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SERVICES ON COVID-19 IN NAMIBIA

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1. We announce eighty-seven (**87**) positive cases from one thousand and five hundred and ninety-eight (**1 598**) results in the last twenty-four (24) hour reporting cycle, which represents **5.4%** positivity ratio. Out of the total confirmed cases, eighty-five (85) are new cases and two (2) are reinfections. The sex distribution of the cases is forty-six (46) males of which forty-five (45) are new cases and forty-one (41) females of which 40 are new cases. The age range of the cases is from one (1) year to eighty (80) years.

Table 1: New COVID-19 positive cases & reinfections, 03 February 2022

Region	New cases	District	New cases	Reinfections	Total
Gobabis	40	Gobabis	40	0	40
Khomas	10	Windhoek	10	1	11
Erongo	8	Swakopmund	6	0	6
		Usakos	1	0	1
		Walvis Bay	1	0	1
Omusati	7	Outapi	4	0	4
		Tsandi	2	0	2
		Oshikuku	1	0	1
Otjozondjupa	5	Okahandja	2	0	2
		Okakarara	2	0	2
		Otjiwarongo	1	0	1
Ohangwena	5	Engela	4	0	4
		Eenhana	1	0	1
Oshikoto	3	Onandjokwe	3	0	3
Oshana	2	Oshakati	2	1	3
Kharas	2	Luderitz	2	0	2
Kunene	2	Outjo	2	0	2
Zambezi	1	Katima Mulilo	1	0	1
Total	85		85	2	87

2. We are reporting cases from 11 regions, with Omaheke region recording highest number of cases (40), constituting 46.0% of the total cases.
3. Among the confirmed cases, forty-three (43) are learners of which (37) are from Epako High School in Gobabis district and one (1) student. Six (6) cases are fully vaccinated while eighty-one (81) cases are not vaccinated, accounting for **93.1%** of the total confirmed cases.
4. Sixty (**60**) cases from ten (10) regions have recovered.

Table 2: Distribution of new recoveries by region, 03 February 2022

Region	Number
Oshana	19
Omusati	14
Zambezi	8
Kunene	4
Otjozondjupa	4
Omaheke	3
Khomas	3
Kharas	3
Ohangwena	1
Oshikoto	1
Total	60

5. The number of active cases is eight thousand and forty-seven (**8 047**). Ninety-one (**91**) cases are hospitalized across thirteen (13) regions, except Kavango West region. Two (**2**) of the hospitalized cases have received one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine, five (**5**) are fully vaccinated, while eighty-four (**84**) are not vaccinated constituting **92.3%** of all hospitalized cases. Nine (**9**) cases are in ICU. None of the ICU cases is vaccinated.

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

Region	Hospitalized cases		Vaccinated		ICU		Vaccinated	
	Current	Previous	1 st dose	2 nd dose	Current	Previous	1 st dose	2 nd dose
Omusati	17	16	0	0	0	0	0	0
Khomas	15	17	0	0	7	5	0	0
Ohangwena	12	12	1	0	0	0	0	0
Erongo	10	12	1	4	0	1	0	0
Oshana	9	10	0	0	1	1	0	0
Kunene	5	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
Zambezi	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hardap	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Otjozondjupa	4	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
Oshikoto	3	4	0	0	0	2	0	0
Kavango East	3	3	0	0	1	1	0	0
Kharas	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Omaheke	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	91	95	2	5	9	10	0	0

6. We are reporting one (1) COVID-19 death. A 77 years male from Tsandi district died at a health facility on 1 February 2022. The deceased was not vaccinated.
7. By 2 February 2022, a total of **420 228** 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 **115 449** have received the Johnson & Johnson vaccine, while **245 196** adults have received two doses of other vaccine types. Hence, **360 645** adults have completed their vaccination, translating to **24.5%** of the target population.
8. Four thousands six hundred and eighty-four (**4 684**) children aged 12-17 years have received one dose of the Pfizer vaccine, representing **1.5%** of the target population (307 298). Of these, one thousand and seventy-two (**1 072**) 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 **424 912** of which **361 717** are fully vaccinated, translating to **20.3%** of the total target population (1 779 271).
9. Seventeen thousands six hundred and seventeen (**17 617**) 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, 03 February 2022

Region	Sinopharm		AstraZeneca		Sputnik V		Pfizer		J&J		Total 1st dose
	New	All	New	All	New	All	New	All	New	All	
Erongo	9	16059	3	13190	0	3	6	1192	33	9708	40152
Hardap	5	12762	3	5606	0	0	0	552	7	7179	26099
Kharas	3	10404	0	4594	0	0	3	289	20	6190	21477
Kavango East	34	10820	31	7113	0	0	26	1557	131	11507	30997
Kavango West	86	6020	11	4536	0	0	11	857	246	10031	21444
Khomas	14	42104	6	29544	0	94	17	4504	82	21142	97388
Kunene	0	11730	0	5432	0	0	0	136	0	8191	25489
Ohangwena	0	15864	0	5293	0	2	0	127	0	6100	27386
Omaheke	0	8347	0	5008	0	0	0	308	0	5474	19137
Omusati	4	13618	1	7220	0	0	0	312	15	5649	26799
Oshana	6	12576	0	4782	0	29	2	271	17	4726	22384
Oshikoto	4	12199	0	3718	0	0	0	91	20	6264	22272
Otjozondjupa	6	12486	8	8466	0	0	0	319	71	10327	31598
Zambezi	1	3635	1	940	0	0	0	70	3	2961	7606
Total	172	188624	64	105442	0	128	65	10585	645	115449	420228

