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SERVICES ON COVID-19 IN NAMIBIA

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1. We announce sixty-one (**61**) positive cases from eight hundred and one (**801**) results in the last twenty-four (24) hour reporting cycle, which represents **7.6%** positivity ratio. Out of the total confirmed cases, fifty-seven (57) are new cases and four (4) are reinfections. The sex distribution of the total confirmed cases is thirty-two (32) males, of which 30 are new cases, and twenty-nine (29) females, of which 27 are new cases. The age range of the cases is from two (2) months to ninety-two (92) years.

Table 1: New COVID-19 positive cases & reinfections, 22 January 2022

Region	New cases	District	New cases	Reinfections	Total
Omusati	11	Outapi	5	0	5
		Oshikuku	4	0	4
		Tsandi	2	0	2
Kavango East	9	Rundu	8	0	8
		Andara	1	0	1
Khomas	7	Windhoek	7	3	10
Ohangwena	7	Eenhana	3	0	3
		Engela	3	0	3
		Okongo	1	0	1
Oshana	6	Oshakati	6	0	6
Kunene	5	Opuwo	5	0	5
Otjozondjupa	5	Grootfontein	4	0	4
		Okahandja	1	0	1
Omaheke	2	Gobabis	2	0	2
Kavango West	2	Nkurenkuru	2	0	2
Kharas	1	Luderitz	1	0	1
Hardap	1	Rehoboth	1	0	1
Erongo	1	Swakopmund	1	0	1
		Omaruru	0	1	1
Total	57		57	4	61

2. We are reporting cases from 12 regions, with Omusati region recording more cases (11), constituting 18% of the total cases, followed by Khomas region with ten (10), constituting 16.4% of the total cases.
3. Among the confirmed cases are eleven (11) learners from different schools and one (1) teacher. Ten (10) cases are fully vaccinated and one (1) did not specify the number of doses received. fifty (50) cases are not vaccinated, accounting for **82%** of the total confirmed cases.

4. One hundred and forty-two **(142)** cases from six (6) regions have recovered.

Table 2: Distribution of new recoveries by region, 22 January 2022

Region	Number
Otjozondjupa	78
Khomas	35
Zambezi	14
Oshikoto	11
Erongo	3
Hardap	1
Total	142

5. The number of active cases is eight thousand five hundred and sixty-six **(8 566)**. Two hundred and twenty-nine **(229)** cases are currently hospitalized across all regions. Two **(2)** of the hospitalized cases have received one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine, eighteen **(18)** are fully vaccinated, while two hundred and nine **(209)** are not vaccinated constituting **91.3%** of all hospitalized cases. Twenty-nine **(29)** cases are in Intensive Care Unit (ICU) of which two **(2)** are fully vaccinated.

Table 3: Distribution of hospitalization of confirmed cases per region, 22 January 2022

Region	Hospitalized cases		Vaccinated		ICU		Vaccinated	
	Current	Previous	1 st dose	2 nd dose	Current	Previous	1 st dose	2 nd dose
Omusati	40	40	0	0	0	0	0	0
Khomas	33	33	0	2	12	12	0	1
Oshana	31	34	0	0	3	2	0	0
Ohangwena	29	29	1	1	0	0	0	0
Erongo	22	22	1	5	3	3	0	1
Oshikoto	16	18	0	0	11	12	0	0
Kunene	12	15	0	6	0	0	0	0
Kavango East	11	11	0	0	0	0	0	0
Otjozondjupa	10	12	0	3	0	0	0	0
Omaheke	10	10	0	0	0	0	0	0
Zambezi	7	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hardap	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kharas	3	3	0	1	0	0	0	0
Kavango West	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	229	238	2	18	29	29	0	2

6. We have not recorded any deaths today.
7. By 21 January 2022, a total of **414 403** people aged 18 years and older have received one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine, representing **28.2%** of the target population which is (1 471 973). A total of **111 381** have received the Johnson & Johnson vaccine, while **243 242** adults have received two doses of other vaccine types. Therefore, **354 623** adults have completed their vaccination, translating to **24.1%** of the target population.

8. Three thousand two hundred and fifteen (**3 215**) children aged 12-17 years have received one dose of the Pfizer vaccine, representing **1.0%** of the target population (307 298). Of these, seven hundred and thirty-two (**732**) are fully vaccinated. Hence, the cumulative number of people vaccinated with the first dose of the COVID-19 vaccine for both adults and children is **417 618**, of which **355 355** are fully vaccinated, translating to **20%** of the total target population (1 779 271).
9. Thirteen thousand four hundred and sixty-one (**13 461**) people have received a COVID-19 vaccine booster dose. Details of vaccinations are presented in tables 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 below.

Table: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccine 1st dose, 22 January 2022

Region	Sinopharm		AstraZeneca		Sputnik V		Pfizer		J&J		Grand total 1st dose
	New	All	New	All	New	All	New	All	New	All	
Erongo	0	15985	0	13179	0	3	0	1132	0	9382	39681
Hardap	0	12716	0	5587	0	0	0	534	0	7008	25845
Kharas	2	10355	0	4594	0	0	6	240	39	5963	21152
Kavango East	0	10716	0	7075	0	0	0	1318	0	10682	29791
Kavango West	10	5856	0	4525	0	0	5	794	21	9618	20793
Khomas	21	41988	0	29514	0	94	27	4344	159	20463	96403
Kunene	0	11704	0	5432	0	0	0	121	0	7905	25162
Ohangwena	0	15813	0	5293	0	2	0	124	0	6002	27234
Omaheke	4	8331	0	5008	0	0	9	248	18	5414	19001
Omusati	0	13537	0	7217	0	0	0	287	0	5525	26566
Oshana	0	12480	0	4782	0	29	0	256	0	4575	22122
Oshikoto	4	12164	0	3718	0	0	0	83	11	5993	21958
Otjozondjupa	0	12445	0	8457	0	0	0	305	0	9922	31129
Zambezi	1	3629	0	939	0	0	1	69	15	2929	7566
Total	42	187719	0	105320	0	128	48	9855	263	111381	414403

