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SERVICES ON COVID-19 IN NAMIBIA

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1. We announce seventeen (**17**) new positive cases from six hundred and ninety-five (**695**) results in the last twenty-four (24) hour reporting cycle, representing **2.4%** positivity ratio. The sex distribution of the cases is fourteen (14) females and three (3) males. The age ranges from one (1) year to fifty-two (52) years.

Table 1: New COVID-19 positive cases & reinfections, 08 April 2022

Region	New cases	District	New cases	Reinfections	Total
Khomas	10	Windhoek	10	0	10
Ohangwena	5	Engela	5	0	5
Kunene	1	Outjo	1	0	1
Erongo	1	Swakopmund	1	0	1
Total	17		17	0	17

2. Among the confirmed cases, three (3) are learners and one (1) is a teacher. One (1) case has received one (1) dose of COVID-19 vaccine and four (4) cases are fully vaccinated of which one (1) has received a booster dose, while twelve (12) cases are not vaccinated.
3. Eight (8) cases from four (4) regions have recovered.

Table 2: Distribution of new recoveries by region, 08 April 2022

Region	Number
Kharas	4
Oshikoto	2
Ohangwena	1
Otjozondjupa	1
Total	8

4. The number of active cases is two hundred and sixty-two (**262**). Twelve (**12**) cases are hospitalized in six (6) regions. None is in ICU. All cases are not vaccinated.

Table 3: Distribution of hospitalization of confirmed cases per region, 08 April 2022

Region	Hospitalized cases		Vaccinated		ICU		Vaccinated	
	Current	Previous	1 st dose	2 nd dose	Current	Previous	1 st dose	2 nd dose
Otjozondjupa	7	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
Zambezi	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Khomas	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ohangwena	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kharas	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oshana	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	12	12	0	0	0	0	0	0

5. We have not recorded death during the period under review.
6. By 8 March 2022, a total of **449 638 people** aged 18 years and older have received one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine, representing **30.5%** of the target population (1 471 973). A total of **133 803** have received the Johnson & Johnson vaccine, while **258 441** adults have received two doses of other vaccine types. Hence, **392 244** adults have completed their vaccination, translating to **26.6 %** 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.
8. Sixteen thousand two hundred and eighty (**16 280**) children aged 12-17 years have received one dose of the Pfizer vaccine, representing **5.3%** of the target population (307 298). Of these, six thousand three hundred and eight (**6 308**) 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 **465 918** of which **398 552** are fully vaccinated, translating to **22.4%** of the total target population (1 779 271).
9. Forty-seven thousand two hundred and eighteen (**47 218**) people have received COVID-19 vaccine booster dose. Details of vaccinations are presented in tables 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8.

10. *Table 4: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccine 1st dose, 08 April 2022*

Region	Sinopharm		AstraZeneca		Pfizer		J&J		Grand total 1st dose
	New	All	New	All	New	All	New	All	
Erongo	1	16274	2	13250	1	1361	39	10820	41705
Hardap	12	13074	3	5750	3	641	20	7995	27460
Kharas	2	10624	1	4620	1	456	20	7277	22977
Kavango East	43	11812	2	7541	9	1851	60	14443	35647
Kavango West	29	7177	3	4917	13	1186	87	12104	25384
Khomas	7	42474	3	29638	5	4982	42	23748	100842
Kunene	0	11905	0	5480	0	216	0	9316	26917
Ohangwena	23	16255	2	5342	0	262	90	7269	29128
Omaheke	0	10215	0	5400	0	767	0	6164	22546
Omusati	4	13960	2	7277	2	360	3	6126	27723
Oshana	3	12854	0	4810	0	321	15	5572	23557
Oshikoto	6	12319	7	3744	19	166	72	6814	23043
Otjozondjupa	5	12657	1	8598	1	426	75	12159	33840
Zambezi	3	3725	0	941	1	79	28	3996	8741
Total	138	195325	26	107308	55	13074	551	133803	449510

Table 5: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines 2nd dose, 08 April 2022

