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SERVICES ON COVID-19 IN NAMIBIA**

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**WINDHOEK**

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1. We announce two hundred and fifty-six (**256**) positive cases from one thousand three hundred and sixty-three (**1 363**) results in the last twenty-four (24) hour reporting cycle, representing a 18.8% positivity ratio. Of these positive cases, two hundred and thirty-two (232) are new cases and twenty-four (24) are reinfections. The sex distribution is one hundred and forty-three (143) females of which one hundred and thirty (130) are new cases and one hundred and thirteen (113) males of which one hundred and two (102) are new cases. The age ranges from five (5) months to eighty-three (83) years.

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

Region	New cases	District	New cases	Reinfections	Total
Khomas	59	Windhoek	59	13	<b>72</b>
Erongo	38	Swakopmund	20	1	<b>21</b>
		Walvis Bay	16	0	<b>16</b>
		Omaruru	1	1	<b>2</b>
		Usakos	1	1	<b>2</b>
Oshana	37	Oshakati	37	3	<b>40</b>
Kharas	31	Luderitz	14	1	<b>15</b>
		Keetmanshoop	13	1	<b>14</b>
		Karasburg	4	0	<b>4</b>
Otjozondjupa	20	Otjiwarongo	6	0	<b>6</b>
		Grootfontein	6	0	<b>6</b>
		Okakarara	5	0	<b>5</b>
		Okahandja	3	0	<b>3</b>
Oshikoto	15	Onandjokwe	14	1	<b>15</b>
		Tsumeb	1	0	<b>1</b>
Omaheke	9	Gobabis	9	0	<b>9</b>
Hardap	6	Rehoboth	5	1	<b>6</b>
		Mariental	1	0	<b>1</b>
Omusati	6	Tsandi	3	1	<b>4</b>
		Outapi	2	0	<b>2</b>
		Oshikuku	1	0	<b>1</b>
Zambezi	5	Katima Mulilo	5	0	<b>5</b>
Kunene	4	Opuwo	3	0	<b>3</b>
		Outjo	1	0	<b>1</b>
Ohangwena	2	Engela	2	0	<b>2</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>232</b>		<b>232</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>256</b>

2. Cases are reported from twelve (12) regions. Among the confirmed cases, are thirty (30) learners from different schools, seven (7) health care workers, seven (7) students and two (2) teachers.
3. Five (5) cases have received one (1) dose of COVID-19 vaccine, forty-one (41) cases are fully vaccinated of which twelve (12) have received a booster dose of COVID-19 vaccine, twenty (20) cases are not eligible, and one hundred and ninety (190) cases are not vaccinated.
4. One hundred and thirty-nine (139) cases from four (5) regions have recovered.

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

Region	Number
Kavango East	70
Khomas	34
Kharas	22
Omusati	9
Otjozondjupa	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>139</b>

5. The number of active cases is two thousand one hundred and twenty-three (2 123). Sixty (60) cases are currently hospitalized in ten (10) regions of which six (6) are in ICU. Three (3) of the hospitalized cases have received one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine and five (5) are fully vaccinated, and none of the ICU admissions is vaccinated.

*Table 3: Distribution of hospitalization of confirmed cases per region, 02 June 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	24	23	0	2	5	8	0	0
Erongo	8	10	0	2	1	1	0	0
Kavango East	7	7	2	0	0	0	0	0
Omusati	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kharas	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oshana	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Otjozondjupa	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hardap	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oshikoto	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ohangwena	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kunene	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Zambezi	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

