



- As of 0:00, 18 June 2020, the total number of confirmed cases is 12,257 (including 1,379 imported cases), of which 10,800 cases have been discharged from isolation. Newly confirmed cases are 59 in total.

[Table 1. Total reported/tested cases]

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 17 June (Wed)	1,132,823	12,198	10,774	1,145	279	21,489	1,099,136
As of 0:00 18 June (Thurs)	1,145,712	12,257	10,800	1,177	280	21,714	1,111,741
Difference	+12,889	+59	(+ )26	(+ )32	(+ )1	+225	+12,605

[Table 2. Imported cases in Korea (as of 0:00, 18 June 2020)]

	Total	Region/Country						Where confirmed		Nationality	
		China	Asia ex-China	Europe	Americas	Africa	Australia	Point of Entry	Community	Korean	Other
New	8	0	4	2	2	0	0	4	4	4	4
Total	1,379	19 (1.4%)	288 (20.9%)	484 (35.1%)	573 (41.6%)	14 (1.0%)	1 (0.1%)	597 (43.3%)	782 (56.7%)	1,161 (84.2%)	218 (15.8%)

\* Figures may change based on findings from ongoing local epidemiological investigation efforts.

- As of 0:00 18 June, there are 8 imported cases, of which 2 are from Americas, 2 are from Europe, and 4 are from Asia excluding China (2 from Kazakhstan, 2 from Turkey).
- Related to Richway in Gwangak-gu, Seoul, 4 additional cases were confirmed. The new cases were contacts under quarantine. In total, 180\* cases have been confirmed.  
\* Visitors = 41; Contacts = 139 / Seoul = 99; Gyeonggi = 54; Incheon = 21; Gangwon = 3; Chungnam = 3



## Richway-related onward transmissions

Category	Location	Number of confirmed cases
Chinese Migrants Church Shelter	Seoul Guro-gu	8
Myeongseong Housing	Seoul Gangnam-gu	37
Principle School of English	Seoul Gangnam-gu	15
SJ Investment call center	Seoul Gangseo-gu	11
Jesus Vision Church	Seoul Geumcheon-gu	9
NBS Partners	Gyeonggi Seongnam-si	15
Church of God	Gyeonggi Seongnam-si	11
Jesus Malsseum Silcheon Church	Incheon Namdong-gu	9
Family, work, etc.		24
<b>Total</b>		<b>139</b>

- Related to new planted churches in the Seoul Metropolitan Region, 2 additional cases were confirmed. The new cases were contacts under quarantine. In total, 119\* cases have been confirmed.  
\* Church related = 41; Contacts = 78 / By region: Incheon = 57; Seoul = 37; Gyeonggi = 25
- Related to Sungsim Day Care Center in Dobong-gu, Seoul, 3 additional cases were confirmed under contact management. In total, 38\* cases have been confirmed.  
\* Users = 24; Staff/workers = 5; Family and others = 9  
※ The spouse (confirmed 11 June) of the index patient (confirmed 10 June) have passed away.
- A safety worker (guiding traffic at construction site) working at City Hall Station in Jung-gu, Seoul City was confirmed on 15 June, and 4\* contacts were additionally confirmed.  
\* Coworkers = 2; Family = 2
- Related to the Seoul Eunpyeong-gu family, 5 additional cases were confirmed under contact management. In total, 12 cases have been confirmed.
- Related to Korea Campus Crusade for Christ, 1 additional case was confirmed under contact management. In total, 14 cases have been confirmed.
- Related to Gusung Psychotherapy and Counseling Center Bucheon Branch in Bucheon-si, Gyeonggi Province, 1 additional case was confirmed. In total, 5\* cases have been confirmed.  
\* Worker = 1; Visitors = 4
- Related to Dreaming Church in Galma-dong, Seo-gu, Daejeon City, 3 additional cases were confirmed. In total, 7 cases have been confirmed.
- Related to door-to-door sales\* in Goejeong-dong, Seo-gu, Daejeon City, 7 additional cases were confirmed. In total, 18\*\* cases have been confirmed.  
\* Business names: Healing Land 23, Nature Health Healing Center, Doni Market  
\*\* Visitors = 12; Contacts = 6



- A student at Jeonju Girls High School in Jeonju-si, Jeonbuk Province has been confirmed. The school premise has been disinfected and 963 people related to the school and after-school private academy have been tested. No additional case has been confirmed.
- KCDC noted that COVID-19 transmissions are occurring through various channels including religious small group meetings, club meetings, and door-to-door sales and expressed concern that a massive nationwide wave may occur if the transmissions continue and lead to a large number of people in a closed and crowded environment.
- Recent major outbreaks occurred in underground or otherwise enclosed and poorly ventilated spaces where respiratory droplet producing activities such as singing, eating, tea time, or sporting activities took place. Preventive measures like mask wearing and hand hygiene were not followed well.
- COVID-19 outbreaks can occur in any confined, crowded, and close-contact environment. Therefore, gatherings such as social club meetings and religious small group meetings should be postponed and nightlife establishments, bars, karaoke, and PC cafes should be avoided. In daily life, hand washing, mask wearing, and 2 meter distancing should be practiced.
- People aged 65 or older should particularly avoid enclosed places where people tend to gather, especially if such places do not have windows or otherwise have poor ventilation.
- If such an occasion is unavoidable, activities such as eating and singing should be refrained. Masks should be worn and frequent hand washing or sanitizing should be practiced.
- The elderly are also advised to take care of any chronic medical conditions and exercise regularly.

