

COVID-19

GHANA'S OUTBREAK RESPONSE MANAGEMENT UPDATES

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112

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Ghana's Total Confirmed Cases

1154

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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
Total	68591	1042	1.52

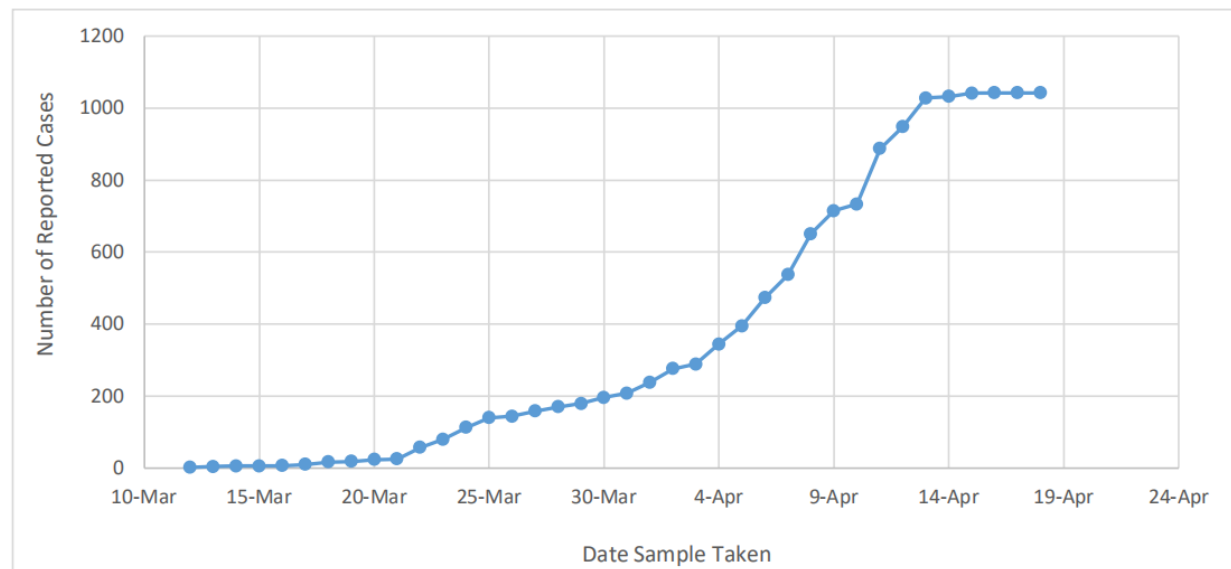


Figure 1: Cumulative Cases of COVID-19 in Ghana, March-April 2020

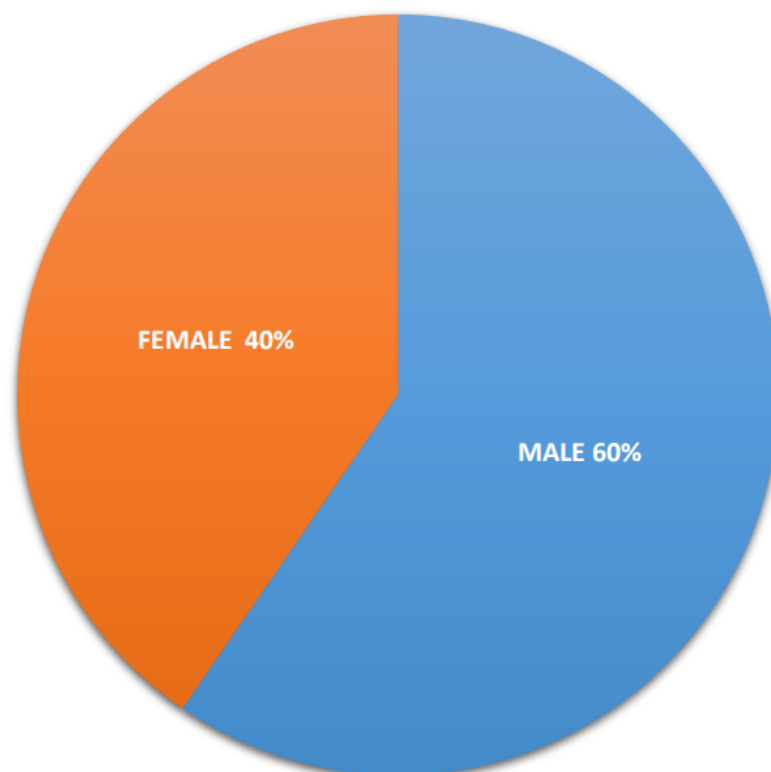


Figure 2: Percentage distribution of COVID-19 cases in Ghana by sex, March - April 2020

