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COVID-19 UPDATE

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HIGHLIGHTS OF THE SITUATION REPORT

- ✓ Fifty-eight (58) cases tested positive for COVID-19 today. These include returnees from South Africa (10), and 48 local cases who are isolated.
- ✓ Thirty-two (32) of the local cases are contacts of known confirmed cases. Investigations are underway to establish the source of infection for the other 16 cases.
- ✓ Thirteen (13) recoveries were reported by the following provinces; Mash Central (6), Mat North (3), Mash East (2) and Manicaland (2).
- ✓ Today we regret to report 1 death at facility level in Bulawayo Province. The death is a 19-year-old male who tested positive for COVID-19 today and had co-morbidities.
- ✓ Today 1214 RDT screening tests and 979 PCR diagnostic tests were done. The cumulative number of tests done to date is 99 701(59 606 RDT and 40 095 PCR).
- ✓ Since the onset of the COVID-19 outbreak on 20 March 2020, the total number of confirmed cases is 1420; recovered 438, active cases 958 and 24 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	108	286	446 (27)	411 (27)	35 (0)	88 (0)	347	11 (1)
Harare	363	625	408 (19)	151 (15)	257 (4)	76 (0)	324	8 (0)
Manicaland	146	0	37 (0)	5 (0)	32 (0)	28 (2)	9	0 (0)
Mash Cent.	0	19	14 (0)	2 (0)	12 (0)	10 (6)	4	0 (0)
Mash East	68	0	92 (6)	46 (6)	46 (0)	70(2)	22	0 (0)
Mash West	37	2	60 (0)	4 (0)	56 (0)	2 (0)	57	1 (0)
Midlands	303	28	107 (5)	9 (0)	98(5)	57 (0)	48	2 (0)
Masvingo	147	13	67 (1)	2 (0)	65 (1)	51 (0)	16	0 (0)
Mat North	35	6	29 (0)	5 (0)	24 (0)	19 (3)	9	1 (0)
Mat South	7	0	160 (0)	19 (0)	141(0)	37 (0)	122	1 (0)
Total	1214	979	1420 (58)	654 (48)	766 (10)	438 (13)	958	24 (1)

Mashonaland East Province received positive results from NMRL.

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ZIMBABWE COVID-19 DAILY AND CUMULATIVE CASES AS OF 17/07/20

