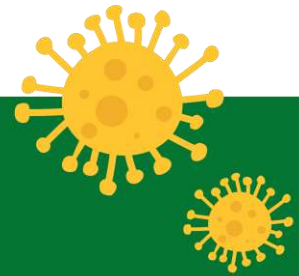




COVID-19

PHF- Situation Report



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Global Updates

Top 10 countries with most confirmed COVID-19 cases

	Confirmed Cases	Deaths	Recovered Cases
United States	31,197,872	562,066	(Data not Available)
India	13,527,717	170,179	12,156,529
Brazil	13,482,023	353,137	11,878,958
France	5,119,590	98,909	316,616
Russia	4,589,209	101,282	4,216,960
UK	4,384,610	127,331	13,494
Turkey	3,849,011	33,939	3,331,411
Italy	3,769,814	114,254	3,122,555
Spain	3,347,512	76,328	150,376
Germany	3,012,158	78,500	2,692,230

• COVID-19 Dashboard by the Center for Systems Science and Engineering (CSSE) at John Hopkins University




Confirmed Cases*
136,063,656





Deaths
2,937,096



Recovered Cases
77,446,468

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Coronavirus infections in the South Asia sub-region have surpassed the grim milestone of 15 million, a Reuters tally shows, led by India's record daily infections and vaccine shortages.
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The coronavirus variant discovered in South Africa can "break through" Pfizer/BioNTech's COVID-19 vaccine to some extent, a real-world data study in Israel found, though its prevalence in the country is low and the research has not been peer reviewed.
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The Chinese Centers for Disease Control and Preventio Director Gao Fu said the country is formally considering mixing COVID-19 vaccines as a way of further boosting vaccine efficacy. Giving people doses of different vaccines is one way to improve vaccines that "don't have very high rates of protection." However, he didn't specify whether he was referring to foreign or domestic vaccines.

National Updates

- Pakistan has approved the emergency use of the third Chinese vaccine, despite its low efficacy rate. The Drug Regulatory Authority Pakistan (DRAP) granted Emergency Use Authorisation (EUA) to CoronaVac, developed by Chinese company Sinovac Biotech.
- Warning that hospital admissions of Coronavirus patients is placing great pressure on Pakistan's healthcare infrastructure, Special Assistant to the PM on Health Dr. Faisal Sultan said that the spread of the pandemic cannot be reduced unless the public fully adopts all government-issued Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs). "I also request all ulema to work with the government in ensuring compliance with SOPs at mosques during Ramzan," he added.
- The Ministry of National Health Services, Regulations, and Coordination asked the authorities concerned to effectively observe COVID-19 Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) and create awareness in public about the importance of Corona safety measures.
- National Command and Operation Center (NCOC) has met to discuss intensifying coronavirus situation across the country. The participants decided to monitor the already issued orders for two to three days more after which, further decision will be taken in the light of the results.
- Meanwhile, the NCOC stated that Pakistan has recorded the highest number of deaths in a single day during the current year from the Coronavirus infection, as 114 people died of COVID-19 during the last 24 hours.
- The NCOC said the national rate of positivity of COVID-19 infections has reached 10.3% in Pakistan with a total of 75,266 active cases, of which there are 4,201 patients in critical condition.
- Overall COVID-19 positivity was highest in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa at 14.85%, followed by Azad Jammu & Kashmir (AJK) at 11.43%, Punjab at 11.38%, Islamabad at 11.37%, Balochistan 7.85%, and Sindh 3.99%.



