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SERVICES ON COVID-19 IN NAMIBIA

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1. We announce sixty-one (**61**) positive cases from nine hundred and twenty-one (**921**) results in the last twenty-four (24) hour reporting cycle, which represents **6.6%** positivity ratio. Out of the total confirmed cases, fifty-eight (58) are new cases and three (3) are reinfections. The sex distribution of the cases is thirty-three (33) females of which thirty-two (32) are new cases and twenty-eight (28) males of which 26 are new cases. The age range of the cases is from three (3) years to one hundred and three (103) years.

*Table 1: New COVID-19 positive cases & reinfections, 02 February 2022*

Region	New cases	District	New cases	Reinfections	Total
Khomas	16	Windhoek	16	1	<b>17</b>
Otjozondjupa	10	Grootfontein	5	0	<b>5</b>
		Otjiwarongo	3	0	<b>3</b>
		Okahandja	2	0	<b>2</b>
Zambezi	8	Katima Mulilo	8	0	<b>8</b>
Erongo	7	Walvis Bay	3	1	<b>4</b>
		Usakos	3	0	<b>3</b>
		Swakopmund	1	0	<b>1</b>
Oshana	6	Oshakati	6	0	<b>6</b>
Kharas	4	Luderitz	2	1	<b>3</b>
		Karasburg	1	0	<b>1</b>
		Keetmanshoop	1	0	<b>1</b>
Omusati	3	Outapi	2	0	<b>2</b>
		Tsandi	1	0	<b>1</b>
Ohangwena	1	Eenhana	1	0	<b>1</b>
Oshikoto	1	Onandjokwe	1	0	<b>1</b>
Kavango East	1	Rundu	1	0	<b>1</b>
Hardap	1	Rehoboth	1	0	<b>1</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>58</b>		<b>58</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>61</b>

2. We are reporting cases from 11 regions, with most regions reporting less than 10 cases.
3. Among the confirmed cases, six (6) from different schools, four (4) health care workers and three (3) teachers. Three (3) cases have received one (1) dose of the COVID-19 vaccine and eleven (12) are fully vaccinated, of which one (1) has received a booster dose. Forty-six (46) cases are not vaccinated, accounting for **75.4%** of the total confirmed cases.
4. One hundred and fifty-one (**151**) cases from eleven (11) regions have recovered.

*Table 2: Distribution of new recoveries by region, 02 February 2022*

Region	Number
Omaheke	84
Ohangwena	22
Omusati	12
Zambezi	12
Khomas	6
Kharas	5
Oshikoto	5
Kunene	2
Kavango West	1
Otjozondjupa	1
Oshana	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>151</b>

5. The number of active cases is eight thousand and twenty-one (**8 021**). Ninety-five (**95**) cases are currently hospitalized across twelve (12) regions, except Omaheke and Kavango West regions. Two (**2**) of the hospitalized cases have received one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine, six (**6**) are fully vaccinated, while eighty-seven (**87**) are not vaccinated constituting **91.6%** of all hospitalized cases. Ten (**10**) cases are in Intensive Care Unit (ICU). None of the cases in ICU is vaccinated.

*Table 3: Distribution of hospitalization of confirmed cases per region, 02 February 2022*

Region	Hospitalized cases		Vaccinated		ICU		Vaccinated	
	Current	Previous	1 <sup>st</sup> dose	2 <sup>nd</sup> dose	Current	Previous	1 <sup>st</sup> dose	2 <sup>nd</sup> dose
Khomas	17	16	0	0	5	4	0	0
Omusati	16	18	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ohangwena	12	12	1	1	0	0	0	0
Erongo	12	12	1	4	1	1	0	0
Oshana	10	11	0	0	1	1	0	0
Kunene	7	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
Zambezi	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oshikoto	4	4	0	0	2	2	0	0
Hardap	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kavango East	3	3	0	0	1	1	0	0
Kharas	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Otjozondjupa	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

6. We are reporting zero (0) death today.
7. By 1 February 2022, a total of **419 282** people aged 18 years and older have received one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine, representing **28.5%** of the target population (1 471 973).

A total of **114 804** have received the Johnson & Johnson vaccine, while **244 975** adults have received two doses of other vaccine types. Hence, **359 779 adults** have completed their vaccination, translating to **24.4%** of the target population.

