








MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND CHILD CARE

COVID-19 UPDATE

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HIGHLIGHTS OF THE SITUATION REPORT

- ✓ Two-hundred and seventy-three (273) cases tested positive for COVID-19 today. These include returnees from South Africa (12), Mozambique (1) and 260 local cases who are isolated.
- ✓ Due to a backlog of sample processing at NTBRL, Bulawayo Province has reported 231 cases today which were collected over the last seven days but were not processed. These cases will be distributed in the Epi-Curve according to dates the samples were collected.
- ✓ Thirty (30) recoveries were reported by Mash East Province (25) and Manicaland (5).
- ✓ Today we regret to report three (3) deaths; (2) at community level and (1) at facility level. These deaths occurred in Bulawayo Province. The community deaths were detected during routine post mortem as part of our COVID-19 surveillance.
- ✓ Today 1156 RDT screening tests and 492 PCR diagnostic tests were done. The cumulative number of tests done to date is 97 508 (58 392 RDT and 39 116 PCR).
- ✓ Since the onset of the COVID-19 outbreak on 20 March 2020, the total number of confirmed cases is 1362; recovered 425, active cases 914 and 23 deaths.

Province	 Number of Tests Done Today		 Number of Confirmed Cases			 Number Recovered	 Number of Active Cases	 Deceased
	RDT	PCR	Cum (New)	Local (New)	Import (New)	Cum (New)		Cum (New)
Bulawayo	113	104	419 (231)	384 (231)	35 (0)	88 (0)	321	10 (3)
Harare	326	268	389 (22)	136 (22)	253 (0)	76 (0)	305	8 (0)
Manicaland	15	0	37 (4)	5 (3)	32 (1)	26 (5)	11	0 (0)
Mash Cent.	0	6	14 (3)	2 (2)	12 (1)	4 (0)	10	0 (0)
Mash East	13	0	86 (0)	40 (0)	46 (0)	68(25)	18	0 (0)
Mash West	210	18	60 (2)	4 (2)	56 (0)	2 (0)	57	1 (0)
Midlands	11	28	102 (10)	9 (0)	93(10)	57 (0)	43	2 (0)
Masvingo	38	29	66 (1)	2 (0)	64 (1)	51 (0)	15	0 (0)
Mat North	79	14	29 (0)	5 (0)	24 (0)	16 (0)	12	1 (0)
Mat South	351	25	160 (0)	19 (0)	141(0)	37 (0)	122	1 (0)
Total	1156	492	1362 (273)	606 (260)	756 (13)	425 (30)	914	23 (3)

Manicaland province received positive results from NMRL.

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ZIMBABWE COVID-19 DAILY AND CUMULATIVE CASES AS OF 16/07/20