Table 6: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines 2nd dose, 22 January 2022

Region	Sinopharm		AstraZeneca		Sputnik V		Pfizer		Total 2nd dose
	New 2 nd dose	All 2 nd dose	New 2 nd dose	All 2 nd dose	New 2 nd dose	All 2 nd doses	New 2 nd dose	All 2 nd dose	
Erongo	0	13803	0	11355	0	5	0	562	25725
Hardap	0	10751	0	4239	0	0	0	329	15319
Kharas	6	8386	0	3166	0	0	9	173	11725
Kavango East	0	7585	0	3789	0	0	0	542	11916
Kavango West	14	4624	0	2970	0	0	14	255	7849
Khomas	14	35845	0	24578	0	63	39	2833	63319
Kunene	0	8720	0	4034	0	0	0	53	12807
Ohangwena	0	13105	0	4139	0	0	0	21	17265
Omaheke	1	6030	0	3042	0	0	4	143	9215
Omusati	0	11803	0	5853	0	0	0	203	17859
Oshana	0	11105	0	3848	0	8	0	163	15124
Oshikoto	7	10561	0	3079	0	0	7	33	13673
Otjozondjupa	0	10837	0	6476	0	0	0	195	17508
Zambezi	1	3174	0	739	0	0	2	25	3938
Total	43	156329	0	81307	0	76	75	5530	243242

Table 7: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines 3rd dose, 22 January 2022

Region	Sinopharm		AstraZeneca		Sputnik V		Pfizer		Grand total 3 rd dose
	New 3 rd dose	All 3 rd dose	New 3 rd dose	All 3 rd dose	New 3 rd dose	All 3 rd doses	New 3 rd dose	All 3 rd dose	
Erongo	0	708	0	80	0	0	0	1626	2414
Hardap	0	580	0	0	0	0	0	625	1205
Kharas	10	271	0	24	0	0	8	128	423
Kavango East	0	177	0	2	0	0	0	111	290
Kavango West	1	75	0	0	0	0	20	72	147
Khomas	63	1445	0	355	0	0	167	3170	4970
Kunene	0	404	0	17	0	0	0	231	652
Ohangwena	0	96	0	2	0	0	0	2	100
Omaheke	4	67	0	3	0	0	6	24	94
Omusati	0	347	0	23	0	0	0	194	564
Oshana	0	564	0	57	0	0	0	314	935
Oshikoto	11	342	0	39	0	0	8	99	480
Otjozondjupa	0	545	0	58	0	0	0	433	1036
Zambezi	2	92	0	5	0	0	7	54	151
Total	91	5713	0	665	0	0	216	7083	13461

Table 8: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines(12-17) Years, 1st dose, 22 January 2022

PFIZER FOR CHILDREN 1 st DOSE (12-17) Years					
Region	New (12-13 yrs)	All 1 st dose (12-13 yrs)	New (14-17 yrs)	All 1 st dose (14-17 yrs)	GRAND TOTAL 1 st DOSES (12-17 yrs)
Erongo	0	107	0	223	330
Hardap	0	148	0	272	420
Kharas	2	25	1	35	60
Kavango East	0	237	0	420	657
Kavango West	0	134	11	238	372
Khomas	0	151	10	303	454
Kunene	0	84	0	147	231
Ohangwena	0	49	0	52	101
Omaheke	0	24	0	41	65
Omusati	0	80	0	58	138
Oshana	0	41	0	90	131
Oshikoto	0	16	1	35	51
Otjozondjupa	0	88	0	111	199
Zambezi	0	3	0	3	6
Total	2	1187	23	2028	3215

Table 9: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines(12-17) Years, 2nd dose, 22 January 2022

PFIZER FOR CHILDREN 2nd DOSE (12-17) Years					
Region	New (12-13 yrs)	All 2nd dose (12-13 yrs)	New (14-17 yrs)	All 2nd Dose (14-17 yrs)	GRAND TOTAL 2nd DOSE (12-17) Years
Erongo	0	39	0	106	145
Hardap	0	49	0	52	101
Kharas	0	1	0	6	7
Kavango East	0	27	0	46	73
Kavango West	0	4	0	9	13
Khomas	3	71	14	163	234
Kunene	0	0	0	4	4
Ohangwena	0	0	0	0	0
Omaheke	0	8	0	27	35
Omusati	0	4	0	8	12
Oshana	0	7	0	21	28
Oshikoto	0	4	0	8	12
Otjozondjupa	0	15	0	53	68
Zambezi	0	0	0	0	0
Total	3	229	14	503	732

Table 10: Summary of the national update, 22 January 2022

Cumulative newly confirmed individuals	155 255
Newly confirmed individuals	57
New reinfections	4
Cumulative cases including reinfections	157 235
Recoveries	144 742
Recovery rate	93%
Active cases	8 566
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine 1 st dose	417 618
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine 2 nd dose	243 974
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine completed	355 355
COVID-19 Deaths	3 591
COVID-19 Related Deaths	323
Total Deaths	3 914
Total samples tested	910 702
Active contacts	1 287
Cumulative number of people quarantined	86 609
Number of quarantined people discharged	86 307
Number of people in quarantines	302

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