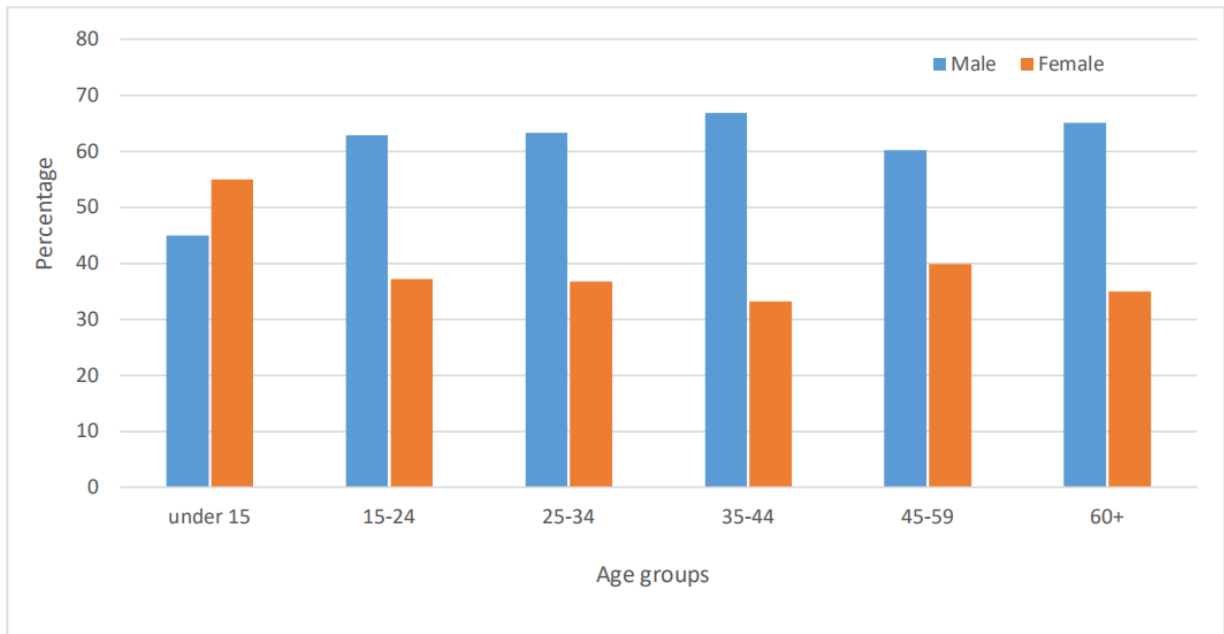


Figure 3: Percentage distribution of COVID-19 cases by sex and age group, Ghana, March - April 2020

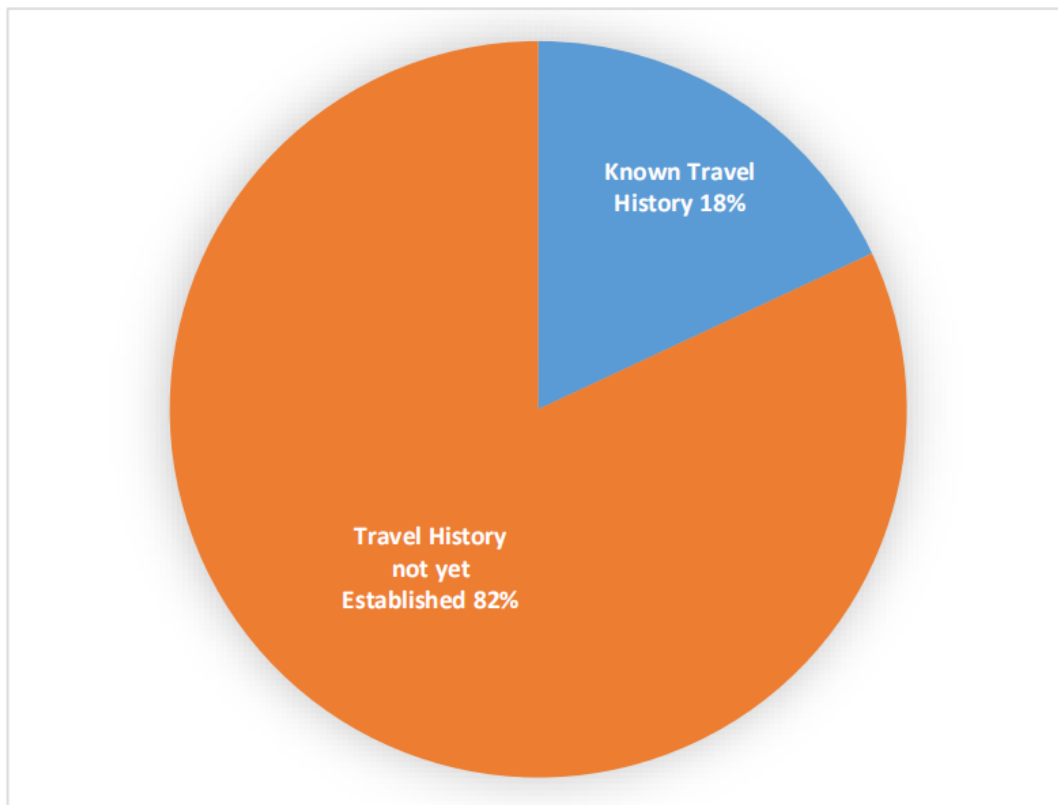


Figure 4: Percentage of COVID-19 Cases by Travel History, Ghana, March - April 2020

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Confirmed
2,475,723

Deaths
169,151

as at
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