Table 6: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines 2nd dose, 03 February 2022

Region	Sinopharm		AstraZeneca		Sputnik V		Pfizer		Total 2 nd dose
	New 2 nd dose	All 2 nd dose	New 2 nd dose	All 2 nd dose	New 2 nd dose	All 2 nd doses	New 2 nd dose	All 2 nd dose	
Erongo	7	13858	4	11366	0	5	6	654	25883
Hardap	6	10829	10	4266	0	0	1	388	15483
Kharas	5	8462	3	3179	0	0	1	207	11848
Kavango East	14	7689	9	3800	0	0	2	637	12126
Kavango West	33	4717	11	2987	0	0	28	326	8030
Khomas	13	35972	9	24624	0	63	11	3099	63758
Kunene	0	8777	0	4037	0	0	0	87	12901
Ohangwena	0	13157	0	4139	0	0	0	28	17324
Omaheke	0	6047	0	3044	0	0	0	168	9259
Omusati	6	11890	0	5857	0	0	0	245	17992
Oshana	4	11171	1	3849	0	8	4	194	15222
Oshikoto	6	10634	2	3086	0	0	0	48	13768
Otjozondjupa	5	10895	11	6492	0	0	6	268	17655
Zambezi	1	3179	1	742	0	0	1	26	3947
Total	100	157277	61	81468	0	76	60	6375	245196

Table 7: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines 3rd dose, 03 February 2022

Region	Sinopharm		AstraZeneca		Sputnik V		Pfizer		Grand total 3 rd dose
	New 3 rd dose	All 3 rd dose	New 3 rd dose	All 3 rd dose	New 3 rd dose	All 3 rd doses	New 3 rd dose	All 3 rd dose	
Erongo	40	931	42	140	0	0	32	2085	3156
Hardap	16	795	20	69	0	0	1	736	1600
Kharas	4	357	3	38	0	0	0	180	575
Kavango East	20	256	7	9	0	0	21	189	454
Kavango West	20	127	31	41	0	0	10	123	291
Khomas	61	1704	34	455	0	0	91	3837	5996
Kunene	0	677	0	48	0	0	0	362	1087
Ohangwena	0	110	0	2	0	0	0	2	114
Omaheke	0	93	0	8	0	0	0	38	139
Omusati	13	436	15	38	0	0	0	280	754
Oshana	31	712	1	58	0	0	21	409	1179
Oshikoto	3	470	2	48	0	0	0	156	674
Otjozondjupa	38	716	20	88	0	0	15	613	1417
Zambezi	3	113	2	9	0	0	0	59	181
Total	249	7497	177	1051	0	0	191	9069	17617

Table 8: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines (12-17) Years, 1st dose, 03 February 2022

PFIZER FOR CHILDREN 1st DOSE (12-17) Years					
Region	New (12-13 yrs)	All 1st dose (12-13 yrs)	New (14-17 yrs)	All 1st dose (14-17 yrs)	GRAND TOTAL 1st DOSES (12-17 yrs)
Erongo	0	120	4	241	361
Hardap	0	156	0	290	446
Kharas	0	38	0	51	89
Kavango East	8	473	20	857	1330
Kavango West	119	299	280	558	857
Khomas	1	174	5	351	525
Kunene	0	122	0	194	316
Ohangwena	0	49	0	52	101
Omaheke	0	29	0	55	84
Omusati	1	82	0	60	142
Oshana	0	44	0	95	139
Oshikoto	0	18	0	39	57
Otjozondjupa	1	101	0	130	231
Zambezi	0	3	0	3	6
Total	130	1708	309	2976	4684

Table 9: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines (12-17) Years, 2nd dose, 03 February 2022

PFIZER FOR CHILDREN 2nd DOSE (12-17) Years					
Region	New (12-13 yrs)	All 2nd dose (12-13 yrs)	New (14-17 yrs)	All 2nd Dose (14-17 yrs)	GRAND TOTAL 2nd DOSE (12-17) Years
Erongo	0	52	4	136	188
Hardap	0	73	0	89	162
Kharas	0	2	0	13	15
Kavango East	1	40	0	62	102
Kavango West	5	10	3	22	32
Khomas	1	106	3	230	336
Kunene	0	5	0	5	10
Ohangwena	0	0	0	0	0
Omaheke	0	9	0	33	42
Omusati	0	4	0	10	14
Oshana	3	13	3	33	46
Oshikoto	0	4	0	12	16
Otjozondjupa	0	30	2	76	106
Zambezi	0	2	0	1	3
Total	10	350	15	722	1072

10. *Table 10: Summary of the national update, 03 February 2022*

Cumulative newly confirmed individuals	156 187
Newly confirmed individuals	85
New reinfections	2
Cumulative cases including reinfections	158 210
Recoveries	146 174
Recovery rate	93.5%
Active cases	8 047
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine 1 st dose	424 912
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine 2 nd dose	246 268
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine completed	361 717
COVID-19 Deaths	3 650
COVID-19 Related Deaths	324
Total Deaths	3 974
Total samples tested	926 848
Active contacts	1 067
Cumulative number of people quarantined	87 141
Number of quarantined people discharged	86 933
Number of people in quarantines	208

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