**COVID-19 PREVENTION MEASURES IN SCHOOLS**

- Do not go to school or work if having fever or respiratory symptoms
- Ventilate classrooms by opening windows
- Maintain constant distance between students
- Keep facemasks on at all times\* while in school  
\*Exceptions allowed for meal times or health problems
- Practice personal hygiene including hand washing and using hand sanitizers
- If having fever of 37.5 degrees or above or respiratory symptoms, immediately inform a health teacher and classroom teacher, put on an MFDS-approved health mask, and wait in a separate area
- Avoid karaoke rooms, PC cafes, bars, clubs, and other publicly used facilities

- Korea National Institute of Health (KNIH) is working to help industry, academia, and research experts collaborate for development of COVID-19 vaccines and treatments.
- Since the announcement of opportunities for private sector organizations to apply for the use of public Biosafety Level 3 facilities, 13 institutions have submitted applications. KNIH encourages interested institutions to apply.



- KCDC expressed gratitude for the 162 recovered people who signed up to participate in the development of COVID-19 plasma therapy and encouraged more eligible people to participate.
- Plasma therapy requires a large amount of blood as it involves formulating a concentrated form of the antibodies and immunoglobulins from the blood of people who have recovered from COVID-19.
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- People aged 18-64 who have been confirmed with COVID-19, fully recovered, discharged (released) from isolation (at least 14 days ago) are able to participate.  
\* Participating hospitals: Korea University Ansan Hospital, Keimyung University Dongsan Hospital, Kyungpook National University Hospital, Daegu Fatima Hospital / For inquiries, dial 1522-6487



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[Table 4: Regional distribution and epidemiological links of the confirmed cases]

Region	Confirmed cases									Other major clusters
	Total	Imported cases	Clusters				Other*	New cases		
			Sub-total	Shin-cheonji	Other clusters	Contacts of confirmed cases			Imported cases	
Seoul	1,170	289	800	8	696	27	69	81	25	Nightclubs (139), Guro-gu call center (9), Richway (97), Manmin Central Church (41), Yangcheon-gu table tennis club (41), SMR newly planted churches group (37), Seongsim Day Care Center (31), Dong-an Church-PC Cafe (28), Coupang (24), KB Life Insurance PM Service Agency (13), KCCC (7), biblical language study meeting (6), Yeonana News Class (5), etc.
Busan	148	30	88	12	57	18	1	30	0	Onchun Church (39), Suyeong-gu Kindergarten (5), Nightclubs (4), etc.
Daegu	6,896	35	6,118	4,511	686	917	4	743	1	Second Mi-Ju Hospital (196), Hansarang Convalescent Hospital (124), Daesil Convalescent Hospital (101), Fatima Hospital (39), Nightclubs (2), etc.
Incheon	323	52	261	2	246	6	7	10	1	SMR newly planted churches group (57), Coupang (57), Nightclubs (54), Richway (21), Guro-gu call center (19), Gyeong-gu real estate agency family (11), Jesus Malsseum Silcheon Church (5), Brothers in Yongin/Goyang (2), etc.
Gwangju	32	16	16	9	0	1	6	0	0	
Daejeon	61	15	35	2	25	8	0	11	7	Door-to-door sales in Daejeon (12), Korea Forest Engineer Institute (3), etc.
Ulsan	53	22	24	16	2	3	3	7	0	
Sejong	48	4	43	1	39	3	0	1	1	Ministry of Oceans and Fisheries (31), gym facilities (8)
Gyeonggi	1,079	210	798	29	647	59	63	71	16	Grace River Church in Seongnam (67), Coupang (67), Nightclubs (59), Richway (54), Uijeongbu St. Mary's Hospital (50), Guro-gu call center-Bucheon SaengMyeongSu Church (50), Yangcheon-gu table tennis club (26), SMR newly planted churches group (24), Anyang-Gunpo pastors group (22), Happy Care Home (10), biblical language study meeting (9), KCCC (7), Defense Security Support Command (6), Seoul City Hall Station safety worker (5), etc.
Gangwon	60	16	37	17	20	0	0	7	0	Uijeongbu St. Mary's Hospital (10), Apartments in Wonju (4), Richway (3), Nightclubs (2), etc.
Chungbuk	61	9	42	6	27	7	2	10	0	Goesan-gun Jangyeon-myeon (11), Nightclubs (9), Guro-gu call center (2), etc.
Chungnam	156	14	130	0	127	2	1	12	3	Gym facilities in Cheonan (103), research center in Seosan (8), Richway (3), Daejeon door-to-door sales (3), etc.
Jeonbuk	22	10	6	1	5	0	0	6	1	Nightclubs (2)
Jeonnam	20	12	5	1	1	2	1	3	0	
Gyeongbuk	1,383	16	1,234	566	478	190	0	133	0	Cheongdo Daenam Hospital (119), Bonghwa Pureun Nursing Home (68), Gyeongsan Seo Convalescent Hospital (66), pilgrimage to Israel (41), Yecheon-gun (40), Gumi Elim Church (10), etc.
Gyeongnam	132	22	90	32	50	6	2	20	0	Geochang Church (10), Wings Tower (9), Geochang Woongyang-myeon (8), Nightclubs (2), etc.
Jeju	16	10	2	0	1	0	1	4	0	
Airport	597	597	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	
Total	12,257 (%)	1,379 (11.3)	9,729 (79.4)	5,213 (42.5)	3,107 (25.3)	1,249 (10.2)	160 (1.3)	1,149 (9.4)	59	

