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SERVICES ON COVID-19 IN NAMIBIA

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1. We announce fifty-nine (**59**) new positive cases with no reinfections from one thousand two hundred and fourteen (**1 214**) results in the last twenty-four (24) hour reporting cycle, which represents **4.9%** positivity ratio. The sex distribution of the cases is thirty-three (33) males and twenty-six (26) females. The age range of the cases is from four (4) years to seventy (70) years.

Table 1: New COVID-19 positive cases & reinfections, 30 January 2022

Region	New cases	District	New cases	Reinfections	Total
Omaheke	21	Gobabis	21	0	21
Khomas	8	Windhoek	8	0	8
Erongo	7	Swakopmund	6	0	6
		Walvis Bay	1	0	1
Oshana	5	Oshakati	5	0	5
Otjozondjupa	4	Okakarara	3	0	3
		Grootfontein	1	0	1
Omusati	3	Oshikuku	3	0	3
Kharas	3	Keetmanshoop	2	0	2
		Luderitz	1	0	1
Kunene	3	Opuwo	3	0	3
Ohangwena	2	Eenhana	2	0	2
Oshikoto	2	Omuthiya	1	0	1
		Tsumeb	1	0	1
Hardap	1	Mariental	1	0	1
Total	59		59	0	59

2. We are reporting cases from 11 regions, with Omaheke region recording more cases (21), constituting 35.6% of the total cases, followed by Khomas region with eight (8) cases accounting for 13.6%.
3. Among the confirmed cases are twenty-seven (27) learners of which 21 are from Mphe Thuto Primary School in Gobabis district and two (2) teachers. Seven (7) cases have received one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine and two (2) are fully vaccinated. Fifty (50) cases are not vaccinated, accounting for **84.7%** of the total confirmed cases.
4. Ninety-nine (**99**) cases from five (5) regions have.

Table 2: Distribution of new recoveries by region, 30 January 2022

Region	Number
Otjozondjupa	31
Hardap	29
Khomas	17
Karas	12
Kavango East	10
Total	99

5. The number of active cases is eight thousand one hundred and forty-seven (**8 147**). One hundred and twenty-five (**125**) cases are currently hospitalized across twelve (12) regions, except Omaheke and Kavango West regions. Two (**2**) of the hospitalized cases have received one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine, twelve (**12**) are fully vaccinated, while one hundred and eleven (**111**) are not vaccinated constituting **88.8%** of all hospitalized cases. Fifteen (**15**) cases are in Intensive Care Unit (ICU) of which one (**1**) is fully vaccinated. The remainder fourteen (1), who constitute 93.3% are not vaccinated.

Table 3: Distribution of hospitalization of confirmed cases per region, 30 January 2022

Region	Hospitalized cases		Vaccinated		ICU		Vaccinated	
	Current	Previous	1 st dose	2 nd dose	Current	Previous	1 st dose	2 nd dose
Khomas	29	27	0	0	8	7	0	1
Omusati	17	17	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ohangwena	15	15	1	1	0	0	0	0
Erongo	14	14	1	4	2	2	0	0
Oshana	13	12	0	0	1	4	0	0
Kunene	10	10	0	6	0	0	0	0
Kavango East	8	11	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oshikoto	6	5	0	0	4	3	0	0
Zambezi	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hardap	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Otjozondjupa	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
Kharas	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	125	124	2	12	15	12	0	1

6. We have not recorded any death during the past twenty-four (24) hour reporting cycle.
7. By 29 January 2022, a total of **417 523** people aged 18 years and older have received one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine, representing **28.4%** of the target population (1 471 973). A total of **113 627** have received the Johnson & Johnson vaccine, while **244 503** adults have received two doses of other vaccine types. Hence, **358 130** adults have completed their vaccination schedule, translating into **24.3%** of the target population.
8. Three thousand eight hundred and thirty (**3 830**) children aged 12-17 years have received one dose of the Pfizer vaccine, representing **1.2%** of the target population (307 298). Of these, nine hundred and fifty-seven (**957**) 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 **421 353** of which **359 087** are fully vaccinated, translating into **20.2%** of the total target population (1 779 271).

