



Lebanon National Operations Room Daily Report on COVID-19

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Report #166

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17,308
Total registered cases since Feb.21

1,364 **15,944**
Leb Expats Locals

438
New Cases

3 **435**
Leb Expats Locals

513,000
Conducted PCR tests in labs since Feb.21

4,052
PCR tests conducted tests for locals in the last 24 hrs (in labs)

1,394
PCR tests conducted tests in airport in the past 24 hrs

167
Deaths

7
New Deaths

4,811
Recoveries

624
Cases registered among medical staff

4
Cases registered among medical staff in the past 24 hrs

12,330
(Active Cases)

11,984
In home Isolation

27
Mild Cases in the Past 24 hrs

3
In ICU in the past 24 hrs

346
Currently hospitalized

250
Cumulative Mild Cases

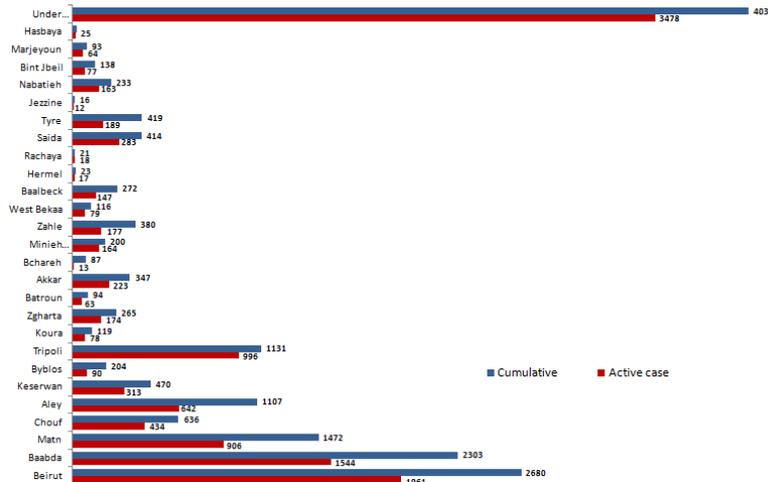
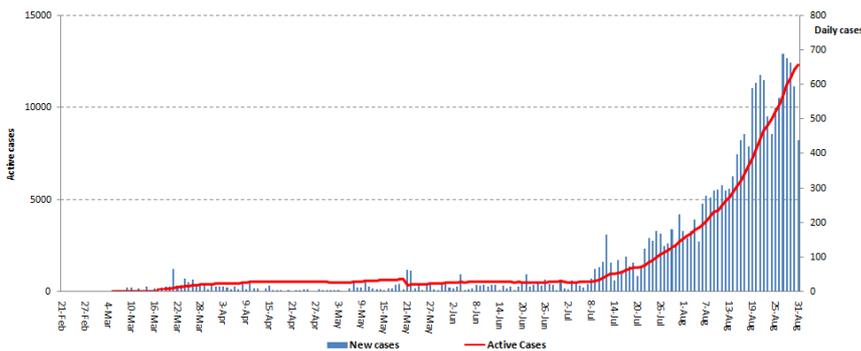
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Cumulative In ICU

	Lebanon	Internationally
Total registered cases	17,308	25,458,160
Total deaths	167	851,693
Percentage of deaths	0.96%	3.34%
Number of recoveries	4,811	17,763,448

*The Above data was last updated at 10:00 PM

Number of Cases by Location

- 4035 case is Under investigation



Active case / Caza

- 0
- 1 - 10
- 11 - 100
- 100 - 200
- > 200

0 12.5 25 50 Km

Beirut	Cases
Ras Beyrouth	2
Manara	1
Raoucheh	1
Hamra	6
Msaitbeh	5
Mar Elias	3
Zarif	1
Mazraa	3
Basta Faouqa	2
Tariq Jdideh	8
Ras Nabaa	2
Achrafiyeh	8
Others	3
Baabda	Cases
Ain Roummaneh	3
Baabda	1
Bir Hassan	1
Borj Brajneeh	8
Bsaba	2
Chiyah	2
Hadath	8
Haret Hreik	5
Hazmiyeh	1
Jamhour Louaizeh	1
Jnah	1
Madineh Riyadiyeh	1
Mreijeh	1
Ouzaaï	2
Others	3
Chouf	Cases
Aammatour	1
Baaqline	1
Barja	1
Chhim	4
Damour	1
Deir Qamar	3
Hasrout	1
Ketermaya	1
Mazboud	1
Naameh	1
Others	1
Zagharta	Cases
Ehden	1
Mejdlaiya	2
Other	1
Zgharta	1

