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SERVICES ON COVID-19 IN NAMIBIA

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1. We announce seventy-three (**73**) all new positive cases from one thousand one hundred and twenty-one (**1 121**) results in the last twenty-four (24) hour reporting cycle, which represents **6.5%** positivity ratio. The sex distribution of the cases is thirty-seven (37) males and thirty-six (36) females. The age range is from ten (10) months to seventy-five (75) years.

Table 1: New COVID-19 positive cases & reinfections, 06 February 2022

Region	New cases	District	New cases	Reinfections	Total
Omaheke	40	Gobabis	40	0	40
Erongo	10	Swakopmund	8	0	8
		Walvis Bay	2	0	2
Khomas	9	Windhoek	9	0	9
Omusati	6	Outapi	4	0	4
		Oshukuku	2	0	2
Kharas	3	Keetmashoop	3	0	3
Kavango West	2	Ncamagoro	2	0	2
Oshikoto	1	Omuthiya	1	0	1
Otjozondjupa	1	Grootfontein	1	0	1
Zambezi	1	Katima Mulilo	1	0	1
Total	73		73	0	73

2. We are reporting cases from 9 regions, with more than half of the cases (40) recorded from Omaheke region, constituting **54.8%** of the total cases.
3. Among the confirmed cases, forty-four (44) are learners of which thirty-seven (37) are from Otjivero Primary School in Gobabis district. This is the third school in Gobabis district with clusters of cases since 1 February 2022. Three (3) teachers and two (2) health care workers also tested positive for COVID-19.
4. Two (2) cases received one dose of the COVID-19 vaccines and five (5) cases are fully vaccinated of which three (3) received a booster dose while sixty-six (66) cases are not vaccinated, accounting for **90.4%** of the total confirmed cases.
5. Four hundred and forty-two (**442**) cases from two (2) regions have recovered.

Table 2: Distribution of new recoveries by region, 06 February 2022

Region	Number
Erongo	430
Otjozondjupa	12
Total	442

6. The number of active cases is five thousand nine hundred and eighty-nine (**5 989**). Seventy-two (**72**) cases are currently 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 sixty-five (**65**) are not vaccinated constituting **90.2%** of all hospitalized cases. Four (**4**) cases are in Intensive Care Unit (ICU). None of the ICU cases is vaccinated.

Table 3: Distribution of hospitalization of confirmed cases per region, 05 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	15	15	0	0	0	0	0	0
Khomas	12	16	0	0	2	6	0	0
Erongo	10	10	1	4	0	0	0	0
Ohangwena	8	8	1	0	0	0	0	0
Oshana	7	7	0	0	1	1	0	0
Hardap	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oshikoto	4	4	0	0	1	1	0	0
Otjozondjupa	3	5	0	1	0	0	0	0
Kavango East	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kunene	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Omaheke	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Zambezi	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kharas	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	72	78	2	5	4	8	0	0

7. We have not recorded any death due to Covid-19 over the last reporting cycle.
8. By 5 February 2022, a total of **421 280** people aged 18 years and older have received one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine, representing **28.6%** of the target population (1 471 973). A total of **116 142** have received the Johnson & Johnson vaccine, while **245 549** adults have received two doses of other vaccine types. Hence, **361 691** adults have completed their vaccination, translating to **24.6%** of the target population.
9. Five thousand and thirty-one (**5 036**) children aged 12-17 years have received one dose of the Pfizer vaccine, representing **1.6%** of the target population (307 298). Of these, one thousand one hundred and fifty six (**1 156**) 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 **426 316** of which **362 847** are fully vaccinated, translating to **20.4%** of the total target population (1 779 271).

10. Eighteen thousand five hundred and twenty-five (**18 525**) people have received a COVID-19 vaccine booster dose. Details of vaccinations are presented in tables 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 below.

Table 4: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines 1st dose 6 February 2022

Region	Sinopharm		Astrazeneca		Sputnik		Pfizer		J&J		Total st dose
	New	All	New	All	New	All	New	All	New	All	
Erongo	0	16063	0	13190	0	3	0	1196	0	9736	40188
Hardap	0	12772	0	5608	0	0	0	556	0	7208	26144
Kharas	0	10413	0	4596	0	0	0	362	0	6272	21643
Kavango East	0	10825	0	7113	0	0	0	1561	0	11574	31073
Kavango West	0	6054	0	4550	0	0	0	862	0	10082	21548
Khomas	6	42132	5	29558	0	94	4	4539	23	21281	97604
Kunene	0	11750	0	5434	0	0	0	137	0	8241	25562
Ohangwena	0	15911	0	5293	0	2	0	129	0	6204	27539
Omaheke	0	8349	0	5008	0	0	0	309	0	5499	19165
Omusati	0	13624	0	7221	0	0	0	312	0	5659	26816
Oshana	0	12582	0	4784	0	29	0	278	0	4763	22436
Oshikoto	0	12204	0	3719	0	0	0	93	0	6277	22293
Otjozondjupa	1	12488	1	8469	0	0	0	320	23	10376	31653
Zambezi	1	3636	0	940	0	0	0	70	3	2970	7616
Total	7	188803	6	105483	0	128	4	10724	46	116142	421280

