

MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

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WINDHOEK *Check against Delivery 1. We announce thirteen (13) positive cases from six hundred and forty-seven (647) results in the last twenty-four (24) hour reporting cycle, representing 2.0% positivity ratio. Of these, twelve (12) are new and one (1) is a reinfection. The sex distribution of the cases is seven (7) males of which six (6) are new cases and six (6) females which are all new cases. The age ranges from fourteen (14) years to sixty (60) years.

Region	New cases	District	New cases	Reinfections	Total
Khomas	9	Windhoek	9	0	9
Frongo	3	Swakopmund	2	0	2
Erongo	5	Walvis bay	1	1	2
Total	12		12	1	13

Table 1: New COVID-19 positive cases & reinfections, 04 April 2022

- Among the confirmed cases, five (5) are learners, one (1) is a health-care worker and one (1) is a teacher. One (1) case has received one (1) dose of COVID-19 vaccine and two (2) cases are fully vaccinated, while ten (10) cases are not vaccinated.
- 3. One (1) case from one (1) region has recovered.
- 4. The number of active cases is two hundred and seven (207). Eleven (11) cases are currently hospitalized in two (2) regions, of which none is in ICU. All hospitalized cases are not vaccinated.

	Hospitalized cases		Vacc	inated	ICU		Vaccinated	
Region	Current	Previous	1 st dose	2 nd dose	Current	Previous	1 st dose	2 nd dose
Ohangwena	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
Zambezi	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	11	11	0	0	0	0	0	0

Table 3: Distribution of hospitalization of confirmed cases per region, 04 April 2022

- 5. We have not recorded death during the period under review.
- By 3 March 2022, a total of 447 122 people aged 18 years and older have received one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine, representing 30.4% of the target population (1 471 973). A total of 132 082 have received the Johnson & Johnson vaccine, while 257 713 adults have received two doses of other vaccine types. Hence, 389 795 adults have completed their vaccination, translating to 26.5 % of the target population.
- 7. A total of one hundred and twenty-eight (128) individuals have received component one of 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.
- Thirteen thousand six hundred and forty-three (13 643) children aged 12-17 years have received one dose of the Pfizer vaccine, representing 4.4% of the target population (307 298). Of these, five thousand two hundred and eighty-three (5 283) 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 **460 765** of which **395 078** are fully vaccinated, translating to **22.2%** of the total target population (1 779 271).

9. Forty-four thousand nine hundred and fifty-four (**44 954**) people have received a COVID-19 vaccine booster dose. Details of vaccinations are presented in tables 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8.

р ·	Sin	opharm	AstraZeneca		Р	fizer		Grand	
Region	New	All	New	All	New	All	New	All	total 1st dose
Erongo	3	16267	0	13241	4	1353	6	10708	4156
Hardap	0	13046	0	5727	0	633	0	7927	2733
Kharas	0	10606	0	4615	0	451	0	7205	2287
Kavango East	17	11720	7	7537	4	1838	29	14308	3540
Kavango West	0	7070	0	4861	0	1125	0	11854	2491
Khomas	4	42451	3	29628	20	4956	59	23581	10061
Kunene	2	11902	2	5475	1	214	34	9255	2684
Ohangwena	0	16169	0	5334	0	258	0	6968	2872
Omaheke	0	10215	0	5399	0	759	2	6150	2252
Omusati	8	13943	1	7272	0	358	7	6100	2767
Oshana	0	12831	0	4808	0	319	0	5503	2346
Oshikoto	0	12289	0	3731	1	123	27	6669	2281
Otjozondjupa	0	12648	0	8586	0	415	0	11971	3362
Zambezi	0	3721	0	940	0	78	24	3883	862
Total	34	194878	13	107154	30	12880	188	132082	44699

10. Table 4: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccine 1st dose, 04 April 2022

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	Sinopharm			Astra	AstraZeneca				Grand total			
Region	New	2 nd	All 2	nd	New	2 nd	All 2 nd	New	2 nd	All	2 nd	2nd dose
	dose		dose		dose		dose	dose		dose		
Erongo		3	141	1		2	11479		5		917	26507
Hardap		0	1112	21		0	4423		0		507	16051
Kharas		0	869	97		0	3258		0		363	12318
Kavango East		4	818	31		16	4080		6		884	13145
Kavango West		0	520)0		0	3246		0		496	8942
Khomas		15	3646	50		6	24849		17		3719	65028
Kunene		7	902	27		1	4117		1		138	13282
Ohangwena		0	1352	21		0	4261		0		40	17822
Omaheke		1	88]	17		1	3971		0		1491	14279
Omusati		9	1219	91		2	5949		1		341	18481
Oshana		0	1141	17		0	3901		0		268	15586
Oshikoto		12	1076	57		0	3137		0		79	13983
Otjozondjupa		0	1109	99		0	6711		0		356	18166
Zambezi		0	325	56		0	753		1		38	4047
Total		51	16380	55		28	84135		31		9637	257637