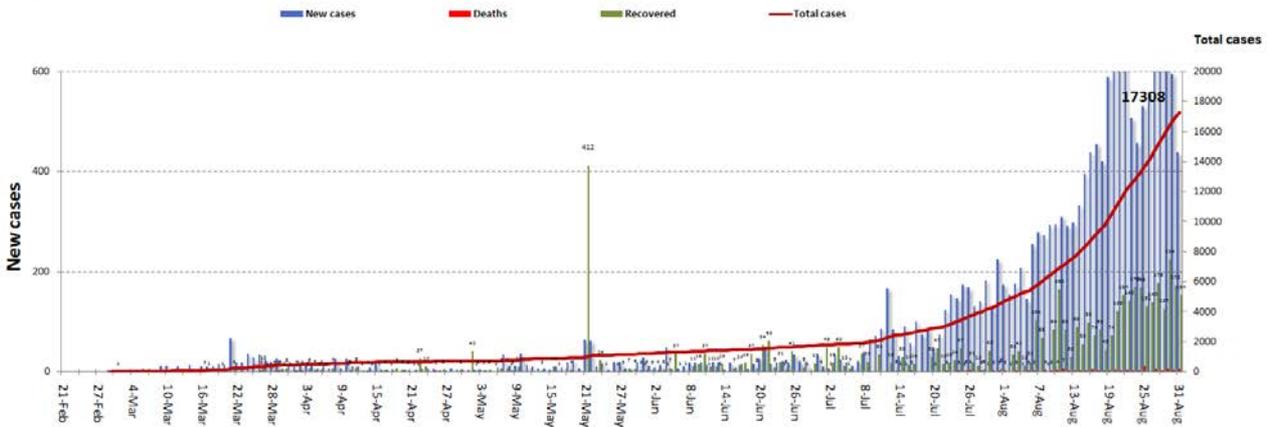
Matn	Cases
Baouchriyeh	1
Beit Chaar	9
Bikfaya	1
Borj Hammoud	4
Daoura	1
Dbayeh	4
Dekouaneh	3
Dik Mehdi	1
Jall Dib	1
Jouaniyeh	1
Mansouriyeh	4
Mazraat Yachouaa	2
Nabaa	1
Other	1
Raouda Baouchriyeh	3
Roumieh	1
Sinn Fil	1
Zalqa	1
Others	0
Aleyh	Cases
Aaramoun	3
Bchamoun	8
Choueifat Oumara	2
Aamroussiyyeh	5
Hay Sellom	3
Khaldeh	3
Other	1
Souq Gharb	1
Others	
Kesrwen	Cases
Aajaltoun	1
Aaqaybeh	1
Adonis	4
Bouar	1
Hrajel	1
Jounieh Kaslik	1
Jounieh Sarba	1
Other	4
Zouk Mkayel	4
Jbeil	Cases
Aamchit	2
Adonis	1
Michmich	1
Other	2

Tripoli	Cases
Beddaoui	7
Mina Jardins	3
Mina N:1	1
Other	18
Bab Raml	3
Trablous Qoubbeh	4
Tabbaneh	6
Trablous Tall	1
Minieh Danieh	Cases
Bakhaaoun	1
Kfar Bebnine	1
Minieh	4
Others	2
Akkar	Cases
Fnaydeq	2
Other	1
Ouadi Khaled	1
Rihaniyeh	1
Zahleh	Cases
Barr Elias	2
Majdel Aanjar	3
Qabb Elias	1
Taalabaya	1
Others	
Saida	Cases
Aarab Tabbaya	1
Ain Heloueh	1
Darb Sim	1
Miyeh Ou Miyeh	1
Other	7
Saksakiyeh	1
Sarafand	1
Others	
Sour	Cases
Aaytit	2
Chehabiyeh Tayr	3
Sour Rachidiyeh	2
Others	0
Jezzine	Cases
Kfar Jarra	5
Others	
Beqaa Gharby	Cases
Yohmor	1
Others	