Table 5: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines 2nd dose, 06 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	0	13863	0	11370	0	5	0	661	25899
Hardap	0	10839	0	4291	0	0	0	389	15519
Kharas	0	8466	0	3192	0	0	0	209	11867
Kavango East	0	7691	0	3801	0	0	0	638	12130
Kavango West	0	4731	0	3009	0	0	0	330	8070
Khomas	8	36007	5	24657	0	63	11	3152	63879
Kunene	0	8799	0	4047	0	0	0	87	12933
Ohangwena	0	13179	0	4139	0	0	0	34	17352
Omaheke	0	6050	0	3044	0	0	0	169	9263
Omusati	0	11897	0	5860	0	0	0	245	18002
Oshana	0	11180	0	3854	0	8	0	200	15242
Oshikoto	0	10638	0	3087	0	0	0	54	13779
Otjozondjupa	1	10898	1	6498	0	0	1	270	17666
Zambezi	0	3180	0	742	0	0	0	26	3948
Total	9	157418	6	81591	0	76	12	6464	245549

Table 6: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines 3rd dose, 06 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	0	952	0	148	0	0	0	2106	3206
Hardap	0	834	0	102	0	0	0	740	1676
Kharas	0	370	0	45	0	0	0	187	602
Kavango East	0	262	0	11	0	0	0	189	462
Kavango West	0	133	0	44	0	0	0	124	301
Khomas	8	1815	8	514	0	0	23	3971	6300
Kunene	0	831	0	140	0	0	0	363	1334
Ohangwena	0	125	0	2	0	0	0	2	129
Omaheke	0	99	0	12	0	0	0	39	150
Omusati	0	439	0	40	0	0	0	280	759
Oshana	0	749	0	75	0	0	0	420	1244
Oshikoto	0	486	0	54	0	0	0	160	700
Otjozondjupa	8	743	14	114	0	0	3	616	1473
Zambezi	0	117	0	13	0	0	0	59	189
Total	16	7955	22	1314	0	0	26	9256	18525

Table 7: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines (12-17) Years, 1st dose, 06 February 2022

PFIZER FOR CHILDREN 1 st DOSE (12-17) Years					
Region	New (12-13 yrs)	All 1 st dose (12-13 yrs)	New (14-17 yrs)	All 1 st dose (14-17 yrs)	GRAND TOTAL 1 st DOSES (12-17 yrs)
Erongo	0	124	0	242	366
Hardap	0	157	0	290	447
Kharas	0	38	0	52	90
Kavango East	0	529	0	912	1441
Kavango West	0	356	0	650	1006
Khomas	0	195	4	376	571
Kunene	0	130	0	206	336
Ohangwena	0	49	0	52	101
Omaheke	0	37	0	61	98
Omusati	0	82	0	60	142
Oshana	0	45	0	98	143
Oshikoto	0	18	0	39	57
Otjozondjupa	1	102	0	130	232
Zambezi	0	3	0	3	6
Total	1	1865	4	3171	5036

Table 8: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines (12-17) Years, 2nd dose, 06 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	0	138	190
Hardap	0	76	0	89	165
Kharas	0	2	0	13	15
Kavango East	0	49	0	73	122
Kavango West	0	11	0	24	35
Khomas	8	117	10	259	376
Kunene	0	6	0	5	11
Ohangwena	0	0	0	0	0
Omaheke	0	11	0	33	44
Omusati	0	4	0	10	14
Oshana	0	17	0	36	53
Oshikoto	0	4	0	12	16
Otjozondjupa	2	34	1	78	112
Zambezi	0	2	0	1	3
Total	10	385	11	771	1156

11. Table 9: Summary of the national update, 06 February 2022

Cumulative newly confirmed individuals	156 444
Newly confirmed individuals	73
New reinfections	0
Cumulative cases including reinfections	158 474
Recoveries	148 490
Recovery rate	95%
Active cases	5 989
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine 1 st dose	426 316
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine 2 nd dose	246 705
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine completed	362 847
COVID-19 Deaths	3 655
COVID-19 Related Deaths	325
Total Deaths	3 980
Total samples tested	930 809
Active contacts	1 369
Cumulative number of people quarantined	87 290
Number of quarantined people discharged	86 989
Number of people in quarantines	301

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