9. Sixteen thousand and forty-seven (**16 047**) 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, 30 January 2022

Region	Sinopharm		AstraZeneca		Sputnik V		Pfizer		J&J		Grand total 1st dose
	New	All	New	All	New	All	New	All	New	All	
Erongo	0	16032	0	13179	0	3	0	1164	0	9561	39939
Hardap	0	12747	0	5587	0	0	0	550	0	7123	26007
Kharas	0	10387	0	4594	0	0	0	270	0	6137	21388
Kavango East	0	10748	0	7075	0	0	0	1451	0	10986	30260
Kavango West	0	5911	0	4525	0	0	0	830	0	9699	20965
Khomas	7	42059	2	29516	0	94	19	4430	43	20854	96953
Kunene	0	11726	0	5432	0	0	0	130	0	8141	25429
Ohangwena	0	15864	0	5293	0	2	0	127	0	6100	27386
Omaheke	0	8331	0	5008	0	0	0	248	0	5414	19001
Omusati	0	13585	0	7217	0	0	0	306	0	5604	26712
Oshana	0	12516	0	4782	0	29	0	261	0	4636	22224
Oshikoto	0	12188	0	3718	0	0	0	91	0	6208	22205
Otjozondjupa	6	12474	1	8458	0	0	2	317	40	10211	31460
Zambezi	0	3632	0	939	0	0	0	70	0	2953	7594
Total	13	188200	3	105323	0	128	21	10245	83	113627	417523

Table 6: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines 2nd dose, 30 January 2022

Region	Sinopharm		AstraZeneca		Sputnik V		Pfizer		Total 2nd 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	13839	0	11355	0	5	0	623	25822
Hardap	0	10806	0	4239	0	0	0	385	15430
Kharas	0	8445	0	3166	0	0	0	206	11817
Kavango East	0	7645	0	3789	0	0	0	617	12051
Kavango West	0	4672	0	2970	0	0	0	295	7937
Khomas	16	35918	14	24592	0	63	25	3032	63605
Kunene	0	8768	0	4034	0	0	0	78	12880
Ohangwena	0	13157	0	4139	0	0	0	28	17324
Omaheke	0	6030	0	3042	0	0	0	143	9215
Omusati	0	11849	0	5853	0	0	0	237	17939
Oshana	0	11143	0	3848	0	8	0	185	15184
Oshikoto	0	10614	0	3079	0	0	0	48	13741
Otjozondjupa	7	10887	2	6478	0	0	12	251	17616
Zambezi	0	3178	0	739	0	0	0	25	3942
Total	23	156951	16	81323	0	76	37	6153	244503

Table 7: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines 3rd dose, 30 January 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	864	0	80	0	0	0	1959	2903
Hardap	0	727	0	0	0	0	0	719	1446
Kharas	0	325	0	24	0	0	0	174	523
Kavango East	0	212	0	2	0	0	0	138	352
Kavango West	0	96	0	0	0	0	0	112	208
Khomas	21	1611	28	383	0	0	74	3638	5632
Kunene	0	601	0	17	0	0	0	319	937
Ohangwena	0	110	0	2	0	0	0	2	114
Omaheke	0	67	0	3	0	0	0	24	94
Omusati	0	398	0	23	0	0	0	251	672
Oshana	0	619	0	57	0	0	0	373	1049
Oshikoto	0	446	0	39	0	0	0	156	641
Otjozondjupa	18	659	3	61	0	0	18	583	1303
Zambezi	0	109	0	5	0	0	0	59	173
Total	39	6844	31	696	0	0	92	8507	16047

Table 8: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines (12-17) Years, 1st dose, 30 January 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	119	0	236	355
Hardap	0	152	0	285	437
Kharas	0	38	0	49	87
Kavango East	0	368	0	648	1016
Kavango West	0	147	0	256	403
Khomas	3	159	7	330	489
Kunene	0	120	0	190	310
Ohangwena	0	49	0	52	101
Omaheke	0	24	0	41	65
Omusati	0	80	0	60	140
Oshana	0	43	0	93	136
Oshikoto	0	18	0	39	57
Otjozondjupa	5	99	7	129	228
Zambezi	0	3	0	3	6
Total	8	1419	14	2411	3830

Table 9: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines (12-17) Years, 2nd dose, 30 January 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	48	0	122	170
Hardap	0	67	0	81	148
Kharas	0	2	0	12	14
Kavango East	0	37	0	57	94
Kavango West	0	5	0	17	22
Khomas	6	90	8	203	293
Kunene	0	2	0	5	7
Ohangwena	0	0	0	0	0
Omaheke	0	8	0	27	35
Omusati	0	4	0	10	14
Oshana	0	9	0	29	38
Oshikoto	0	4	0	12	16
Otjozondjupa	5	30	7	73	103
Zambezi	0	2	0	1	3
Total	11	308	15	649	957

10. Table 10: Summary of the national update, 30 January 2022

Cumulative newly confirmed individuals	155 899
Newly confirmed individuals	59
New reinfections	0
Cumulative cases including reinfections	157 913
Recoveries	145 784
Recovery rate	93.5%
Active cases	8 147
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine 1 st dose	421 353
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine 2 nd dose	245 460
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine completed	359 087
COVID-19 Deaths	3 643
COVID-19 Related Deaths	324
Total Deaths	3 967
Total samples tested	921 467
Active contacts	1 769
Cumulative number of people quarantined	86 945
Number of quarantined people discharged	86 776
Number of people in quarantines	169

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