

# Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19)

Data as reported by the CCSA mid-day press briefing



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## WHO Thailand Situation Report



**6,285**  
Confirmed



**60**  
Deaths



**2,045**  
Hospitalized



**4,180**  
Recovered

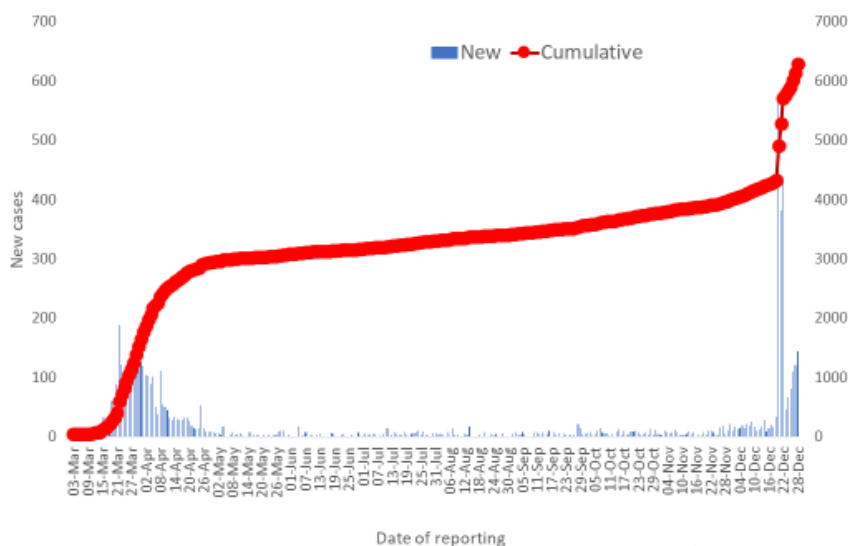


**THAILAND  
SITUATION  
UPDATE**

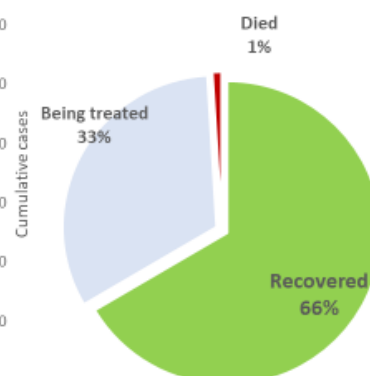
### SPOTLIGHT

- On the 28<sup>th</sup> of December 2020, 144 new cases of laboratory-confirmed COVID-19 were reported by the Ministry of Public Health. The total number of cases reported in Thailand is currently 6,285
- Of these cases, 66.5 % (4,180) have recovered, 1% (60) have died and 32.5 % (2,045) are still receiving treatment. No new deaths were reported
- The 144 laboratory-confirmed cases reported today include 15 individuals diagnosed in quarantine facilities
- The 144 new cases reported today also include 115 cases classified as 'domestic transmission', as follows
  - 41 cases linked to the Samut Sakhon cluster (occurring in Nakhon Pathom 17, Samut Sakhon 1, Nakhon Nayok 2, Nonthaburi 2, Pathum Thani 2, Sukhothai 1, Samut Prakarn 5, Bangkok 10, Lopburi 1)
  - 23 cases linked to the Rayong cluster (Rayong 21, Chonburi 1, Chiangmai 1)
  - Two cases in Bangkok that did not link to either cluster, but occurred in people who visited crowded places
  - 49 cases are under investigation (Bangkok 7, Chonburi 5, Nakhon Pathom 1, Nonthaburi 1, Rayong 35)
- The remaining 14 cases reported today are in migrant workers in Samut Sakhon who were identified through contact tracing and active case finding. This brings the cumulative total in this group to 1,370 cases and also means that the number of cases in this group detected on a daily basis continues on a downward trend.
- Locally transmitted COVID-19 cases have now been reported in 42 Provinces in addition to Samut Sakhon, including Bangkok, Nakhon Pathom, Samut Prakan, Tak, Chachoengsao, Pathum Thani, Saraburi, Utharadit, Petchaburi, Petchabun, Krabi, Kampaeng Phet, Khon Kaen, Ayutthaya, Nakhon Ratchasima, Prachinburi, Phuket, Suphanburi, Samut Songkram, Chainat, Pichit, Ang Thong, Nakhon Sawan, Udon Thani, Chaiyaphum, Nakhon Si Thammarat, Surat Thani, Ratchaburi, Chonburi, Loei, Ubon Ratchatani, Songkhla, Nonthaburi, Rayong, Trang, Satun, Sukhothai, Nakhon Nayok, Surin, Narathiwat, Chiang Mai and Lopburi

New and cumulative COVID-19 cases in Thailand,  
by date of reporting



Treatment outcomes of  
COVID-19 patients (n=6285)



Source: MoPH, 28 Dec 2020

## ADVICE FOR THE PUBLIC

- The CCSA encourages businesses to adjust opening and closing hours and individuals to adjust working hours as necessary. Individuals are encouraged to work from home as much as possible and consider postponing unnecessary travel.
- It is important that members of the public continue to follow preventive measures including distancing, regular handwashing, avoiding touching the face, wearing masks when visiting crowded places and coughing only into a folded elbow or a tissue (which should be disposed of safely).



**Reminder:** The COVID-19 virus does spread directly from person-to-person when a COVID-19 case coughs or sneezes, producing droplets that reach the nose, mouth, or eyes of another person. These droplets may also land on objects and surfaces surrounding the infected person. It is possible that someone may become infected by touching a contaminated surface, object, or the hand of an infected person and then touching their own mouth, nose, or eyes. For further information on how COVID-19 is spread, please link to <https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/question-and-answers-hub/q-a-detail/coronavirus-disease-covid-19-how-is-it-transmitted>

## WHAT WHO IS DOING TO PROVIDE SUPPORT TO THAILAND

WHO Thailand supports the Royal Thai Government through the Ministry of Public Health, sharing information on key developments, guidelines and scientific updates. WHO also supports the wider UN response, including working with key partners to support migrant populations in Thailand. WHO also provides information and advice to staff of the UN system in Thailand.



### USEFUL LINKS

- The Thailand COVID19 situation report is available in Thai and English, please [visit](#).
- For regular updates on WHO's response in Thailand, please [visit](#).
- For global figures and technical advice from WHO, please [visit](#).

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