

## COVID-19

GHANA'S OUTBREAK RESPONSE MANAGEMENT UPDATES

**Emergency  
Number  
112**

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### Ghana's Situation Routine Surveillance

Confirmed  
383

Recovered  
99

Well/Responding to Treatment  
271

Critical/Moderately ill  
4

Deaths  
9

### Ghana's Situation Mandatory Quarantine (Accra)

Confirmed  
105

Recovered  
0

Well/Responding to Treatment  
105

Critical/Moderately ill  
0

Deaths  
0

### Ghana's Situation Mandatory Quarantine (Tamale)

Confirmed  
10

Recovered  
0

Well/Responding to Treatment  
10

Critical/Moderately ill  
0

Deaths  
0

### Ghana's Situation Enhanced Contact Tracing

Confirmed  
544

Recovered  
0

Well/Responding to Treatment  
544

Critical/moderately ill  
0

Deaths  
0

### Ghana's Total Confirmed Cases

# 1042

Last Updated  
Tue Apr 21 2020 01:48:36 GMT-0400 (EDT)

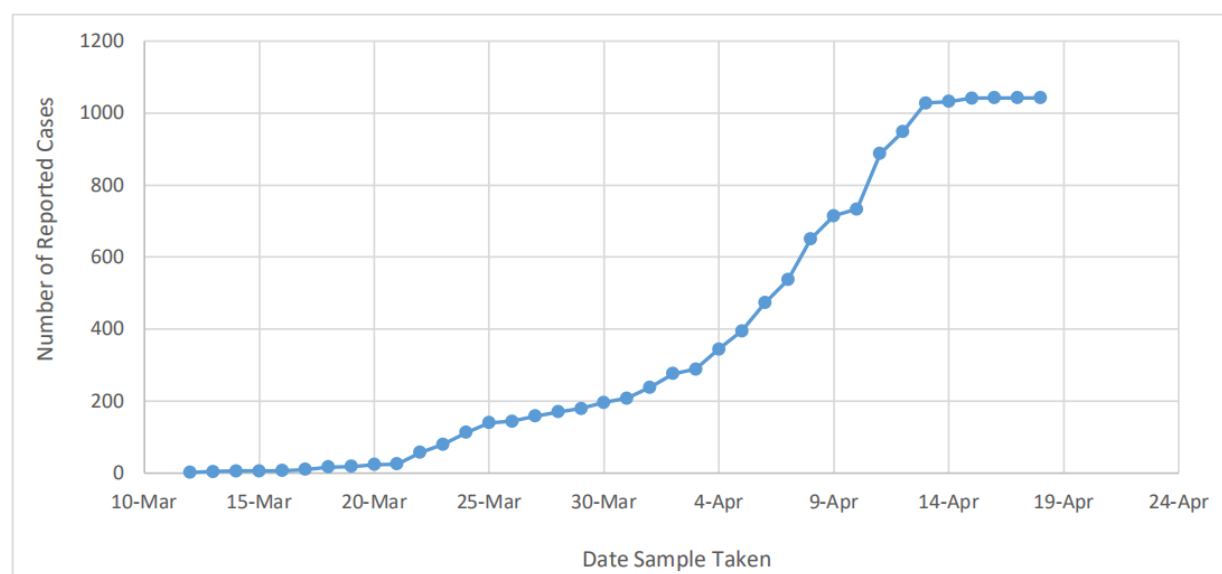
#### SITUATION UPDATE, COVID-19 OUTBREAK IN GHANA - 19 APRIL 2020

The Ghana Health Service is continuing with the supervision of the completion of a backlog of laboratory samples which have been picked for testing for COVID-19.

