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COVID-19 UPDATE:

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HIGHLIGHTS OF THE SITUATION REPORT

- ✓ Three (3) cases tested positive for COVID-19 today. Two (2) cases are returnees from Botswana who both tested positive on the 8th day of quarantine and 1 is a Harare resident with no history of travel.
- ✓ Today 1 379 RDT screening tests and 466 PCR diagnostic tests were done. The cumulative number of tests done to date is 34 707 (19 623 RDT and 15 084 PCR).
- ✓ To date the total number of confirmed cases is 51; recovered 18, active cases 29 and 4 deaths, since the onset of the outbreak on 20 March 2020.

Province	Number of Tests Done Today		Number of Confirmed Cases		Number Recovered		Number of Active Cases	Deceased	
	RDT	PCR	New	Cum	New	Cum		New	Cum
Bulawayo	44	0	0	12	0	4	7	0	1
Harare	554	422	1	23	0	9	12	0	2
Manicaland	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mash Cent.	46	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mash East	107	12	0	6	0	4	2	0	0
Mash West	37	0	0	5	0	0	4	0	1
Midlands	265	27	2	3	0	0	3	0	0
Masvingo	21	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
Mat North	75	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Mat South	215	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1379	466	3	51	0	18	29	0	4

Stay at home and avoid going to crowded places. Where people come together in crowds, it is more difficult to maintain physical distance of at least 1 metre.

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