



Corona Virus Disease (COVID-19)

Situation Report in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa

Directorate General Health Services Khyber Pakhtunkhwa

Date: February 28, 2020

Highlights:

- There are 82294 confirmed cases of COVID-19 spreading over 46 countries with 2804 deaths globally as of February 27, 2020
- Brazil, Denmark, Estonia, Georgia, Greece, Norway, Romania and North Macedonia reported first confirmed case of COVID-19
- 1 new suspected cases of COVID-19 reported from District Kurram. All protocols followed regarding isolation, case reporting, sample transport and case management
- Previously reported case of COVID-19 from Police and Services Hospital, Peshawar has been declared negative from National Institute of Health (NIH) Islamabad

Situation in Numbers:

Cases Globally: 82294 (1185 New)

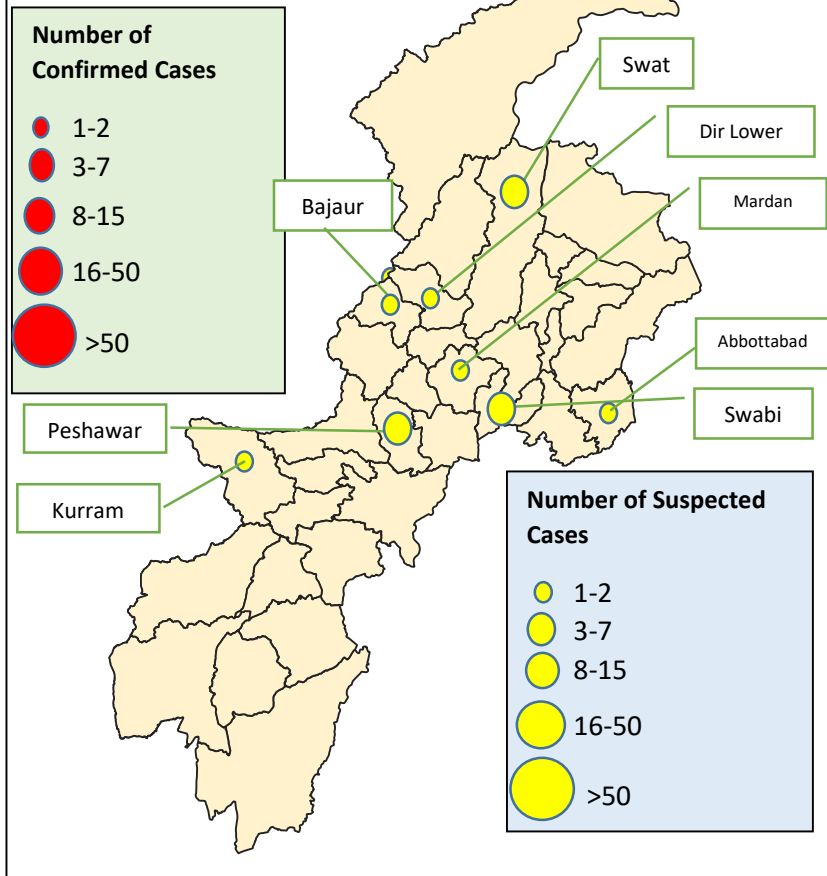
Cases in Pakistan: Suspected 103, Confirmed 2

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	11	2086	2086	0
Pak-Afghan Border	N/A	6799	6799	0

Day-Wise Cases in Districts of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa			
Date: February 28, 2020			
District	No. of New Suspected Cases Today	No. of Total Suspected Cases	Total No. of Confirmed Cases
Abbottabad	0	1	0
Bajaur	0	1	0
Bannu	0	0	0
Battagram	0	0	0
Buner	0	0	0
Charsadda	0	0	0
Chitral	0	0	0
D.I. Khan	0	0	0
Dir Lower	0	1	0
Dir Upper	0	0	0
Hangu	0	0	0
Haripur	0	0	0
Karak	0	0	0
Khyber	0	0	0
Kohat	0	0	0
Kohistan Upper	0	0	0
Kohistan Lower	0	0	0
Kolai Palas	0	0	0
Kurram	1	1	0
Lakki Marwat	0	0	0
Malakand	0	0	0
Manshera	0	0	0
Mardan	0	1	0
Mohmand	0	0	0
North Waziristan	0	0	0
Nowshera	0	0	0
Orakzai	0	0	0
Peshawar	0	7	0
Shangla	0	0	0
South Waziristan	0	0	0
Swabi	0	3	0
Swat	0	3	0
Tank	0	0	0
Torghar	0	0	0

Distribution of COVID-19 as of Feb 28, 2020



Preparedness, Response & Updates:

1. As a high vigilance measure, 22 Persons who travelled from Iran in last 14 days have been contacted for presence of any signs and symptoms
2. As per details shared with districts, passengers with recent travel to Iran are advised for self-quarantine and isolated in hospitals
3. Alert of suspected COVID-19 was generated from Airport and was referred to Police and Services Hospital Peshawar where he was declared healthy and free of disease
4. Alert of suspected COVID-19 was generated from Peshawar and was investigated by a team from DHO office where he was declared healthy and free of disease
5. Biosafety training was conducted in KTH, HMC and Airport to orient the concerned staff about infection prevention and control strategies regarding COVID-19

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