8. Four thousands two hundred and forty-five (**4 245**) children aged 12-17 years have received one dose of the Pfizer vaccine, representing **1.4%** of the target population (307 298). Of these, one thousand and forty-seven (**1 047**) are fully vaccinated. Hence, the cumulative number of people vaccinated with the first dose of the COVID-19 vaccine for both adults and children is **423 527** of which **360 826** are fully vaccinated, translating to **20.3%** of the total target population (1 779 271).
9. Seventeen thousands (**17 000**) people have received a COVID-19 vaccine booster dose. Details of vaccinations are presented in tables 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 below.

*Table 5: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccine 1st dose, 02 February 2022*

Region	Sinopharm		AstraZeneca		Sputnik V		Pfizer		J&J		Grand total 1st dose
	New	All	New	All	New	All	New	All	New	All	
Erongo	6	16050	1	13187	0	3	5	1186	48	9675	<b>40101</b>
Hardap	3	12757	3	5603	0	0	1	552	21	7172	<b>26084</b>
Kharas	3	10401	0	4594	0	0	4	286	21	6170	<b>21451</b>
Kavango East	16	10786	7	7082	0	0	10	1531	123	11376	<b>30775</b>
Kavango West	16	5934	0	4525	0	0	11	846	83	9785	<b>21090</b>
Khomas	13	42090	6	29538	0	94	20	4487	91	21060	<b>97269</b>
Kunene	4	11730	0	5432	0	0	6	136	50	8191	<b>25489</b>
Ohangwena	0	15864	0	5293	0	2	0	127	0	6100	<b>27386</b>
Omaheke	0	8347	0	5008	0	0	0	308	0	5474	<b>19137</b>
Omusati	8	13614	2	7219	0	0	0	312	16	5634	<b>26779</b>
Oshana	20	12570	0	4782	0	29	4	269	56	4709	<b>22359</b>
Oshikoto	0	12195	0	3718	0	0	0	91	10	6244	<b>22248</b>
Otjozondjupa	0	12480	0	8458	0	0	0	319	0	10256	<b>31513</b>
Zambezi	2	3634	0	939	0	0	0	70	1	2958	<b>7601</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>188452</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>105378</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>10520</b>	<b>520</b>	<b>114804</b>	<b>419282</b>

Table 6: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines 2<sup>nd</sup> dose, 02 February 2022

Region	Sinopharm		AstraZeneca		Sputnik V		Pfizer		Total 2 <sup>nd</sup> dose
	New 2 <sup>nd</sup> dose	All 2 <sup>nd</sup> dose	New 2 <sup>nd</sup> dose	All 2 <sup>nd</sup> dose	New 2 <sup>nd</sup> dose	All 2 <sup>nd</sup> doses	New 2 <sup>nd</sup> dose	All 2 <sup>nd</sup> dose	
Erongo	5	13851	2	11362	0	5	6	648	<b>25866</b>
Hardap	8	10823	10	4256	0	0	0	387	<b>15466</b>
Kharas	8	8457	9	3176	0	0	0	206	<b>11839</b>
Kavango East	16	7675	2	3791	0	0	2	635	<b>12101</b>
Kavango West	8	4684	6	2976	0	0	3	298	<b>7958</b>
Khomas	18	35959	17	24615	0	63	17	3088	<b>63725</b>
Kunene	9	8777	3	4037	0	0	9	87	<b>12901</b>
Ohangwena	0	13157	0	4139	0	0	0	28	<b>17324</b>
Omaheke	0	6047	0	3044	0	0	0	168	<b>9259</b>
Omusati	16	11884	4	5857	0	0	0	245	<b>17986</b>
Oshana	12	11167	0	3848	0	8	2	190	<b>15213</b>
Oshikoto	4	10628	2	3084	0	0	0	48	<b>13760</b>
Otjozondjupa	0	10890	0	6481	0	0	0	262	<b>17633</b>
Zambezi	0	3178	1	741	0	0	0	25	<b>3944</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>157177</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>81407</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>6315</b>	<b>244975</b>

Table 7: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines 3<sup>rd</sup> dose, 02 February 2022