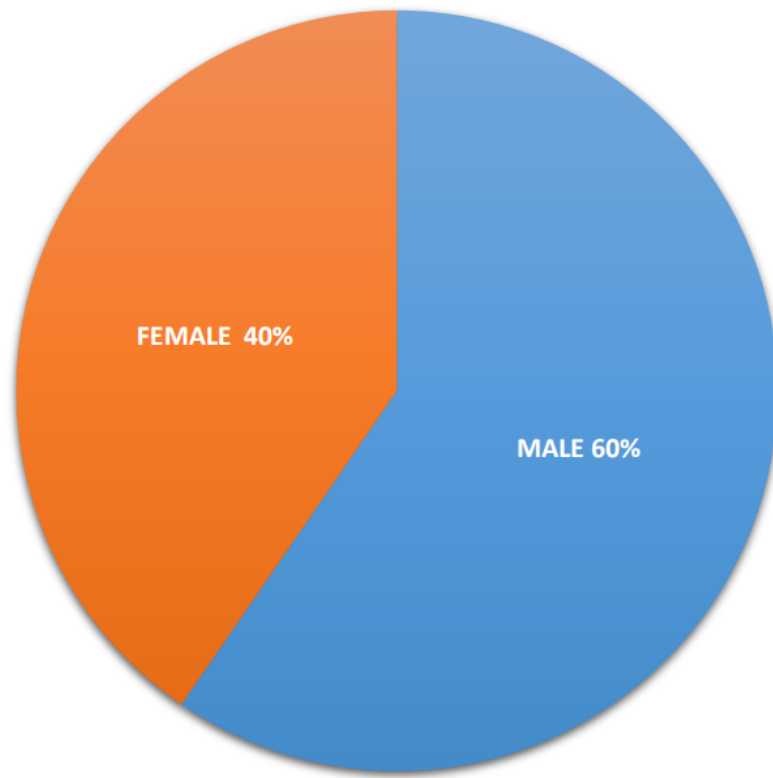
Total samples tested so far now stands at 68,591 with 1.52 % testing positive. The results of these backlog of samples when released does not mean the number of new cases recorded on the day of the report. Regions that have reported cases remain the Greater Accra, Ashanti, Eastern, Northern, Volta, Upper East, Upper West, Central, Western and North East regions.

**Table 2: Positivity rate by Surveillance type**

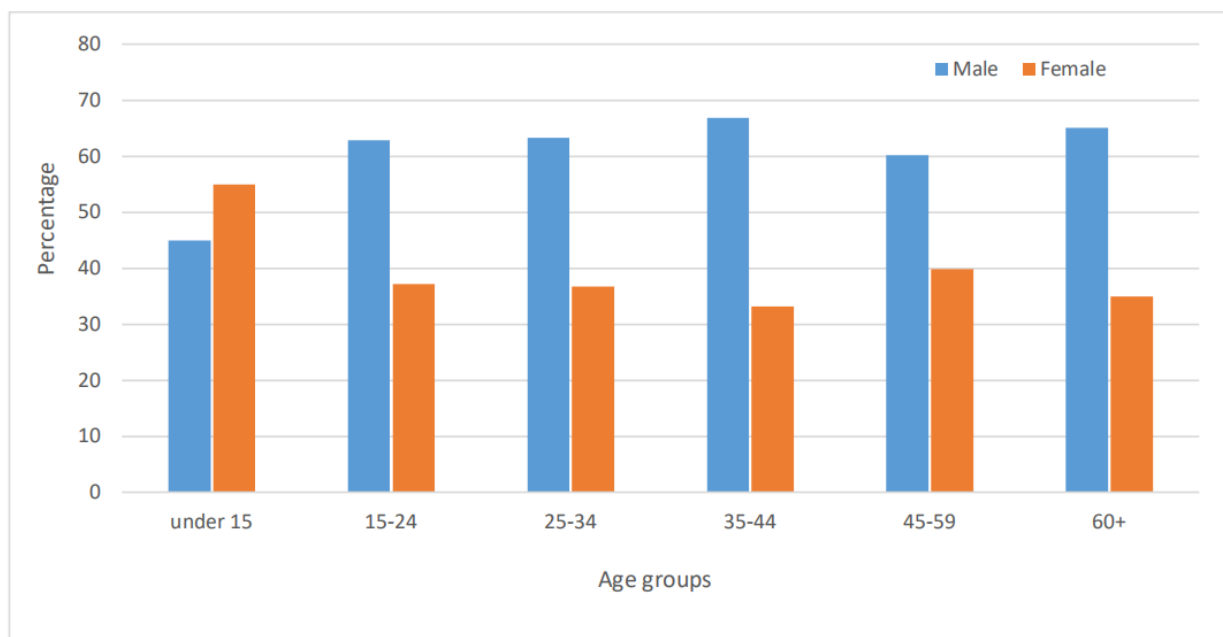
Type	Total no. Tested	Total no. positive	Positivity rate
Routine Surveillance	16870	383	2.27
Enhanced Contact tracing	49699	544	1.09
Mandatory quarantine	2022	115	5.69
<b>Total</b>	<b>68591</b>	<b>1042</b>	<b>1.52</b>



