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Korea Centers for Disease Control & Prevention

Updates on COVID-19 in Republic of Korea

22 August 2020

- As of 0:00, 22 August 2020, the total number of confirmed cases is 17,002 (including 2,716 imported cases), of which 14,169 cases have been discharged from isolation. There are 315 new local cases, 17 new imported cases, and 0 new death.

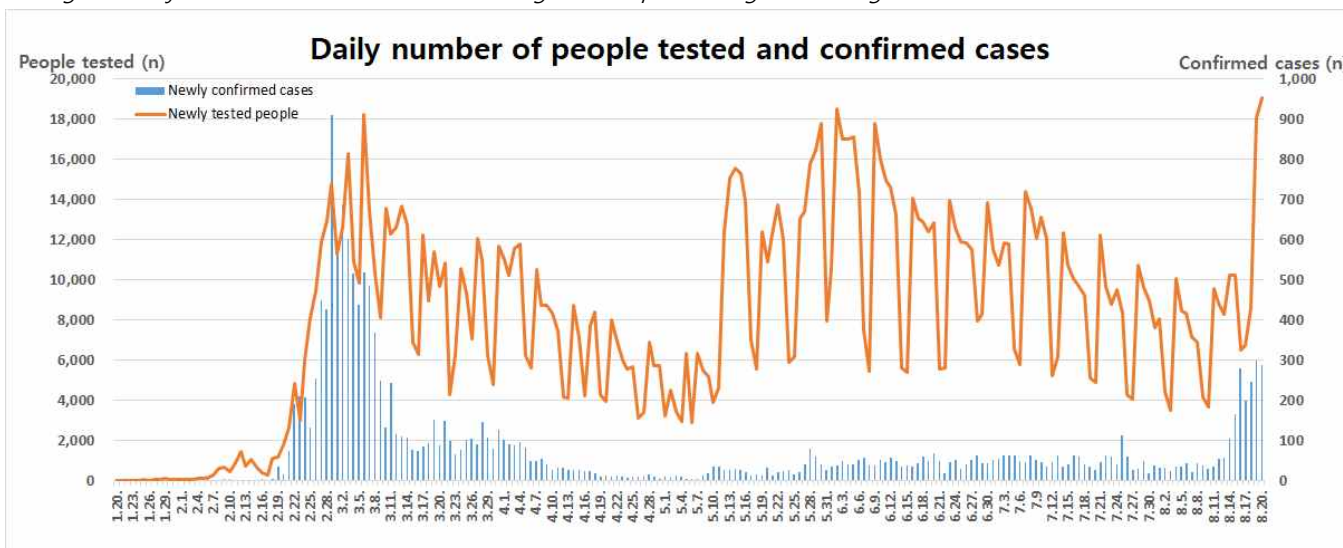
Overall case and test status, as of 0:00, 22 August (cumulative since 3 January 2020)

Period (since 3 Jan)	Total**	Tested positive (PCR)				Testing in progress	Tested negative (PCR)
		Confirmed	Discharged from isolation	Under isolation	Deceased		
As of 0:00 21 August (Fri)	1,754,123	16,670	14,120	2,241	309	38,045	1,699,408
As of 0:00 22 August (Sat)	1,775,800	17,002	14,169	2,524	309	42,427	1,716,371
Difference	+21,677	+332	+49	+283	0	+4,382	+16,963

* Based on case data reported to the KCDC

** Testing in progress includes number of completed tests with negative results that are being recorded with delays

※ Figures subject to correction based on findings from epidemiological investigations



- Major local clusters as of 12:00 today (22 August):

* The specific figures below may differ from the daily reported statistics or figures disclosed by local municipalities due to factors such as report timing and differences in the time period considered

- Related to Sarang Jeil Church in Seongbuk-gu, Seoul City, 64 additional cases were confirmed from contact investigation. In total, 796 cases have been confirmed.
 - 747 cases total in capital area (Seoul, Incheon, and Gyeonggi)
 - 49 cases total in other areas (Busan, Daegu, Daejeon, Gangwon, Chungbuk, Chungnam, Jeonbuk, Jeonnam, Gyeongbuk)
 - To date, 108 confirmed cases of further transmissions from Sarang Jeil Church have been found related to 21 venues. Transmission is likely ongoing. Epidemiological investigation is underway of 168 facilities to prevent further transmission.



