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## Thailand situation update on 3 April 2021

### 1. International Situation

	Total Number	Daily Increase	Case Fatality Rate (CFR)
Confirmed cases	130,907,250	638,997	
Deaths	2,852,443		2.18%

#### 2. The Disease Situation in Thailand

Situation	Total Number*
Total number of new cases	84
Cases found in quarantine facilities/centers (Imported)	15
Cases found outside quarantine facilities/centers (Imported)	0
Cases infected in Thailand (Local transmission)	58
Cases found from active case finding	11
Total number of confirmed cases	29,031
Cases found in quarantine facilities/centers (Imported)	2,501
Cases found outside quarantine facilities/centers (Imported)	3,130
Cases infected in Thailand (Local transmission)	25,901
Cases found from active case finding	16,084
Total number of confirmed cases	29,031
<ul> <li>Total recovered and discharged from hospitals</li> <li>Newly recovered and discharged from hospitals</li> </ul>	27,668 (95.31%) 62
Undergoing treatment	1,268 (4.36%)
<ul> <li>Deaths</li> <li>New deaths</li> </ul>	95 (0.33%) 1



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Type of Screened People and PUI	Total Number
Total number	
• Ports of entry (Airports, ground ports, and seaports)	8,140,547
<ul> <li>People renewing their passports at the Immigration Bureau, Chaeng Watthana</li> </ul>	508,260
Total number of laboratory tests	1,712,854
People who met the PUI criteria	1,285,444
From active case finding	15,834
Returnees in quarantine facilities/centers	81,676
People who did not meet the PUI criteria	329,900
Total number of people who met the criteria of PUI	1,285,444
Detected from ports of entry	4,931
<ul> <li>Sought medical services on their own at hospitals (295,914 cases in private hospitals, and 984,511 cases in public hospitals)</li> </ul>	1,280,425
<ul> <li>Notified by hotel residences, the Erawan Medical Center, local universities, tour groups and U-Tapao</li> </ul>	88

Remark: \*PUI (Patients Under Investigation)

### 3. Thailand Implementations

The spokesperson for the Office of the Prime Minister said that the Center for COVID-19 Situation Administration (CCSA) made a resolution to extend the application "Pao Tang" via "Health Wallet" to increase the welfare benefit by allowing people to register for the COVID-19 vaccine. The Ministry of Finance and Krung Thai Bank (KTB) have been assigned to operate on this issue.

A spokesperson for the Prime Minister's Office said that the government has already distributed 800,000 doses of Sinovac vaccines to the target group including health care officers, frontline workers and a population at risk in 22 provinces across the country. The outbreak control areas, areas for tourism economy, border areas for economic recovery have been distributed 640,000 doses of vaccines and the other 160,000 doses will be distributed to target groups including village health volunteers in other areas,



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#### 4. Risk Assessment of COVID-19 Situation

From the COVID-19 situation among travelers entering Thailand and being quarantined in designated areas prepared by the government between March 29 and April 3, 2021, there were 81 confirmed cases and the average age was 38 years old. Of those 55 cases (67.9%) were Thai. Most of them were asymptomatic cases (63 cases or 77.8%). Countries of origin were found from Madagascar (10 cases or 12.3%), followed by the United States (8 cases or 9.9%), India (7 cases or 8.6%), and Malaysia (5 cases or 6.2%) that were related to the situation in each country. Therefore, screening procedure, surveillance, and quarantine among travelers from abroad must strictly implement even though the travellers come from low-risk countries. It is possible that those may not exhibit signs and symptoms at the initial phase of infection. The travelers must emphasize themselves to strictly practice their self-protection measures by wearing a face mask/cloth mask at all times even in their quarantine rooms. Frequently washing hands after touching objects that may be contaminated, such as doorknobs, handrails, etc. Lastly, do not leave the room though the laboratory results had not been detected.