Region	Sinopharm		AstraZeneca		Sputnik V		Pfizer		Grand total 3 <sup>rd</sup> dose
	New 3 <sup>rd</sup> dose	All 3 <sup>rd</sup> dose	New 3 <sup>rd</sup> dose	All 3 <sup>rd</sup> dose	New 3 <sup>rd</sup> dose	All 3 <sup>rd</sup> doses	New 3 <sup>rd</sup> dose	All 3 <sup>rd</sup> dose	
Erongo	0	891	0	98	0	0	0	2053	<b>3042</b>
Hardap	32	779	31	49	0	0	2	735	<b>1563</b>
Kharas	15	353	9	35	0	0	0	180	<b>568</b>
Kavango East	0	236	0	2	0	0	0	168	<b>406</b>
Kavango West	9	107	10	10	0	0	1	113	<b>230</b>
Khomas	0	1643	0	421	0	0	0	3746	<b>5810</b>
Kunene	76	677	31	48	0	0	43	362	<b>1087</b>
Ohangwena	0	110	0	2	0	0	0	2	<b>114</b>
Omaheke	0	93	0	8	0	0	0	38	<b>139</b>
Omusati	0	423	0	23	0	0	0	280	<b>726</b>
Oshana	13	681	0	57	0	0	7	388	<b>1126</b>
Oshikoto	6	467	2	46	0	0	0	156	<b>669</b>
Otjozondjupa	0	678	0	68	0	0	0	598	<b>1344</b>
Zambezi	0	110	2	7	0	0	0	59	<b>176</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>7248</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>874</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>8878</b>	<b>17000</b>

Table 8: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines (12-17) Years, 1<sup>st</sup> dose, 02 February 2022

<b>PFIZER FOR CHILDREN 1<sup>st</sup> DOSE (12-17) Years</b>					
<b>Region</b>	<b>New (12-13 yrs)</b>	<b>All 1<sup>st</sup> dose (12-13 yrs)</b>	<b>New (14-17 yrs)</b>	<b>All 1<sup>st</sup> dose (14-17 yrs)</b>	<b>GRAND TOTAL 1<sup>st</sup> DOSES (12-17 yrs)</b>
Erongo	0	120	0	237	<b>357</b>
Hardap	1	156	0	290	<b>446</b>
Kharas	0	38	1	51	<b>89</b>
Kavango East	42	465	40	837	<b>1302</b>
Kavango West	33	180	22	278	<b>458</b>
Khomas	1	173	8	346	<b>519</b>
Kunene	2	122	4	194	<b>316</b>
Ohangwena	0	49	0	52	<b>101</b>
Omaheke	0	29	0	55	<b>84</b>
Omusati	0	81	0	60	<b>141</b>
Oshana	1	44	0	95	<b>139</b>
Oshikoto	0	18	0	39	<b>57</b>
Otjozondjupa	0	100	0	130	<b>230</b>
Zambezi	0	3	0	3	<b>6</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>1578</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>2667</b>	<b>4245</b>

Table 9: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines (12-17) Years, 2<sup>nd</sup> dose, 02 February 2022

<b>PFIZER FOR CHILDREN 2<sup>nd</sup> DOSE (12-17) Years</b>					
<b>Region</b>	<b>New (12-13 yrs)</b>	<b>All 2<sup>nd</sup> dose (12-13 yrs)</b>	<b>New (14-17 yrs)</b>	<b>All 2<sup>nd</sup> Dose (14-17 yrs)</b>	<b>GRAND TOTAL 2<sup>nd</sup> DOSE (12-17) Years</b>
Erongo	1	52	0	132	<b>184</b>
Hardap	0	73	0	89	<b>162</b>
Kharas	0	2	0	13	<b>15</b>
Kavango East	0	39	0	62	<b>101</b>
Kavango West	0	5	0	19	<b>24</b>
Khomas	5	105	10	227	<b>332</b>
Kunene	3	5	0	5	<b>10</b>
Ohangwena	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Omaheke	0	9	0	33	<b>42</b>
Omusati	0	4	0	10	<b>14</b>
Oshana	0	10	1	30	<b>40</b>
Oshikoto	0	4	0	12	<b>16</b>
Otjozondjupa	0	30	0	74	<b>104</b>
Zambezi	0	2	0	1	<b>3</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>707</b>	<b>1047</b>

10. *Table 10: Summary of the national update, 02 February 2022*

Cumulative newly confirmed individuals	<b>156 102</b>
Newly confirmed individuals	<b>158</b>
New reinfections	3
Cumulative cases including reinfections	158 123
Recoveries	146 114
Recovery rate	93.5%
Active cases	<b>8 021</b>
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine 1 <sup>st</sup> dose	<b>423 527</b>
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine 2 <sup>nd</sup> dose	246 022
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine completed	<b>360 826</b>
COVID-19 Deaths	3 649
COVID-19 Related Deaths	324
Total Deaths	<b>3 973</b>
Total samples tested	925 250
Active contacts	<b>1 459</b>
Cumulative number of people quarantined	87 141
Number of quarantined people discharged	86 933
Number of people in quarantines	208

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