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- Related to August 15 Gwanghwamun rally, 33 additional cases were confirmed from investigation. In total, 104 cases have been confirmed. (Cases with no relation to Sarang Jeil Church found according to basic investigation; may change with new findings in further investigation)
- Related to Gold Train / Yangpyeong-gun gathering, 2 additional cases were confirmed. In total, 90 cases have been confirmed.
- Related to athletic college preparatory classes in Seongbuk-gu, Seoul City, 1 case was subsequently confirmed. In total, 29 cases have been confirmed.
- Related to Yoido Full Gospel Church in Yeongdeungpo-gu, Seoul City, 8 additional cases were confirmed. In total, 28 cases have been confirmed. Epidemiological links between the cases are under investigation.
- Related to Hyundai Commercial Seoul Gangseo Branch and Daegu Suseong-gu family, 1 additional case was confirmed from contact investigation. In total, 24 cases have been confirmed.
- Related to theater company 'San' in Seongbuk-gu, Seoul City, 9 additional cases were found. In total, 26 cases have been confirmed.
- Related to family in Songpa-gu, Seoul City, 2 contacts and 1 family member of contact were additionally confirmed. In total, 12 cases have been confirmed. Further investigation is underway.
- Related to Woori Jeil Church in Yongin-si, Gyeonggi Province, 2 additional cases were found from isolation. In total, 176 cases have been confirmed.
 - 169 cases total in capital area (Seoul, Incheon, and Gyeonggi)
 - 7 cases in other areas (Chungnam, Gyeongbuk, Gangwon, Jeonbuk, Daegu)
- Related to Fruit Bearing Church in Namdong-gu, Incheon City, 1 additional case was confirmed. In total, 18 cases have been confirmed.
- Related to a nightlife entertainment venue in Sangmu Jigu, Gwangju City, 3 additional cases were confirmed while under self-quarantine. In total, 25 cases have been confirmed.
- Related to a class reunion Sokcho trip, 1 additional case was confirmed. In total, 18 cases have been confirmed. Further investigation is underway.
- Related to Dongsan Church in Cheonan-si, Chungnam Province, 3 additional cases were confirmed. In total, 11 cases have been confirmed.



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- Related to a family in Iksan-si, Jeonbuk Province, 3 additional cases were confirmed. In total, 10 cases have been confirmed.
- Related to a fitness facility in Wonju-si, Gangwon Province, 8 additional cases were confirmed from contact investigation. In total, 18 cases have been confirmed.
- As of 0:00, 22 August, there were 17 imported cases, of which 4 were confirmed at the point of entry, and 16 were confirmed in the community while in mandatory self-quarantine after arrival. 5 were Korean nationals and 12 foreign nationals.
 - Infection acquisition location (presumed):
 - Asia excluding China: Philippines 4, India 4, Japan 2, Qatar 1
 - America: US 3
 - Africa: Egypt 1, Senegal 1, Ethiopia 1
- With the weekend coming up, there is concern of additional transmissions occurring through weekend social gatherings or religious events. KCDC advises religious communities to continue to comply with the measure including having weekend services online.



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REGIONAL DISTRIBUTION AND EPIDEMIOLOGICAL LINKS OF CONFIRMED CASES

Region	Confirmed cases									Other major clusters
	Total	Imported cases	Clusters				Other*	Under investigation	New cases	
			Sub-total	Shin-cheonji cluster	Other local clusters	Related to imported cases				
Seoul	2,749	376	1,787	8	1,708	71	194	392	128	<p>Large clusters:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nightclubs (277) Richway (208) Guro-gu call center (170) Coupang fulfillment center (152) Gwangju door-to-door sales (150) Fitness/sport facility in Cheonan (123) Newly planted churches group (119) <p>Recent clusters:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sarang Jeil Church Woori Jeil Church Gold Train / Yangpyeong-gun gathering August 15 Gwanghwamun rally Paju Starbucks Rejoice 153 Church Nightlife venue in Gwangju Athletic college prep classes Hyundai Commercial Seoul Gangseo / Daegu Suseong-gu family Anyang-si snack bar Yoido Full Gospel Church Family in Busan Theater company San Gamcheon seaport (Youngjin 605) Fubon Hyundai Life Call Center Fruit Bearing Church
Busan	257	44	152	12	118	22	31	30	3	
Daegu	6,972	66	5,233	4,512	717	4	928	745	9	
Incheon	491	85	344	2	334	8	21	41	22	
Gwangju	262	40	203	9	188	6	7	12	11	
Daejeon	190	22	111	2	109	0	32	25	5	
Ulsan	72	31	26	16	6	4	11	4	3	
Sejong	57	7	43	1	42	0	5	2	1	
Gyeonggi	2,402	478	1,524	29	1,429	66	164	236	95	
Gangwon	120	25	68	17	50	1	13	14	16	
Chungbuk	95	22	49	6	36	7	10	14	2	
Chungnam	244	41	177	0	176	1	9	17	7	
Jeonbuk	67	27	19	1	18	0	12	9	4	
Jeonnam	60	25	16	1	13	2	13	6	7	
Gyeongbuk	1,435	38	1,071	566	505	0	196	130	4	
Gyeongnam	187	60	92	32	58	2	18	17	9	
Jeju	28	15	7	0	6	1	5	1	2	
Ports of Entry	1,314	1,314	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	
Total	17,002 (%)	2,716 (16.0)	10,922 (64.2)	5,214 (30.7)	5,513 (32.4)	195 (1.1)	1,669 (9.8)	1,695 (10.0)	332	