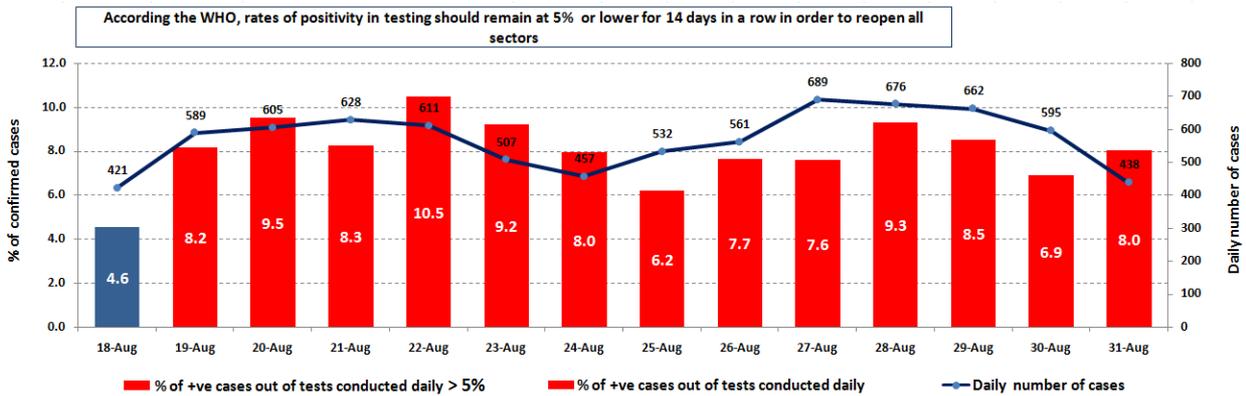
Batroun	Cases
Chikka	1
Other	1
Nabateih	Cases
Deir Zahrani	1
Habbouch	2
Houmine Tahta	1
Jbaa	1
Jibchit	1
Kfar Jaouz	1
Other	1
Zefta	1
Bint Jbeil	Cases
Tibnine	2
Tiri	3
Yater	1
Others	
Marjeoun	Cases
Kfar Kila	1
Majdel Selm	2
Others	0
Baalbeck	Cases
Younine	1
Others	0