Region	Sinopharm		AstraZeneca		Pfizer				Grand total 2nd dose
	New dose	2 nd dose	New dose	2 nd dose	New dose	2 nd dose	All dose	2 nd dose	
Erongo	2	14131	1	11483	3		936		26550
Hardap	4	11142	3	4434	5		517		16093
Kharas	2	8708	0	3263	2		374		12345
Kavango East	45	8245	9	4103	17		917		13265
Kavango West	28	5281	24	3302	17		550		9133
Khomas	4	36494	4	24864	15		3763		65121
Kunene	0	9035	0	4121	0		138		13294
Ohangwena	11	13554	5	4272	2		43		17869
Omaheke	0	8818	0	3973	0		1494		14285
Omusati	8	12219	3	5955	2		344		18518
Oshana	5	11441	1	3907	1		273		15621
Oshikoto	2	10779	1	3140	0		80		13999
Otjozondjupa	4	11114	1	6734	1		369		18217
Zambezi	3	3264	0	753	0		38		4055
Total	118	164225	52	84304	65		9836		258365

Table 6: Summary of administered Covid-19 booster doses, 08 April 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	5	1782	6	749	16	3095	10	472	6098
Hardap	22	2404	25	576	2	1022	46	571	4573
Kharas	22	1007	1	223	8	374	6	123	1727
Kavango East	67	746	13	278	29	354	20	617	1995
Kavango West	35	780	20	322	22	451	13	445	1998
Khomas	16	2839	13	1128	20	5643	14	808	10418
Kunene	0	1865	0	529	0	686	0	762	3842
Ohangwena	46	507	14	165	2	29	4	76	777
Omaheke	0	2672	0	1323	0	912	0	61	4968
Omusati	17	1115	3	441	2	516	1	106	2178
Oshana	11	1412	11	312	3	628	7	272	2624
Oshikoto	22	1014	3	238	5	254	0	103	1609
Otjozondjupa	32	1847	19	677	11	1025	0	8	3557
Zambezi	0	490	0	74	4	120	4	170	854
Total	295	20480	128	7035	124	15109	125	4594	47218

Table 7: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines (12-17) Years, 1st dose, 08 April 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	164	1	302	466
Hardap	1	236	1	390	626
Kharas	0	91	0	154	245
Kavango East	24	1378	43	3396	4774
Kavango West	72	1552	93	2926	4478
Khomas	1	251	4	530	781
Kunene	0	223	0	353	576
Ohangwena	91	601	389	1649	2250
Omaheke	0	206	0	295	501
Omusati	0	93	0	72	165
Oshana	1	95	0	173	268
Oshikoto	48	184	189	580	764
Otjozondjupa	2	133	4	217	350
Zambezi	0	5	17	31	36
Total	240	5212	741	11068	16280

Table 8: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines (12-17) Years, 2nd dose, 08 April 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	69	1	194	263
Hardap	0	122	3	151	273
Kharas	0	21	0	37	58
Kavango East	18	669	28	1583	2252
Kavango West	176	756	170	1260	2016
Khomas	1	169	1	412	581
Kunene	0	80	0	59	139
Ohangwena	4	10	1	6	16
Omaheke	0	134	0	224	358
Omusati	0	7	0	16	23
Oshana	0	36	0	77	113
Oshikoto	0	10	1	32	42
Otjozondjupa	2	50	0	119	169
Zambezi	0	3	0	2	5
Total	201	2136	205	4172	6308

11. Table 9: Summary of the national update, 08 April 2022

Cumulative newly confirmed individuals	157 858
Newly confirmed individuals	17
New reinfections	0
Cumulative cases including reinfections	159 969
Recoveries	155 671
Recovery rate	98.6%
Active cases	262
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine 1 st dose	465 918
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine 2 nd dose	264 749
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine completed	398 552
COVID-19 Deaths	3 690
COVID-19 Related Deaths	331
Total Deaths	4 021
Total samples tested	990 120
Active contacts	119
Cumulative number of people quarantined	90 074
Number of quarantined people discharged	90 042
Number of people in quarantines	32

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