6. We are reporting one (1) COVID-19 death. A 66-years-old female from Omaruru district died at a health facility on 31 May 2022. The deceased case was not vaccinated.
7. By 1 June 2022, a total of **467 147** people aged 18 years and older have received one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine, representing **32.0%** of the target population (1 471 973). A total of **145 590** have received the Johnson & Johnson vaccine, while **263 314** adults have received two doses of other vaccine types. Hence, **408 904** adults have completed their vaccination, translating to **28.0 %** of the target population.
8. A total of one hundred and twenty-eight (**128**) individuals have received component one of the Sputnik V vaccine and seventy-six (**76**) have received component two of the same vaccine. Hence, a total of two hundred and four (**204**) doses of Sputnik V were administered. This is included in the grand totals above.
9. Twenty-two thousand nine hundred and forty-seven (**22 947**) children aged 12-17 years have received one dose of the Pfizer vaccine, representing **7.5%** of the target population (307 298). Of these, eleven thousand four hundred and ninety-nine (**11 499**) 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 **490 094** of which **420 403** are fully vaccinated, translating to **24.0%** of the total target population (1 779 271).

10. Sixty-seven thousand one hundred and ninety-nine (**67 199**) people have received a vaccine booster dose. Details of vaccinations are presented in tables 4, 5, 6, and 7 below.

*Table 4: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccine 1st dose, 02 June 2022*

Region	Sinopharm		AstraZeneca		Pfizer		J&J		Grand total 1st dose
	New	All	New	All	New	All	New	All	
Erongo	2	16350	2	13292	2	1499	38	11424	<b>42565</b>
Hardap	2	13316	0	5889	7	708	24	8684	<b>28597</b>
Kharas	0	10778	0	4670	1	488	3	7906	<b>23842</b>
Kavango East	6	12258	0	7706	7	2052	40	15282	<b>37298</b>
Kavango West	8	7694	0	5202	5	1299	4	13085	<b>27280</b>
Khomas	19	42685	4	29726	16	5247	153	25467	<b>103125</b>
Kunene	1	12042	0	5525	0	290	9	10274	<b>28131</b>
Ohangwena	5	16412	0	5364	0	302	23	7880	<b>29958</b>
Omaheke	4	10268	1	5413	8	952	31	6594	<b>23227</b>
Omusati	29	14270	4	7340	3	480	28	6608	<b>28698</b>
Oshana	3	13059	0	4884	0	379	19	6263	<b>24585</b>
Oshikoto	1	12478	0	3799	2	287	14	7600	<b>24164</b>
Otjozondjupa	3	12819	2	8702	11	599	16	13233	<b>35353</b>
Zambezi	7	3800	0	953	0	153	35	5290	<b>10196</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>198229</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>108465</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>14735</b>	<b>437</b>	<b>145590</b>	<b>467019</b>

*Table 5: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines 2<sup>nd</sup> dose, 02 June 2022*

Region	Sinopharm		AstraZeneca		Pfizer		Grand total 2nd 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> dose	
Erongo	6	14220	0	11540	5	1047	<b>26807</b>
Hardap	1	11354	0	4543	1	578	<b>16475</b>
Kharas	0	8826	0	3305	2	413	<b>12544</b>
Kavango East	8	8636	0	4203	11	1119	<b>13958</b>
Kavango West	4	5669	0	3539	0	756	<b>9964</b>
Khomas	21	36746	10	24961	9	3993	<b>65700</b>
Kunene	0	9127	1	4158	0	168	<b>13453</b>
Ohangwena	4	13695	1	4294	3	136	<b>18125</b>
Omaheke	4	8872	4	4017	2	1534	<b>14423</b>
Omusati	40	12467	3	6023	9	405	<b>18895</b>
Oshana	4	11614	0	3957	1	305	<b>15876</b>
Oshikoto	7	10899	0	3169	3	225	<b>14293</b>
Otjozondjupa	1	11223	2	6862	29	494	<b>18579</b>
Zambezi	2	3333	0	765	2	48	<b>4146</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>166681</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>85336</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>11221</b>	<b>263238</b>