Unspecified	145
Total	438

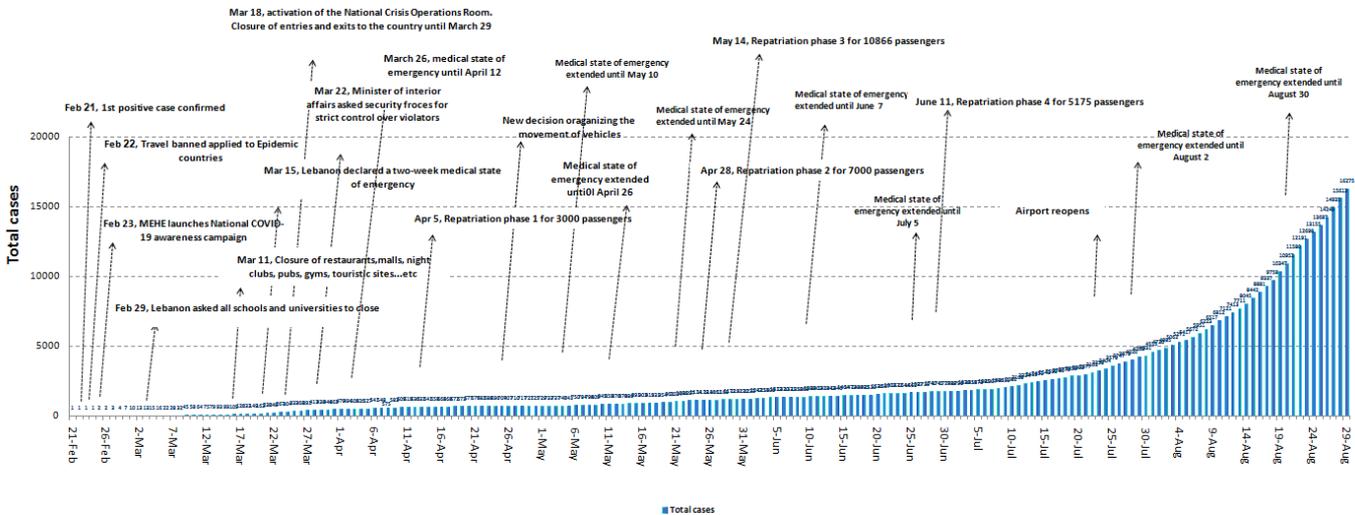
Cases per day



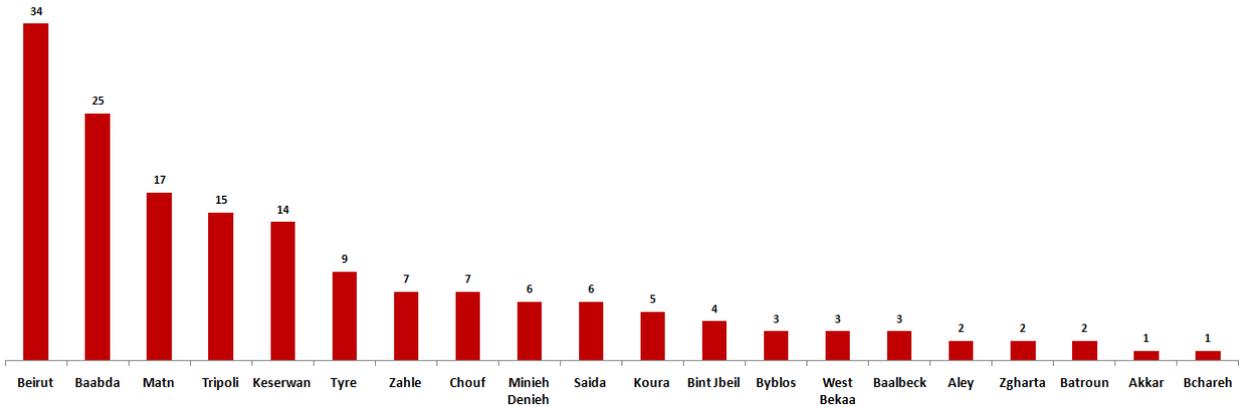
The percentage of positive cases out of the number of daily checks (18 to 31 August 2020)



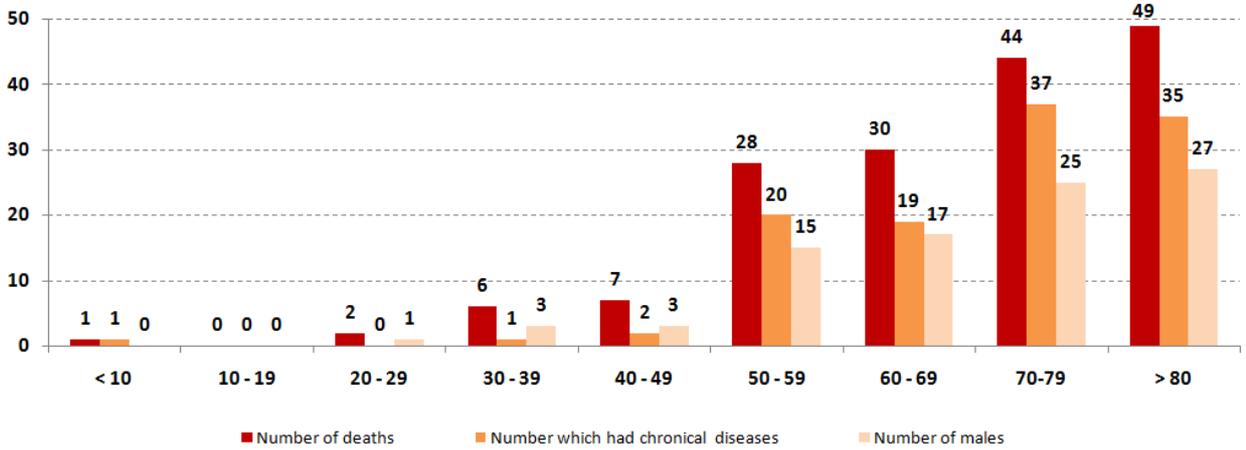
Chronology of decisions according to number of cases



