: 498,519; Sea-based: 315,855 and Sabah: 1,986). Among the ROFs, **12,570 were confirmed COVID-19 patients** (Land-based: 7,896; Sea-based: 4,674). Among these, 217 are currently admitted, 12,276 have already recovered; and 6 have died.



## Contact Details

For further information, you may reach us through the following platforms:

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**ALAMIN ANG TAMANG IMPORMASYON SA AMING BIDA FACT CHECK!**

**PARATING TANDAAN ANG MGA PANUNTUNAN SA PAGSUOT NG FACE SHIELD:**

- KAILANGANG MAY KASAMANG MASK NA SUOT PARATI. ANG FACE SHIELD LANG AY HINDI KAPALIT SA PAGSUOT NG FACE MASK.
- MAGHUGAS NG KAMAY BAGO MAGSUOT AT MAGTANGGAL NG FACE SHIELD. IWASANG HAWAKAN ANG FACE SHIELD KAPAG NAKASUOT NA.
- PARATING INSPEKSYUNIN ANG FACE SHIELD PARA SA MGA BUTAS O GASGAS NA MAKAKAAPEKTO SA KALIGTASAN NITO.
- KAILANGANG PARATING NATATAKPAN NG FACE SHIELD ANG BUONG MUKHA, HINDI DAPAT ITO I-ANGAT O IPATONG SA TAAS NG ULO.

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**CHIKITING LIETAS**  
 sa dulong bahang humingi  
 reabla, polo, at ligtas

**Ano ang Polio?**

- Sakit na dulot ng poliovirus
- Umaatake ang poliovirus sa spinal cord at mga nerves na nagpapagalaw sa mga muscles, labing lalo na sa paa, hanggang ang mga ito ay hindi na magagalaw at mapapalisa habang buhay.
- Maari ring mapapalisa ang ating diaphragm o ang ating "breathing muscle", kung kaya't maaring mahinapang huminga ang pasyente. Maari niya riting kamalay.

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**Ano ang kahalagahan ng infant immunization laban sa viral hepatitis?**

Maaring makuha ng sanggol ang sakit na viral hepatitis mula sa kanyang nanay. Kaya importante na mabakunahan ang isang sangol sa unang 24-oras ng kanyang pagsilang at makumpleto ang karagdagang dosis hanggang 6-9 na buwan. Ang pagpapabakuna ay ang pinakamabisang paraan upang maiwasan ang sakit na viral hepatitis.

Malusog na atay, masayang buhay!

Konsultado sa ating mga Rural Health Physicians

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