



Corona Virus Disease (COVID-19)

Situation Report in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa

Directorate General Health Services Khyber Pakhtunkhwa

Date: March 01, 2020

Highlights:

- There are 85403 confirmed cases of COVID-19 spreading over 53 countries with 2924 deaths globally as of February 29, 2020
- Mexico and San Marino reported its first cases of COVID-19
- Cases continue to rise in countries outside of China as compared to within China
- WHO Risk Assessment at Regional and Global Level has been raised from High to Very High

Situation in Numbers:

Cases Globally: **85403 (1753 New)**

Cases in Pakistan: **Confirmed 4**

Cases in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa:

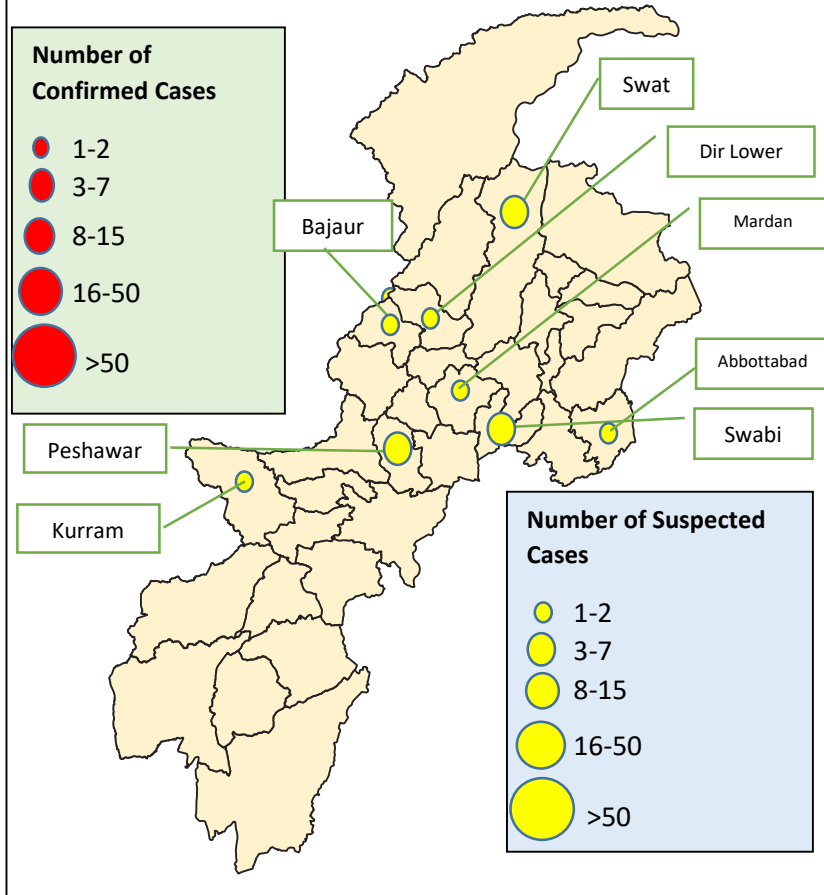
Suspected 18, Confirmed 0

Point of Entry	Total No. of incoming flights in Last 24 hours	Total No. of Passengers arrived in last 24 hours	Total of Passengers Screened	Total No. of Suspected COVID-19
Airport	12	2017	2017	0
Pak-Afghan Border	N/A	5156	5156	0

Day-Wise Cases in Districts of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Date: March 01, 2020

District	No. of New Suspected Cases Today	No. of Total Suspected Cases	Total No. of Confirmed Cases
Abbottabad	0	1	
Bajaur	0	1	
Bannu	0	0	
Battagram	0	0	
Buner	0	0	
Charsadda	0	0	
Chitral	0	0	
D.I. Khan	0	0	
Dir Lower	0	1	
Dir Upper	0	0	
Hangu	0	0	
Haripur	0	0	
Karak	0	0	
Khyber	0	0	
Kohat	0	0	
Kohistan Upper	0	0	
Kohistan Lower	0	0	
Kolai Palas	0	0	
Kurram	0	1	
Lakki Marwat	0	0	
Malakand	0	0	
Manshera	0	0	
Mardan	0	1	
Mohmand	0	0	
North Waziristan	0	0	
Nowshera	0	0	
Orakzai	0	0	
Peshawar	0	7	
Shangla	0	0	
South Waziristan	0	0	
Swabi	0	3	
Swat	0	3	
Tank	0	0	
Torghar	0	0	

Distribution of COVID-19 as of Mar 01, 2020



Preparedness, Response & Updates:

1. 2 buses carrying travelers from Iran were investigated by a team from DHO office Dera Ismail Khan for suspected COVID-19 cases. 69 Passengers were examined and declared healthy and free of disease. Their credentials were recorded and were previously kept in quarantine on the border for 10 days.
2. 3 suspected COVID-19 cases were referred (2 from LRH and 1 Self Referred) to Police and Services Hospital in Peshawar and were investigated where the all were declared healthy and free of disease
3. Health Department has deputed 31 health staff at Peshawar Airport to facilitate Airport authorities for screening and reporting of cases
4. High vigilance with staff presence continues at field from Directorate General Health Services on weekend.
5. Ongoing screening of suspected cases of COVID-19 continues at Peshawar International Airport and Pak-Afghan border entry points

Advice for Public:

1. Avoiding close contact with people suffering from acute respiratory infection
2. If you have fever, cough and difficulty breathing seek medical care early
3. Frequent hand washing especially after direct contact with ill people or their environment
4. People with symptoms of acute respiratory infection should cover their coughing and sneezing with disposable tissue and practice hand washing afterwards, if you don't have a tissue cough or sneeze into your upper sleeve, not your hands
5. Avoid frequent travel and crowds
6. Within healthcare facilities enhance standard infection, prevention and control practices