



# COVID-19 SITUATION UPDATE

WITH PANDEMIC INFORMATION DIRECTOR

Thursday, 20 August | 2 PM Sydney | 12 PM Singapore



# AGENDA

- COVID-19 situation update
  - The disease
  - Public health actions
  - Infodemic and what's next
- Panel
  - Case studies
  - Tools
- Q&A

# SPEAKERS



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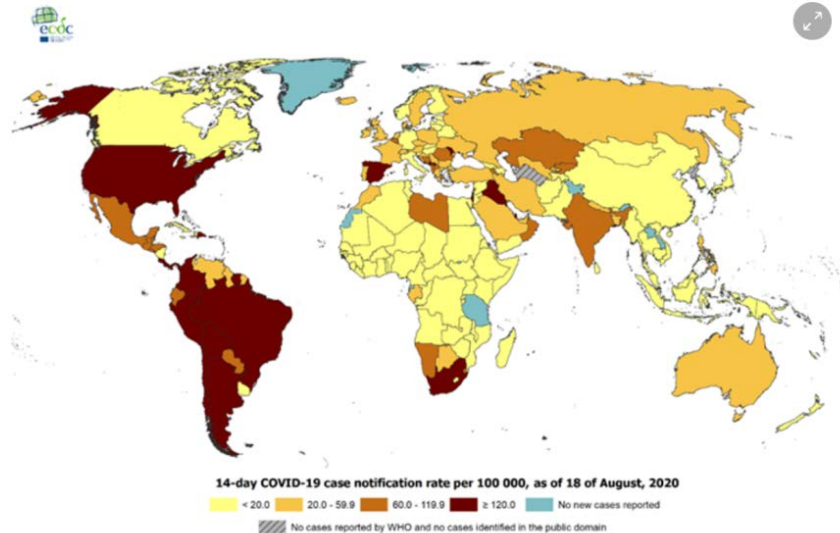


# MEDICAL UPDATE

WITH OUR PANDEMIC INFORMATION DIRECTOR

# DATA AND MORE DATA

Geographic distribution of 14-day cumulative number of reported COVID-19 cases per 100 000 population, worldwide, as of 18 August 2020

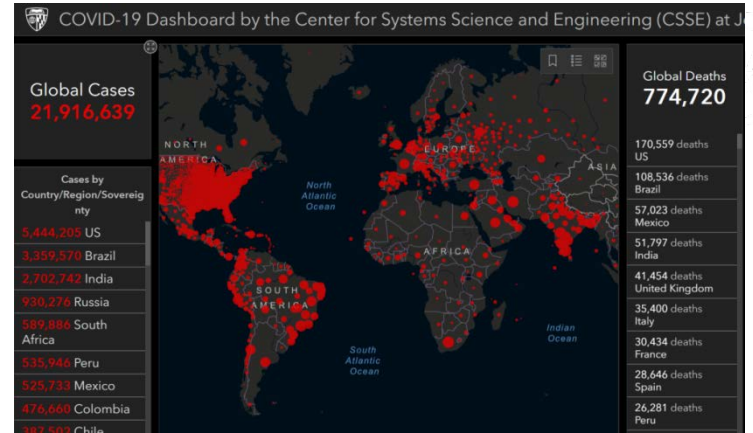


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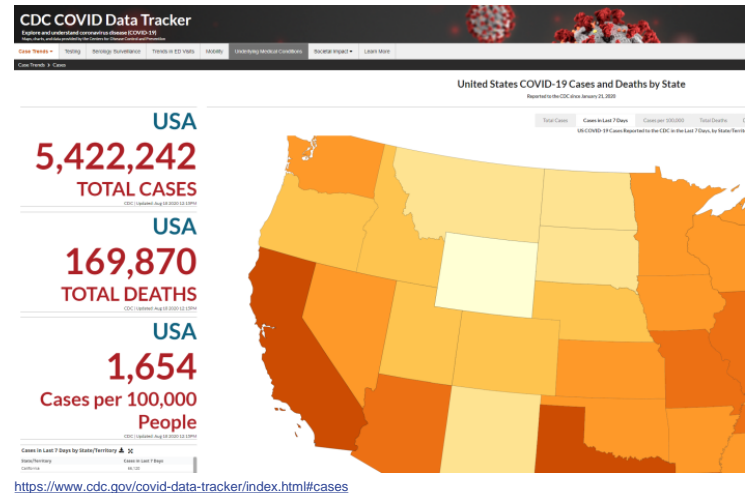
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<https://www.ecdc.europa.eu/en/geographical-distribution-2019-ncov-cases>



