

by Emergency Operations Center, Department of Disease Control

Thailand situation update on 6 November 2020

1.International Situation

Type of case	Total number	Rate of Increase
Confirmed case	49,120,745	+638,319
Deaths	1,241,128	2.53%

2. The Disease Situation in Thailand

Situation	Total number of PUI*
Total number of new case	+8
• Cases found positive from the state quarantine (Imported)	5
Cases found positive outside state quarantine (Imported)	3
Cases were infected in Thailand (Local transmission)	0
Confirmed cases	3,818
Designated Quarantine Places	866
Transmission	2,451
Imported cases	1,367
Recovered and discharged from hospitals	3,639 (+16)
Undergoing treatment	119 (95.31%)
Deaths	60 (+1) (1.57%)

Remark: *PUI (Patients Under Investigation)



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Type of patient	Total number of PUI
Total number of screened people	
Point of entry (Airport, Ground port and Seaport)	7,289,841
 People who renew their passports at Immigration Bureau, Chaeng Watthana 	350,321
Total number of laboratory tests	926,004
People who met the PUI criteria	498,594
From the active case finding	15,834
Returnees under state quarantine	81,676
People who did not meet the PUI criteria	329,900
Total number of people who met the criteria of patients under investigation (PUI)	498,594
Detected from ports of entry	3,471
 Sought medical services on their own at hospitals (151,799 cases in private hospitals, and 343,236 cases in public hospitals) 	495,035
 Notified by hotel residences, the Erawan Medical Center, local universities, tour groups and U-Tapao 	88

3. Thailand Precautions

The Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Public Health, gave a press interview after being Chair of the Center for COVID-19 Situation Medical and Public Health Emergency Administration (CCS-MPHA) meeting that the meeting has approved the proposal to the CCSA to decrease the quarantine period from 14 to 10 days for countries with equal or a little more risk compared to Thailand. For high risk countries, the quarantine will remain at 14 days. The measure makes it easier to attract tourists to travel to Thailand. This is based on the scientific evidence that the quarantine period of 10 and 14 days will sufficiently cover the incubation period of the disease.



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4. Risk Assessment of COVID-19 Situation

The number of new cases remained stable compared to the 1st week of this month (November 2020). All infected persons found on November 6, 2020 showed no symptoms. However, screening method and symptom enquiry performance at the State Quarantine facilities should be re-evaluated whether there have been any modification or management to increase the accuracy of disease detection.