Region	Sinopha	rm	AstraZeneca Pfizer				Grand		
0	New	All	New	All	New	All	New	All	total 3rd
	booster	booster	booster	booster	booster	booster	booster	booster	dose
	dose	dose	dose	dose	dose	dose	dose	dose	
Erongo	1	1743	8	716	23	3044	5	421	5924
Hardap	0	2296	0	505	0	1006	0	426	4233
Kharas	0	952	0	216	0	355	0	112	1635
Kavango East	13	651	8	259	1	319	7	581	1810
Kavango West	0	688	0	262	0	419	0	391	1760
Khomas	23	2763	26	1046	33	5545	19	737	10091
Kunene	17	1836	10	507	0	683	30	731	3757
Ohangwena	0	414	0	128	0	26	0	63	631
Omaheke	6	2657	10	1302	0	904	0	61	4924
Omusati	13	1043	10	409	0	509	6	95	2056
Oshana	0	1354	0	281	0	613	0	235	2483
Oshikoto	1	945	0	224	13	247	1	79	1495
Otjozondjupa	0	1735	0	603	0	978	0	8	3324
Zambezi	4	490	2	71	3	112	0	158	831
Total	78	19567	74	6529	73	14760	68	4098	44954

Table 6: Summary of administered Covid-19 booster doses, 04 April 2022

 Table 7: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines (12-17) Years, 1st dose, 04 April 2022

 PEIZER FOR CHILDREN 1st DOSE (12-17) Years

	PFIZER FOR CHILDREN 1st DOSE (12-17) Years									
Region	New (12-13	All 1 st dose	New (14-17	All 1 st dose	GRAND TOTAL 1st DOSES					
	yrs)	(12-13 yrs)	yrs)	(14-17 yrs)	(12-17 yrs)					
Erongo	0	162	0	298	460					
Hardap	0	234	0	387	621					
Kharas	0	88	0	137	225					
Kavango East	38	1346	136	3304	4650					
Kavango West	0	1378	0	2575	3953					
Khomas	3	246	6	515	761					
Kunene	9	216	6	350	566					
Ohangwena	0	306	0	695	1001					
Omaheke	0	206	0	295	501					
Omusati	2	93	3	72	165					
Oshana	0	89	0	169	258					
Oshikoto	9	55	5	83	138					
Otjozondjupa	0	130	0	207	337					
Zambezi	0	4	0	3	7					
Total	61	4553	156	9090	13643					

	PFIZER FOR CHILDREN 2 nd DOSE (12-17) Years								
Region	New (12-13 yrs)	All 2 nd dose (12-13 yrs)	New (14-17 yrs)	All 2nd Dose (14-17 yrs)	GRAND TOTAL 2 nd DOSE (12-17) Years				
Erongo	0	69	0	189	258				
Hardap	0	120	0	144	264				
Kharas	0	20	0	32	52				
Kavango East	31	641	44	1491	2132				
Kavango West	0	444	0	717	1161				
Khomas	0	168	4	400	568				
Kunene	0	80	6	59	139				
Ohangwena	0	3	0	4	7				
Omaheke	0	133	0	223	356				
Omusati	0	7	0	16	23				
Oshana	0	36	0	76	112				
Oshikoto	0	10	0	31	41				
Otjozondjupa	0	48	0	117	165				
Zambezi	0	3	0	2	5				
Total	31	1782	54	3501	5283				

Table 8: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines (12-17) Years, 2nd dose, 04 April 2022

11. Table 9: Summary of the national update, 04 April 2022

Cumulative newly confirmed individuals	157 776
Newly confirmed individuals	12
New reinfections	1
Cumulative cases including reinfections	159 881
Recoveries	155 640
Recovery rate	97.3%
Active cases	207
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine 1 st dose	460 765
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine 2 nd dose	262 996
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine completed	395 078
COVID-19 Deaths	3 690
COVID-19 Related Deaths	330
Total Deaths	4 020
Total samples tested	987 182
Active contacts	94
Cumulative number of people quarantined	89 998
Number of quarantined people discharged	89 862
Number of people in quarantines	136

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