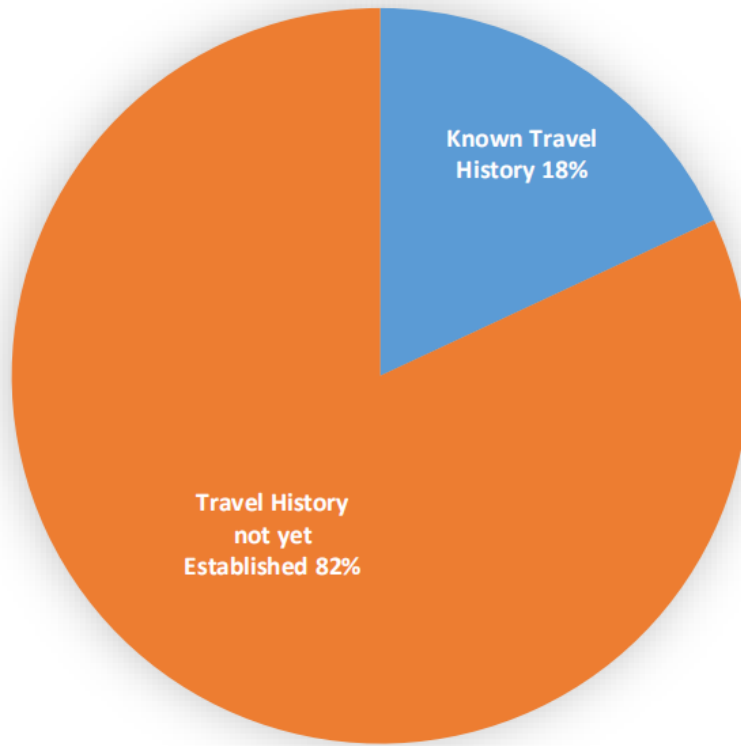
**Figure 1: Cumulative Cases of COVID-19 in Ghana, March-April 2020**



**Figure 2: Percentage distribution of COVID-19 cases in Ghana by sex, March - April 2020**



**Figure 3: Percentage distribution of COVID-19 cases by sex and age group, Ghana, March - April 2020**



**Figure 4: Percentage of COVID-19 Cases by Travel History, Ghana, March - April 2020**

#### What You Should Know

[What are Coronaviruses](#)

[How it spreads](#)

[Signs and Symptoms](#)