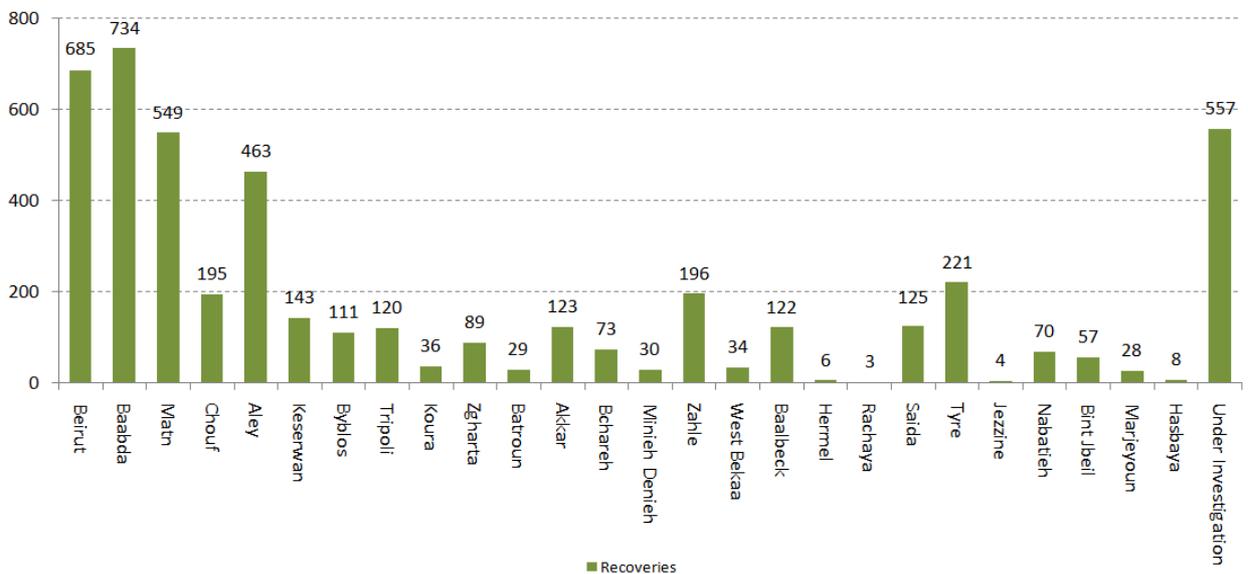
Distribution of deaths by Governorates



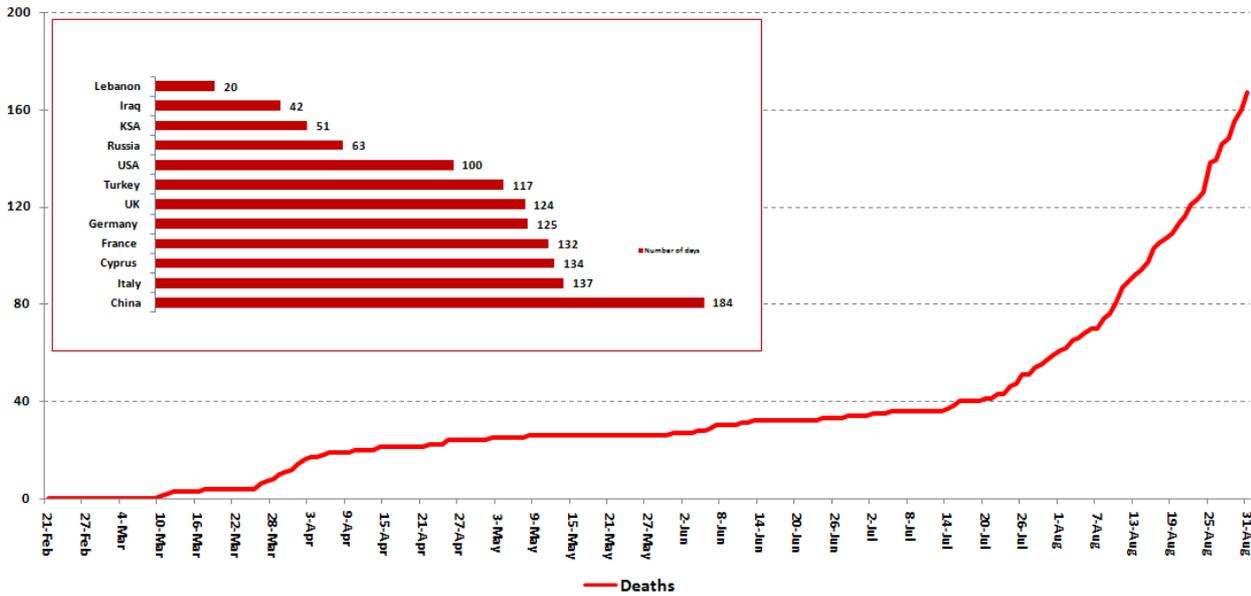
Distribution of deaths by Age



Distribution of recoveries by Districts



Comparison of the rate of doubling of the number of deaths in Lebanon with other countries (death doubling rate)