\* Not classified into a cluster or under investigation

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



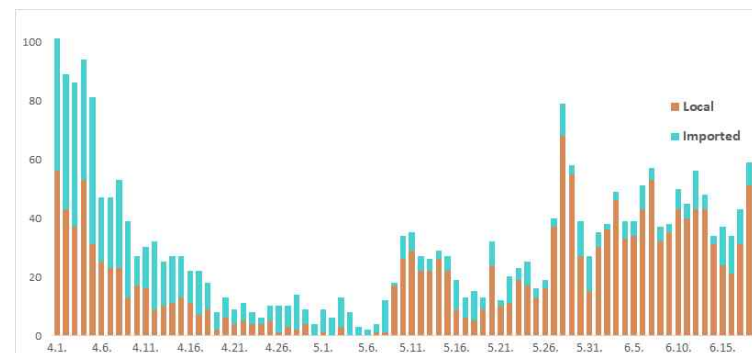
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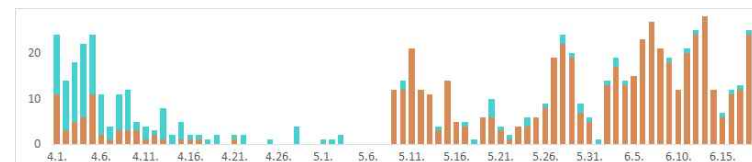
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[Figure 3: Daily new confirmed cases by chain of transmission]

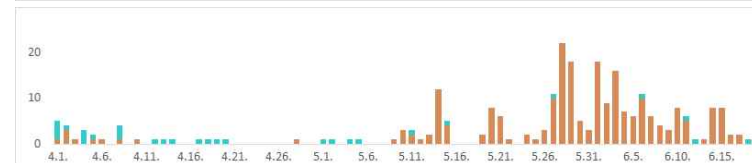
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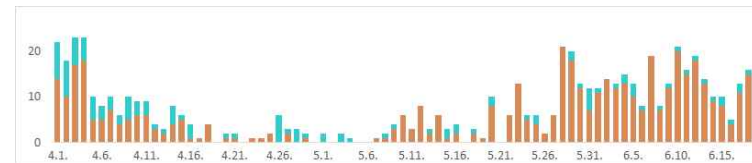
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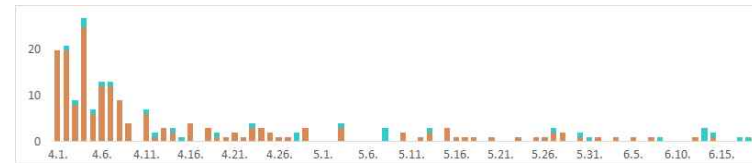
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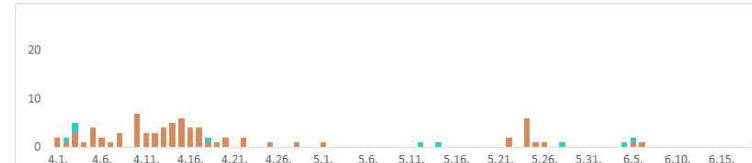
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[Table 5: Age distribution of severe cases]

	6.5	6.6	6.7	6.8	6.9	6.10	6.11	6.12	6.13	6.14	6.15	6.16	6.17	6.18
<b>Total</b>	11	14	14	14	18	20	20	18	22	22	20	24	25	27
<b>Severe</b>	4	7	6	6	11	11	8	6	11	10	10	15	15	16
<b>Very severe</b>	7	7	8	8	7	9	12	12	11	12	10	9	10	11

	Total	Severe ( % )	Very severe ( % )
Total	27	16 ( 100.0 )	11 ( 100.0 )
80 and above	2	0 ( 0.0 )	2 ( 18.2 )
70-79	8	6 ( 37.5 )	2 ( 18.2 )
60-69	10	6 ( 37.5 )	4 ( 36.4 )
50-59	5	2 ( 12.5 )	3 ( 27.3 )
40-49	2	2 ( 12.5 )	0 ( 0.0 )
30-39	0	0 ( 0.0 )	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 )

[Figure 4: New cases (for last 2 weeks) by chain of transmission]

