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SERVICES ON COVID-19 IN NAMIBIA

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1. We announce eighteen (**18**) positive cases from eight hundred and forty-one (**841**) results in the last twenty-four (24) hour reporting cycle, representing **2.1%** positivity ratio. Out of the total confirmed cases, seventeen (17) are new cases and one (1) is a reinfection. The sex distribution of the cases is thirteen (13) females, all new and five (5) males of which four (4) are new cases. The age range is from thirteen (13) years to seventy-two (72) years

Table 1: New COVID-19 positive cases & reinfections, 26 February 2022

Region	New cases	District	New cases	Reinfections	Total
Erongo	9	Swakopmund	8	0	8
		Walvis Bay	1	0	1
Otjozondjupa	4	Okahandja	2	0	2
		Otjiwarongo	1	0	1
		Grootfontein	1	0	1
Khomas	2	Windhoek	2	0	2
Ohangwena	1	Eenhana	1	0	1
Omusati	1	Tsandi	1	0	1
Kharas	0	Luderitz	0	1	1
Total	17		17	1	18

2. We are reporting cases from six (6) regions. Among the confirmed cases, ten (10) are learners of which six (6) are from Coastal High School in Swakopmund district and the rest are from different schools. Two (2) cases are fully vaccinated while sixteen (16) cases are not vaccinated, accounting for **88.9%** of the total confirmed cases.
3. Fourteen (**14**) cases from five (5) regions have recovered.

Table 2: Distribution of new recoveries by region, 26 February 2022

Region	Number
Otjozondjupa	7
Omusati	3
Zambezi	2
Oshikoto	1
Kharas	1
Total	14

4. The number of active cases is two thousand five hundred and seventy-two (**2 572**). Twenty-five (**25**) cases are currently hospitalized across seven (7) regions. Two (2) hospitalized cases are fully vaccinated, while twenty-three (**23**) are not vaccinated constituting **92%**. Six (**6**) cases are in ICU of which none is vaccinated.

Table 3: Distribution of hospitalization of confirmed cases per region, 26 February 2022

Region	Hospitalized cases		Vaccinated		ICU		Vaccinated	
	Current	Previous	1 st dose	2 nd dose	Current	Previous	1 st dose	2 nd dose
Ohangwena	7	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
Khomas	6	3	0	1	6	2	0	0
Oshana	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Omusati	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Erongo	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
Zambezi	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Otjozondjupa	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	25	21	0	2	6	2	0	0

5. No death being reported today.
6. By 25 February 2022, a total of **432 370** people aged 18 years and older have received one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine, representing **29.4%** of the target population (1 471 973). A total of **123 954** have received the Johnson & Johnson vaccine, while **249 247** adults have received two doses of other vaccine types. Hence, **373 201** adults have completed their vaccination, translating to **25.4%** of the target population.
7. Nine thousand eight hundred and sixty-six (**9 866**) children aged 12-17 years have received one dose of the Pfizer vaccine, representing **3.2%** of the target population (307 298). Of these, two thousand three hundred and eighty-two (**2 382**) 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 **442 236** of which **375 583** are fully vaccinated, translating to **21.1%** of the total target population (1 779 271).
8. Twenty seven thousand and sixty-nine (**27 069**) people have received a COVID-19 vaccine booster dose. Details of vaccinations are presented in tables 4, 5, 6, 7 and below:

Table 4: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccine 1st dose, 26 February 2022

Region	Sinopharm		AstraZeneca		Sputnik V		Pfizer		J&J		Total 1st dose
	New	All	New	All	New	All	New	All	New	All	
Erongo	0	16192	0	13236	0	3	0	1264	0	10390	41085
Hardap	1	12859	1	5678	0	0	1	596	12	7447	26580
ǀKharas	8	10501	5	4610	0	0	2	401	40	6683	22195
Kavango East	0	11126	0	7462	0	0	0	1687	0	13201	33476
Kavango West	0	6348	0	4792	0	0	0	983	0	11118	23241
Khomas	0	42269	0	29594	0	94	0	4727	0	22308	98992
Kunene	0	11829	0	5463	0	0	0	197	0	8755	26244
Ohangwena	0	15956	0	5301	0	2	0	131	0	6319	27709
Omaheke	0	8368	0	5018	0	0	0	331	0	5699	19416
Omusati	0	13757	0	7254	0	0	0	337	0	5867	27215
Oshana	0	12673	0	4804	0	29	0	301	0	5045	22852
Oshikoto	0	12239	0	3725	0	0	0	111	1	6452	22527
Otjozondjupa	0	12573	0	8553	0	0	0	368	0	11411	32905
Zambezi	0	3658	0	940	0	0	0	76	0	3259	7933
Total	9	190348	6	106430	0	128	3	11510	53	123954	432370