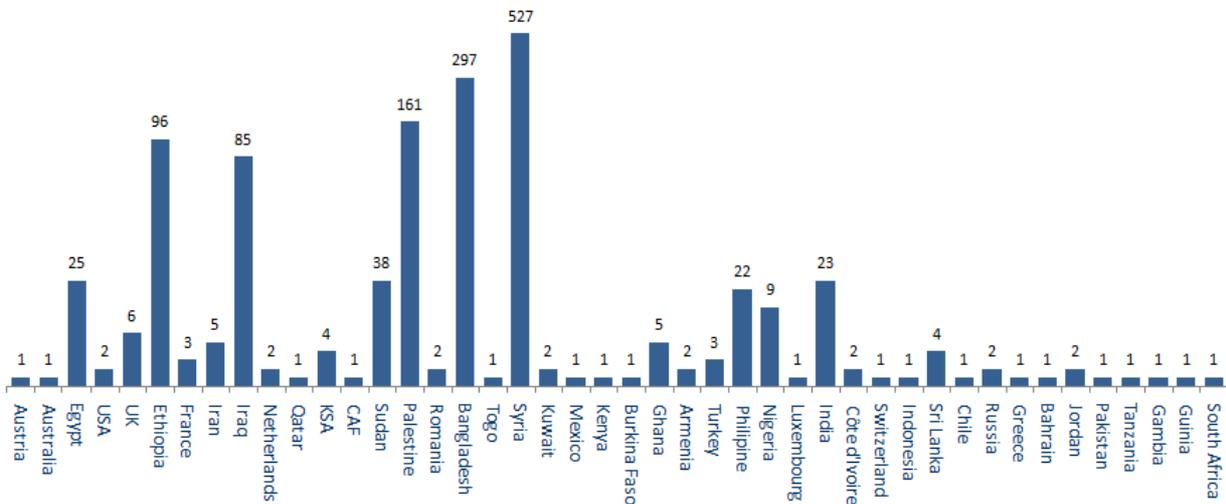


The distribution of the recorded deaths during the past 24 hours

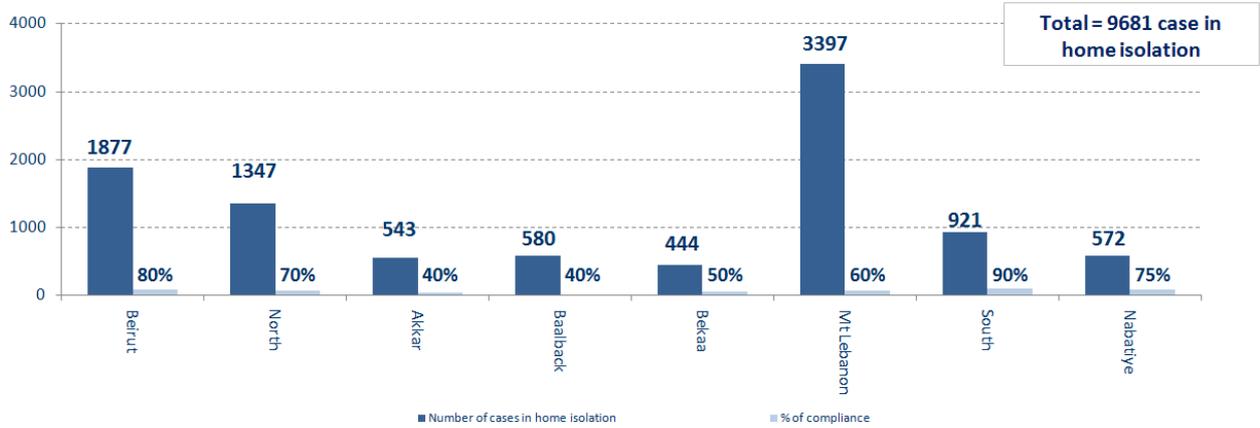
Hospital	Residence	Gender	Age	Chronic Disease
Hariri Gov.	Baabda	Male	68	Yes
Hariri Gov.	Baabda	Male	86	Yes
Hariri Gov.	Baabda	Male	46	Yes
Saida Gov.	Saida	Female	72	Yes
Hamchari	Saida	Female	80	Yes
Tripoli Gov.	Minieh Denieh	Male	55	Yes
Home	Minieh Denieh	Female	95	Yes