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#### Global Situation

Confirmed  
1,918,138

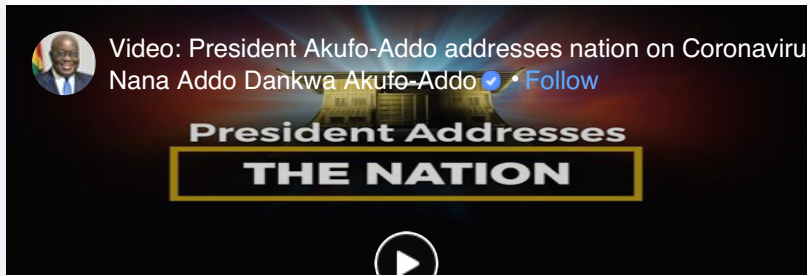
Deaths  
123,126

as at  
15th April, 2020 | 00:00 GMT

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WHO Dashboard

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## Latest Video



President Akufo-Addo's address to the nation on the COVID-19 outbreak

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## Affected Regions

Greater Accra Region

Ashanti Region

Northern Region

Central Region

Upper East Region

Upper West Region

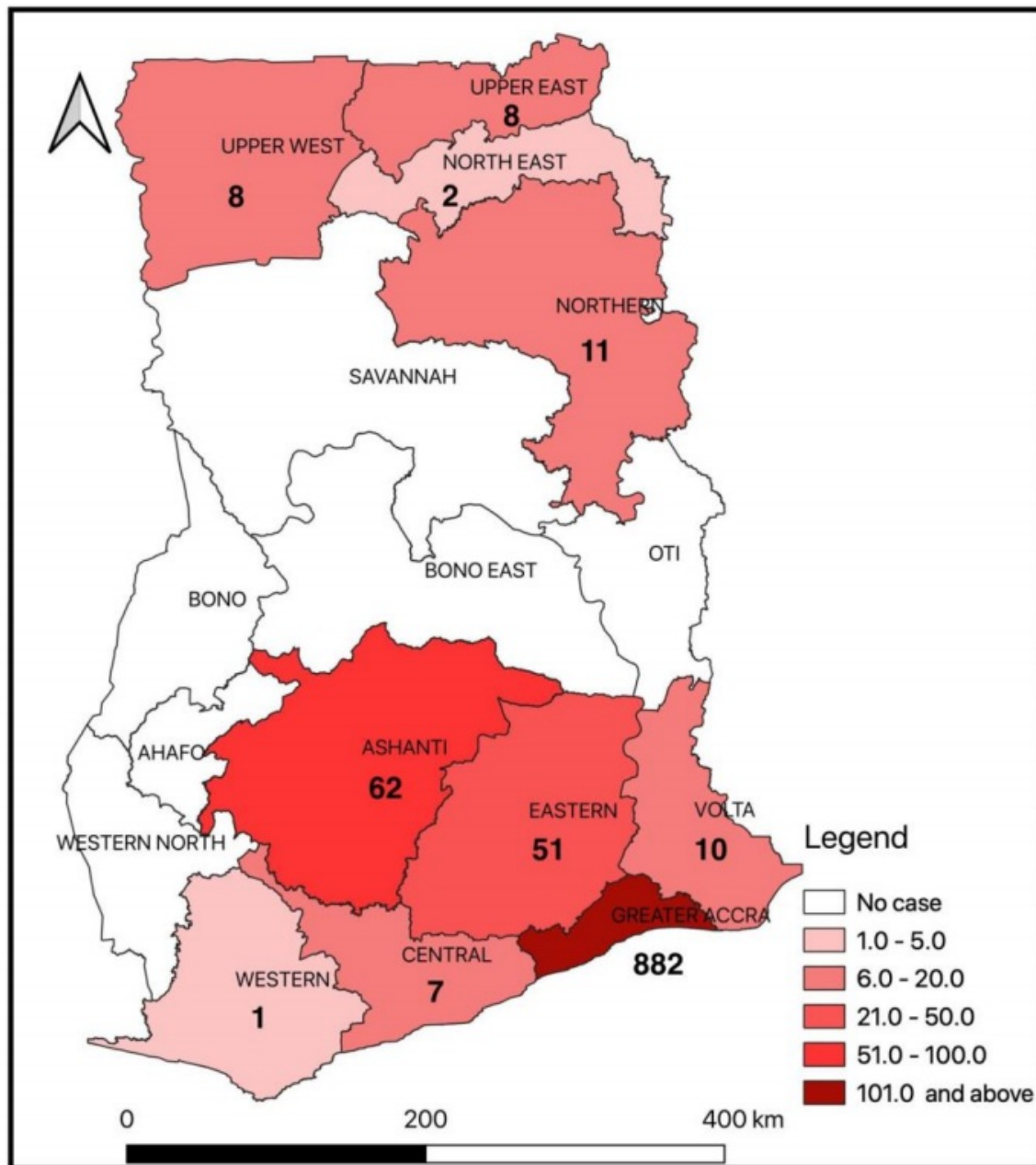
Eastern Region

North East

Volta

Western

Regional distribution of case-patients, Ghana, March - April 2020



**Figure 5: Distribution of Cases of COVID-19 in Ghana by Region, March - April 2020**