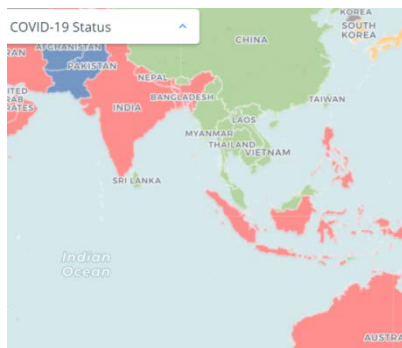
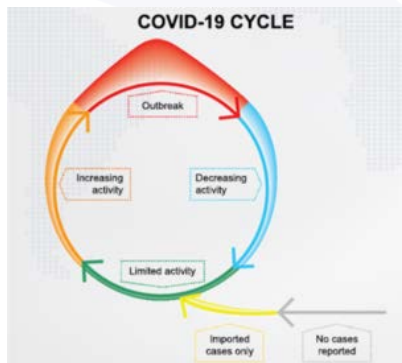
<https://gisanddata.maps.arcgis.com/apps/opsdashboard/index.html#/bda7594740fd40299423467b48e9ecf6>





# COVID-19 TRANSMISSION

Where are we now in Asia Pacific?



in Data/ECDC/Blavatnik School of Government

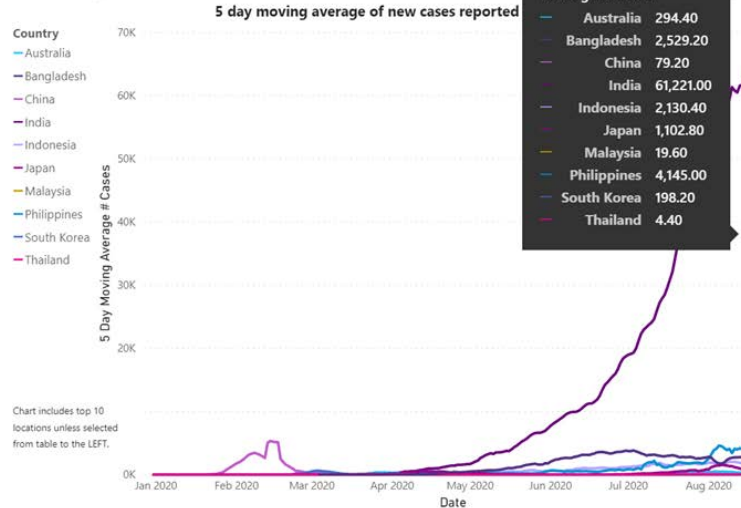
Data available to:	12/31/2019	8/18/2020	Selected Location	Total cases	Deaths
18 August 2020			Multiple/Global	3,488,785	71,167

Data represented here is obtained from a publicly available online repository published by OurWorldinData and ECDC analysis by International SOS is offered on the basis of a good.

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Click a **country** in the table below to filter the graphs to show only that location. **CTRL**-click to include multiple **countries**. Column headings can be clicked to sort data.

Country	Population	Total cases	Total cases per million
Equatorial Guinea	1,402,985	4,821	3,436.25
Eritrea	3,546,427	285	80.37
Estonia	1,326,539	2,192	1,652.43
Ethiopia	114,963,588	31,336	272.57
Faeroe Islands	48,865	373	7,633.28
Falkland Islands	3,483	13	3,722.42
<b>Fiji</b>	<b>896,444</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>31.24</b>
Finland	5,540,718	7,752	1,399.09
France	65,273,512	219,029	3,355.56
French Polynesia	280,904	211	751.15
Gabon	2,225,728	8,270	3,715.64
Gambia	2,416,664	1,872	774.63
Georgia	3,889,175	1,351	338.65
Germany	83,783,945	224,014	2,673.71
Ghana	31,072,945	42,653	1,372.68
Gibraltar	33,691	217	6,440.90
Greece	10,423,056	7,222	692.89
Greenland	56,772	14	246.60
Grenada	112,519	24	213.30
Guam	168,783	577	3,418.60
Guatemala	17,915,567	62,944	3,513.37
Guernsey	67,052	252	3,758.28
Guinea	13,132,792	8,620	656.37
Guinea-Bissau	1,967,998	2,117	1,075.72
Guyana	786,559	708	901.39
Haiti	11,402,533	7,897	692.57
Honduras	9,904,608	50,995	5,148.61



Information from International SOS Medical Information and Analysis Team

# THE DISEASE

Is there any good news?