Distribution of cases by nationality

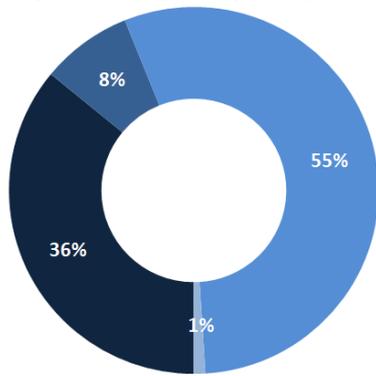
Lebanese : 15660 cases out of 17308(88%)



Number of individuals in home isolation and percentage of commitment to isolation

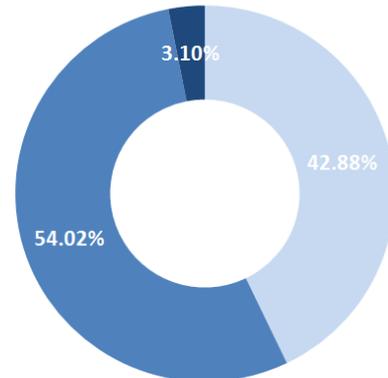


Exposure



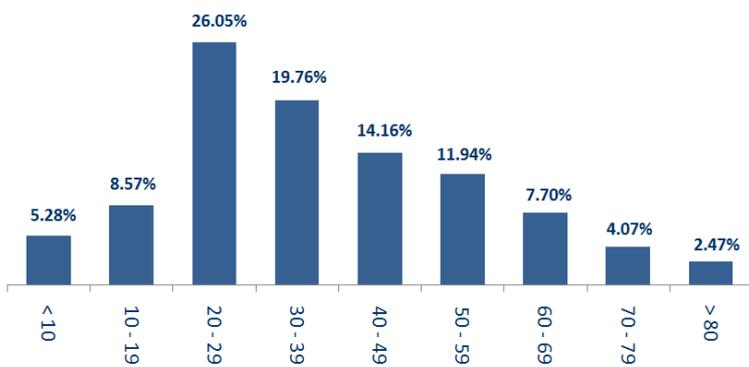
■ Contact with confirmed case ■ Travel related ■ Under investigation ■ Unidentified source

Status of Cases

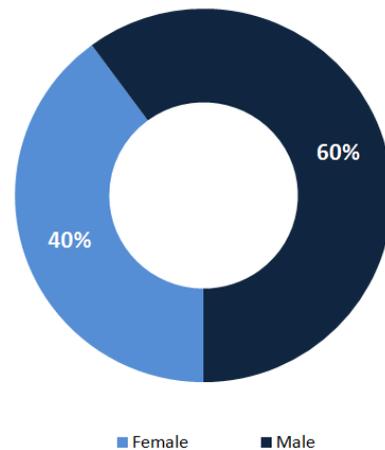


■ Asymptomatic ■ Mild/Moderate ■ Severe/Critical

Distribution by age



Distribution according to gender



■ Female ■ Male

Decisions and actions taken – 31/8/2020

General Directorate of State Security

- Investigating and following up on suspected and positive cases and cases in home quarantine for residents and expatriates.
- Sending warnings and closing a number of violating commercial stores in the various regions.