Table 6: Summary of administered Covid-19 booster doses, 02 June 2022

Region	Sinopharm		AstraZeneca		Pfizer		J&J		Grand total 3rd dose
	New booster dose	All booster dose	New booster dose	All booster dose	New booster dose	All booster dose	New booster dose	All booster dose	
Erongo	7	2128	4	1043	4	3498	15	820	7489
Hardap	6	3229	0	888	8	1236	16	1323	6676
Kharas	10	1474	1	430	1	486	3	252	2642
Kavango East	18	1160	3	508	7	650	37	1007	3325
Kavango West	7	1228	0	573	0	717	2	944	3462
Khomas	131	3766	46	1826	50	6717	82	1446	13755
Kunene	13	2279	2	794	0	745	6	1153	4971
Ohangwena	21	919	3	317	3	65	3	203	1504
Omaheke	25	3100	3	1535	6	1002	0	101	5738
Omusati	100	2078	11	860	19	675	12	328	3941
Oshana	22	2168	0	615	6	733	12	601	4117
Oshikoto	14	1523	1	453	2	310	8	227	2513
Otjozondjupa	29	2435	10	1178	14	1249	0	682	5544
Zambezi	9	794	1	148	3	143	14	437	1522
<b>Total</b>	<b>412</b>	<b>28281</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>11168</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>18226</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>9524</b>	<b>67199</b>

Table 7: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines (12-17) Years, 1<sup>st</sup> dose, 02 June 2022

PFIZER FOR CHILDREN 1 <sup>st</sup> DOSE (12-17) Years					
Region	New (12-13 yrs)	All 1 <sup>st</sup> dose (12-13 yrs)	New (14-17 yrs)	All 1 <sup>st</sup> dose (14-17 yrs)	GRAND TOTAL 1 <sup>st</sup> DOSES (12-17 yrs)
Erongo	1	205	5	393	598
Hardap	1	343	7	989	1332
Kharas	0	136	0	202	338
Kavango East	0	1479	5	3822	5301
Kavango West	0	1765	3	3518	5283
Khomas	3	319	7	700	1019
Kunene	40	404	5	792	1196
Ohangwena	0	915	1	2521	3436
Omaheke	0	233	2	334	567
Omusati	1	112	0	110	222
Oshana	0	166	0	450	616
Oshikoto	0	490	0	1591	2081
Otjozondjupa	2	164	4	538	702
Zambezi	0	31	0	225	256
<b>Total</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>6762</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>16185</b>	<b>22947</b>

Table 8: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines (12-17) Years, 2<sup>nd</sup> dose, 02 June 2022

PFIZER FOR CHILDREN 2 <sup>nd</sup> DOSE (12-17) Years					
Region	New (12-13 yrs)	All 2 <sup>nd</sup> dose (12-13 yrs)	New (14-17 yrs)	All 2nd Dose (14-17 yrs)	GRAND TOTAL 2 <sup>nd</sup> DOSE (12-17) Years
Erongo	11	101	5	261	362
Hardap	0	152	1	259	411
Kharas	0	32	0	55	87
Kavango East	4	781	9	2071	2852
Kavango West	0	1000	0	2122	3122
Khomas	2	246	4	643	889
Kunene	5	103	3	177	280
Ohangwena	0	340	2	886	1226
Omaheke	0	157	0	242	399
Omusati	3	15	0	30	45
Oshana	0	74	0	197	271
Oshikoto	1	315	2	845	1160
Otjozondjupa	0	59	1	197	256
Zambezi	2	17	12	122	139
<b>Total</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>3392</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>8107</b>	<b>11499</b>

11. Table 9: Summary of the national update, 02 June 2022

Cumulative newly confirmed individuals	164 298
Newly confirmed individuals	232
New reinfections	24
Cumulative cases including reinfections	167 115
Recoveries	160 938
Recovery rate	98%
Active cases	2 123
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine 1 <sup>st</sup> dose	490 094
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine 2 <sup>nd</sup> dose	274 813
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine completed	420 403
COVID-19 Deaths	3 698
COVID-19 Related Deaths	341
Total Deaths	4 039
Total samples tested	1 042 169
Active contacts	1 352
The cumulative number of people quarantined	94 509
Number of quarantined people discharged	93 557
Number of people in quarantines	952

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