- Transmission
- Symptoms, complications growing list
- Recovery
- Immunity?
- Treatments
- Vaccine

# PUBLIC HEALTH ACTIONS

Affects spread, inter-dependent

- Isolation, Quarantine, Contact Tracing, Testing
- Restrictions on
  - Gatherings
  - Movements
  - Businesses
- Masks
- Hygiene



# INFODEMIC

so many sources

- Monitor, analyse, interpret
- Dynamic
- Conflicting
- Misinformation


Viruses cannot travel on radio waves/mobile networks.

COVID-19 is spreading in many countries that do not have 5G mobile networks.

COVID-19 is spread through respiratory droplets when an infected person coughs, sneezes or speaks.

People can also be infected by touching a contaminated surface and then their eyes, mouth or nose.

**FACT:** 5G mobile networks DO NOT spread COVID-19

A diagram illustrating the fact that 5G mobile networks do not spread COVID-19. It shows a 5G signal tower icon with the text "5G" inside a circle. A red "X" is drawn over an arrow pointing from the tower towards several yellow virus particle icons, indicating that the virus is not transmitted via 5G signals.

World Health Organization #Coronavirus #COVID19

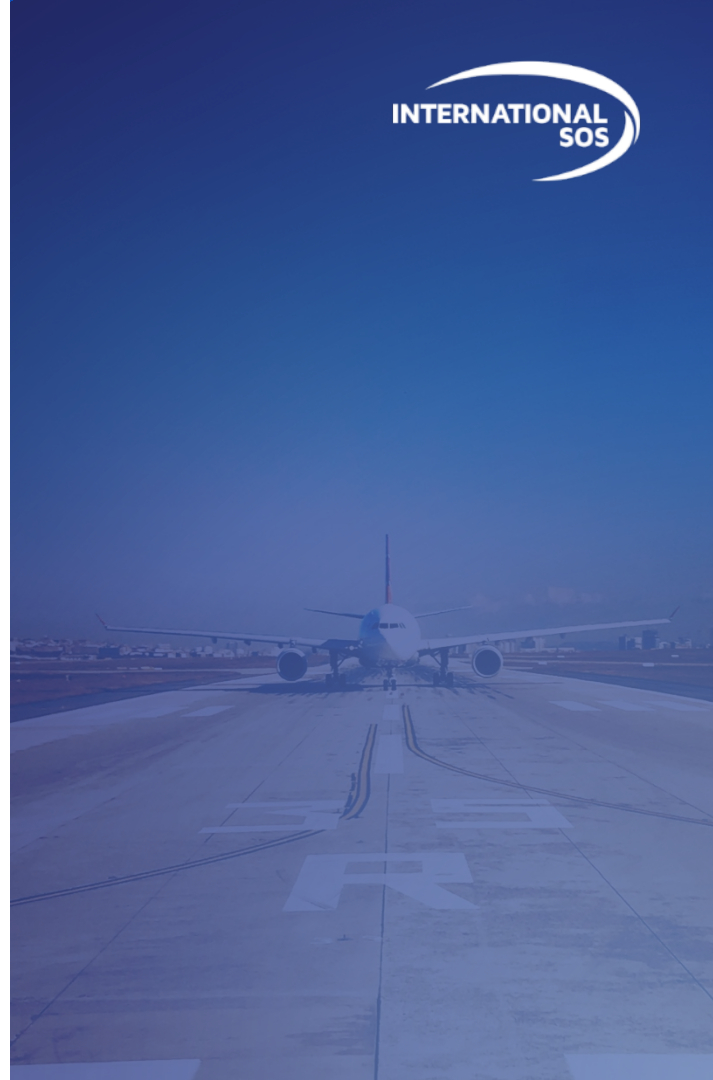
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# WHAT NEXT?

Ongoing risk of outbreaks

- Individual risk assessments
- Keep monitoring, adapting your plan
- Sustainable resourcing
- Health and well being of the individual and the community



# COVID-19 RESILIENCE



General Health

Managing Mobility

Mental Health

Government  
Regulations

Health Safety Integration  
Work Safety

Company Crisis  
Committee

Medical SME  
Access

BCP Flexible and Responsive to second and future waves



# PANEL: MANAGING COVID

CASE STUDIES, ADVICE, TOOLS