* Includes contacts of confirmed cases

※ The interim classification is based on the reporting location, which may change depending on further epidemiological investigation.



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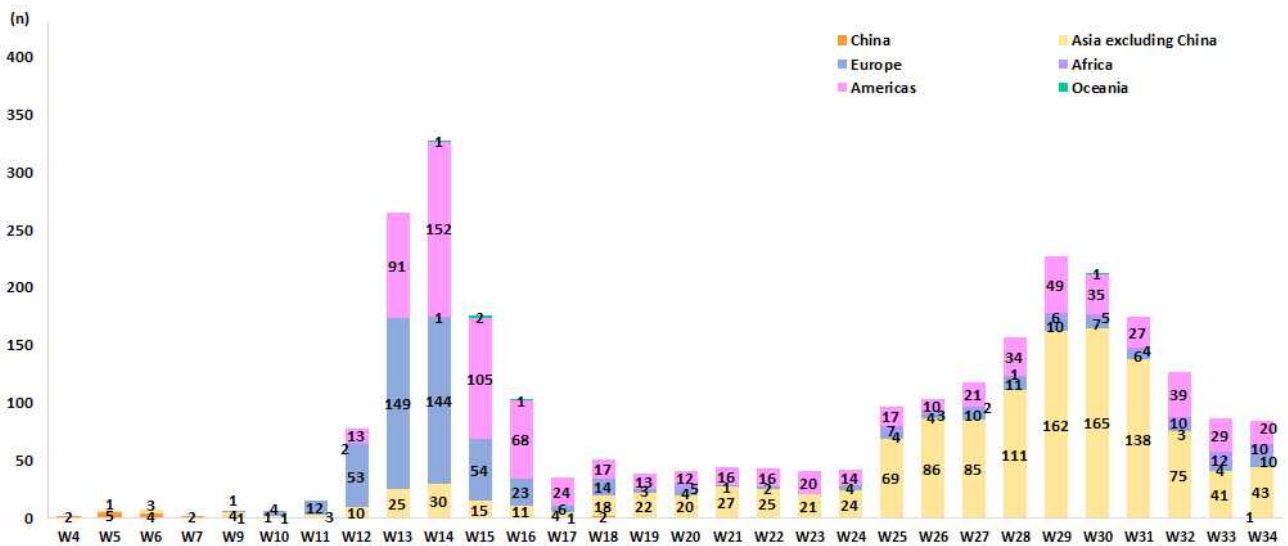
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AGE DISTRIBUTION OF SEVERE CASES

	8.9	8.10	8.11	8.12	8.13	8.14	8.15	8.16	8.17	8.18	8.19	8.20	8.21	8.22
Total	16	16	15	15	15	14	14	13	13	9	12	12	18	25
Severe	9	9	7	8	7	6	7	6	6	4	7	7	14	20
Very severe	7	7	8	7	8	8	7	7	7	5	5	5	4	5

	Total	Severe	(%)	Very severe	(%)
Total	25	20	(100)	5	(100)
80 and above	2	2	(10.0)	0	(0.0)
70-79	6	4	(20.0)	2	(40.0)
60-69	13	10	(50.0)	3	(60.0)
50-59	2	2	(10.0)	0	(0.0)
40-49	1	1	(5.0)	0	(0.0)
30-39	1	1	(5.0)	0	(0.0)
20-29	0	0	(0.0)	0	(0.0)
10-19	0	0	(0.0)	0	(0.0)
0-9	0	0	(0.0)	0	(0.0)

IMPORTED CONFIRMED CASES





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NEW CASES (LAST 2 WEEKS) BY CHAIN OF TRANSMISSION

