

MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

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WINDHOEK *Check against Delivery We announce nine (9) new COVID-19 confirmed cases from eight hundred and eighteen (818) results in the last twenty-four (24) hours reporting cycle, which represents 1.1% positivity ratio. The sex distribution is seven (7) females and two (2) males. The age ranges between two (2) years and thirty-six (36) years.

REGIONS	NEW CASES	DISTRICTS	NEW CASES
Khomas	8	Windhoek	8
Oshana	1	Oshakati	1
Total	9		9

Table 1: New COVID-19 positive cases, 26 November 2021

- 2. Of the confirmed cases, one (1) is a healthcare worker. One of the positive cases has received one dose of the COVID-19 vaccines.
- 3. We have recorded seven (7) new recoveries. Erongo and Omusati regions recorded three (3) each and Khomas region recorded one (1)
- 4. The number of active cases is one hundred and three (**103**). Sixteen (**16**) are hospitalized, of which two (2) are in Intensive Care Unit (ICU). None of the hospitalized including ICU cases is vaccinated.

Table 2: Distribution of hospitalization of confirmed cases per region, 26 November 2021

	Hospital	ized cases	Vaco	cinated	ICU		Vaccinated		
Region	Current	Previous	1 st dose	2 nd dose	Current	Previous	1 st dose	2 nd dose	
Khomas	5	7	0	0	1	1	0	0	
Oshana	5	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Kavango East	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Ohangwena	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Erongo	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Hardap	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Total	16	11	0	0	2	1	0	0	

- 5. We are reporting one (1) COVID-19 related death from Grootfontein district. A female aged between 0-9 years with no comobidities died at health facility on 25 November 2021. The deceased is not eligible for the COVID-19 vaccine.
- 6. By 25 November 2021, a total of **364 669** people have received one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine, of which **78 920** have received the Janssen vaccine, administered as one dose, while **226 752** had received two doses. Therefore, **305 672** have completed the vaccination, as depicted on tables 3 and 4 below:

	Sin	opharm	Ast	raZeneca	Sput	nik V	Pf	ïzer	J&J		Grand
Region	New	All	New	All	New	All	New	All	New	All	total 1st dose
Erongo	32	15 450	24	13 023	0	3	24	321	231	6 679	35 476
Hardap	7	12 130	8	5 530	0	0	0	6	96	4 276	21 942
Kharas	22	9 069	4	3 734	0	0	0	50	86	4 144	16 997
Kavango East	19	9 837	2	6 988	0	0	0	265	66	7 164	24 254
Kavango West	44	4 882	10	4 405	0	0	10	105	233	6 053	15 445
Khomas	26	40 874	9	29 243	0	94	44	2 183	126	15 834	88 228
Kunene	9	11 326	8	5 403	0	0	0	1	85	6 146	22 876
Ohangwena	25	15 271	2	5 204	0	2	0	2	96	4 146	24 625
Omaheke	13	8 143	11	4 969	0	0	5	62	73	3 627	16 801
Omusati	0	12 820	0	7 132	0	0	0	1	0	3 670	23 623
Oshana	15	11 983	4	4 751	0	29	2	17	85	3 240	20 020
Oshikoto	7	11 763	0	3 675	0	0	0	0	65	4 391	19 829
Otjozondjupa	7	12 163	4	8 283	0	0	0	31	164	7 230	27 707
Zambezi	2	3 555	0	931	0	0	2	40	31	2 320	6 846
Total	228	179 266	86	103 271	0	128	87	3 084	1 437	78 920	364 669

Table 3: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccine 1st dose, 26 November 2021

Table 4: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines 2nd dose, 26 November 2021

	Sinophar	m	AstraZer	neca	Sputnik V		Pfizer		Grand
Region	New 2 nd	All 2 nd	total 2nd						
	dose	dose	dose	dose	dose	doses	dose	dose	dose
Erongo	29	13 293	49	11 063	0	2	12	69	24 427
Hardap	32	10 201	39	3 931	0	0	0	1	14 133
Kharas	44	7 715	6	3 035	0	0	0	18	10 768
Kavango East	31	6 487	1	3 504	0	0	0	7	9 998
Kavango West	34	3 732	27	2 904	0	0	0	7	6 643
Khomas	50	34 601	47	23 852	0	61	29	1228	59 742
Kunene	27	8 108	19	3 887	0	0	0	0	11 995
Ohangwena	102	12 202	17	3 961	0	0	0	0	16 163
Omaheke	18	5 696	21	2 983	0	0	0	9	8 688
Omusati	0	10 923	0	5 509	0	0	0	0	16 432
Oshana	21	10 472	16	3 759	0	8	0	13	14 252
Oshikoto	33	9 999	15	2 976	0	0	0	0	12 975
Otjozondjupa	13	10 444	21	6 326	0	0	0	8	16 778
Zambezi	9	3 050	0	708	0	0	0	0	3 758
Total	443	146 923	278	78 398	0	71	41	1 360	226 752

Cumulative confirmed cases	129 160			
Newly confirmed	9			
Recoveries	125 472			
Recovery rate	97.2%			
Active cases	103			
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine 1 st doses	364 669			
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine 2 nd doses	226 752			
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine completed	305 672			
COVID-19 Deaths	3 276			
COVID-19 Related Deaths	297			
Total Deaths	3 573			
Total samples tested	785 454			
Active contacts	101			
Cumulative number of people quarantined	82 604			
Number of quarantined people discharged	82 420			
Number of people in quarantines	184			

7. Table 5: Summary of the national update, 26 November 2021

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