Confirmed Cases*

725,602



Cases in last 24rs

4,584



Recoveries

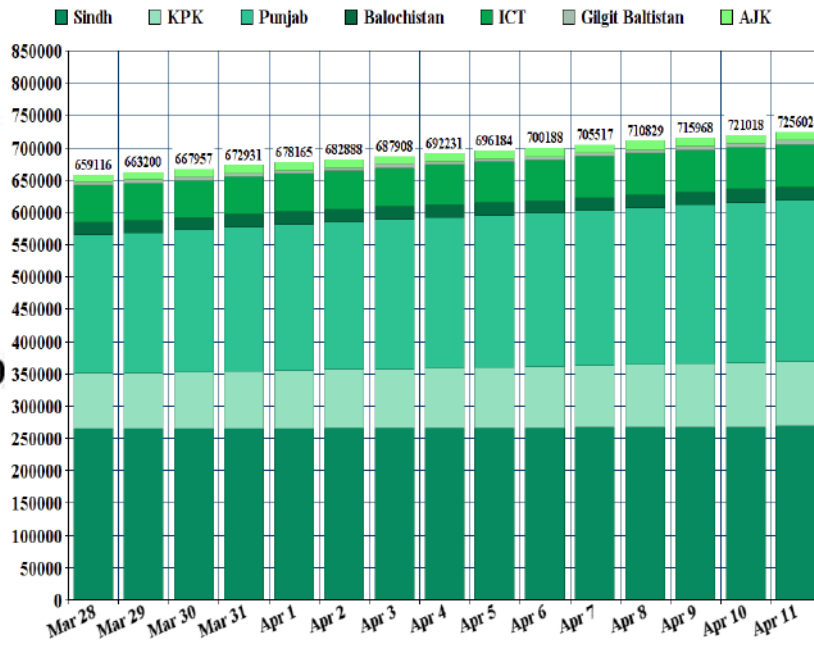
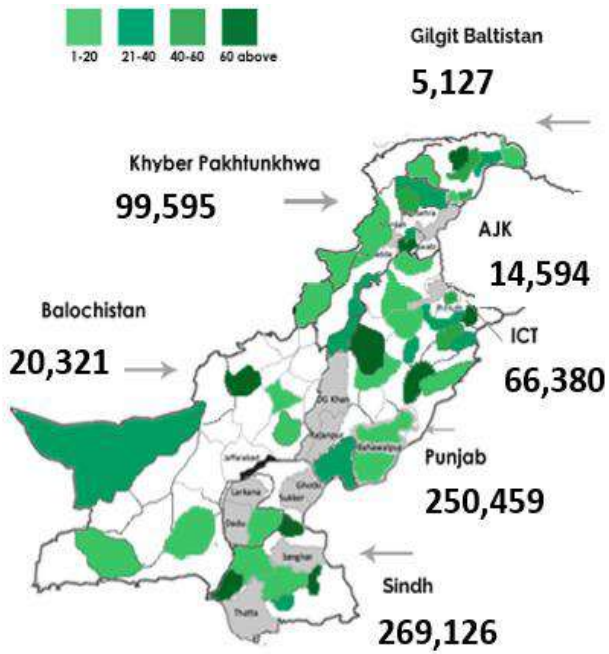
634,835



Deaths

15,501

Provincial Stats



Total cases in each province/federal territory as of April 12, 2021

Daily Consolidated COVID-19 Provincial cases





IRC conducting training of students on handwashing to prevent COVID-19

PHF Members Response



Education

- Hope'87 conducted training of Girls Community School Teachers on Mental Health & Psychosocial Support, School Sanitation & Hygiene Education & SOPs for safe reopening of schools. A total of 403 teachers benefitted from the training in districts Peshawar, Swat and D.I. Khan, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.



Miscellaneous

- International Medical Corps (IMC) provided capacity building trainings to 251 health professionals including decision-makers and frontline health care providers from the Department of Health of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa on COVID-19 effective Infection Prevention and Control.
- Relief International provided support with the provision of Personal Protective Equipment (PPEs) to Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Department of Health in District Peshawar.



WASH

- AAR Japan provided 1,200 COVID-19 kits to community and disinfected about 67 public areas that included hospitals, mosques and Imambargahs in District Kurram, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.
- HelpAge International plans to hand over hygiene kits including masks and gloves to 50 older people associations in Peshawar and Nowshera, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.



Care conducted kitchen gardening training for female beneficiaries in Miranshah, KP



JEN provided livestock feed to locals in District Tharparkar, Sindh, following COVID-19 SOPs



Save the Children handed over hygiene items and disinfectants to various schools across the country



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