Table 5: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines 2nd dose, 26 February 2022

	Sinopharm		AstraZeneca		Sputnik V		Pfizer		Grand
Region	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	total 2nd dose
Erongo	0	14032	0	11454	0	5	0	756	26247
Hardap	7	10976	5	4381	0	0	3	441	15798
Kharas	10	8584	3	3250	0	0	6	306	12140
Kavango East	0	7902	0	3963	0	0	0	765	12630
Kavango West	0	4895	0	3184	0	0	0	381	8460
Khomas	0	36230	0	24788	0	63	0	3412	64493
Kunene	0	8910	0	4086	0	0	0	123	13119
Ohangwena	0	13209	0	4162	0	0	0	36	17407
Omaheke	0	6097	0	3095	0	0	0	202	9394
Omusati	0	12016	0	5931	0	0	0	303	18250
Oshana	0	11297	0	3886	0	8	0	241	15432
Oshikoto	0	10693	0	3126	0	0	0	67	13886
Otjozondjupa	0	11021	0	6665	0	0	0	324	18010
Zambezi	0	3198	0	751	0	0	0	32	3981
Total	17	159060	8	82722	0	76	9	7389	249247

Table 6: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines 3rd dose, 26 February 2022

	Sinopharm		AstraZeneca		Sputnik V		Pfizer		Grand
Region	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	total 3rd dose
Erongo	0	1417	0	580	0	0	0	2402	4399
Hardap	40	1670	21	363	0	0	8	822	2855
Kharas	19	612	4	154	0	0	1	269	1035
Kavango East	0	443	0	183	0	0	0	219	845
Kavango West	0	328	0	224	0	0	0	178	730
Khomas	0	2189	0	791	0	0	0	4611	7591
Kunene	0	1358	0	320	0	0	0	576	2254
Ohangwena	0	150	0	21	0	0	0	6	177
Omaheke	0	252	0	125	0	0	0	70	447
Omusati	0	675	0	282	0	0	0	335	1292
Oshana	0	933	0	184	0	0	0	488	1605
Oshikoto	3	657	2	142	0	0	0	171	970
Otjozondjupa	0	1269	0	433	0	0	0	761	2463
Zambezi	0	263	0	38	0	0	0	105	406
Total	62	12216	27	3840	0	0	9	11013	27069

Table 7: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines (12-17) Years, 1st dose, 26 February 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	157	0	277	434
Hardap	2	199	4	328	527
Kharas	0	76	0	123	199
Kavango East	0	1020	0	2152	3172
Kavango West	0	1176	0	2354	3530
Khomas	0	218	0	444	662
Kunene	0	160	0	265	425
Ohangwena	0	49	0	52	101
Omaheke	0	53	0	110	163
Omusati	0	84	0	62	146
Oshana	0	48	0	104	152
Oshikoto	0	18	0	41	59
Otjozondjupa	0	118	0	171	289
Zambezi	0	4	0	3	7
Total	2	3380	4	6486	9866

Table 8: Summary of administered COVID-19 vaccines (12-17) Years, 2nd dose, 25.02.2022

PFIZER FOR CHILDREN 2 nd DOSE (12-17) Years					
Region	New (12-13 yrs)	All 2 nd dose (12-13 yrs)	New (14-17 yrs)	All 2 nd Dose (14-17 yrs)	GRAND TOTAL 2 nd DOSE (12-17) Years
Erongo	0	64	0	178	242
Hardap	0	105	8	130	235
Kharas	0	18	0	28	46
Kavango East	0	153	0	381	534
Kavango West	0	195	0	248	443
Khomas	0	137	0	331	468
Kunene	0	66	0	12	78
Ohangwena	0	0	0	0	0
Omaheke	0	20	0	71	91
Omusati	0	6	0	13	19
Oshana	0	22	0	43	65
Oshikoto	0	7	0	17	24
Otjozondjupa	0	39	0	93	132
Zambezi	0	3	0	2	5
Total	0	835	8	1547	2382

9. *Table 9: Summary of the national update, 26 February 2022*

Cumulative newly confirmed individuals	157 210
Newly confirmed individuals	17
New reinfections	1
Cumulative cases including reinfections	159 288
Recoveries	152 694
Recovery rate	97.1%
Active cases	2 572
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine 1 st dose	442 236
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine 2 nd dose	251 629
Cumulative COVID-19 vaccine completed	375 583
COVID-19 Deaths	3 679
COVID-19 Related Deaths	328
Total Deaths	4 007
Total samples tested	954 691
Active contacts	691
Cumulative number of people quarantined	88 709
Number of quarantined people discharged	88 115
Number of people in quarantines	594

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