Beirut	South	North	Akkar	Beqaa	Nabateih	Baalbek Hermel	Mount Leb
85%	71%	72%	48%	50%	0%	90%	53%

Army

- The army carried out patrols in different Lebanese region
- Distributing food aid in various Lebanese regions through the CIMIC Office
- Establishing circumstantial barriers in various regions and supporting the security forces in measures to isolate the towns

General Directorate of Internal Security Forces

- Internal Security Forces circulated the preventive measures that must be followed when traveling by cars and using shared transportation and public cars.
- Writing arrest records against violators of the general closure decision

The number of seizure records during the past 24 hours					The total number of records that have been organized against violators of the general mobilization decisions since 3/8/2020		
Written records of violating institutions (absorptive capacity and preventive measures)					0		
Written records of persons violating the decision to wear a mask					0	Beirut	20,520
Written records of people violating the general mobilization decision (Aragil* and social distancing)					95	Mount Leb	17,612
Total					95	Beqaa	7,803
						North	6,771
Beirut	Mount Leb	Beqaa	North	South	South	6,578	
22	71	2	0	0	Total	59,362	

- ISF will be isolating the following areas for the next week:

Governorate/District	Location
Baabda District	Supporting the municipality of Majdalbana in isolating the town
Chouf District	Supporting the municipality of Daraya in isolating the town

General Directorate of Public Security

- Implementing the required security and preventive measures at the airport, seaports and border crossings.
- Investigating and following up on suspected and positive cases and cases in home quarantine for residents and expatriates in the various Lebanese regions.
- Reporting new casualties among the elements of the internal security forces, internal security and the army.

Ministry of Public Health

The Ministry of Public Health announced a contribution secured from the budget reserve of fifteen (15) billion Lebanese pounds that will be distributed to support ten government hospitals in various Lebanese regions with the aim of developing and supporting them in containing the Corona pandemic.

During the weekly scientific committee meeting, the Ministry announced a set of challenges that impede an effective response to curb the spread of the virus, the most important of which is the failure of a number of citizens and institutions to abide by the instructions issued by the Ministry of Public Health, media campaigns that negatively affect public opinion and the reluctance of some hospitals to receive infected cases. In addition to other challenges, the spread of the epidemic in sensitive places, such as the elderly home or among foreign workers of different nationalities, and the registration of two deaths at an early age.

The Ministry issued the results of additional examinations for the upcoming trips on 27, 28, 29 and 30 August 2020, where 13 new positive cases were recorded and distributed as follows:

Arriving from	Company	Flight Number	Number of Positive Cases
27/08/2020			
Istanbul	Turkish Airlines	826	2
Al Basra	MEA	333	1
Cairo	EgyptAir	711	1
28/08/2020			
Istanbul	Turkish Airlines	826	4
Paris	MEA	212	1
29/08/2020			
Adis Abab	Ethopian Airways	406	1
Yarfan	MEA	276	1
Istanbul	Turkish Airlines	826	1
30/08/2020			
Damascus	RB	181	1
			13

Ministry of Public Works and Transportation

Departing Flights		Arriving Flights	
Number of Flights	39	Number of Flights	41
Number of Departing Individuals	3,934	Number of Arrivals	2,174

Lebanese Red Cross

43,127 (299 New)	Number of PCR tests transferred to laboratories	0	Number of additional ambulance centers ready to respond	48	ambulance centers	4194 (35 New)	cases transferred to hospitals
166	Number of volunteers trained to transfer PCR tests	1444	Number of trained paramedics	8534	total number of respondents	67555 (14 New)	number of those benefiting from awareness *sessions
967	The number of university volunteers trained to follow up on prevention measures in companies and institutions	217	Number of university volunteers trained to conduct awareness sessions	550	total LRC volunteers for covid19	8345	number of trained managers for isolation centers
4107	Number of beneficiaries from educational electronic platforms COVID-19	77,202 (200 New)	Number of distributed equipment	1221777	total distributed posters, brochures, and flyers on covid19 prevention	434	number of prisons that have been disinfected

Ministry of Foreign Affairs

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Expatriates is in constant contact with the Lebanese diplomatic missions abroad to find out the latest developments regarding the spread of the Corona pandemic and to follow up on the situation of the Lebanese expatriates.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Expatriates continues to coordinate with the National Committee for Follow-up of Preventive Measures and Measures to Confront the Coronavirus and with the Ministry of Public Health and other ministries and departments concerned with the implementation of the approved procedures and measures, and the Ministry also communicates with all foreign embassies and regional and international organizations in this regard.

General announcements

- The Ministry of Interior and Municipalities issued Decision No. 1032 of 8/27/2020 regarding the amendment of the opening and closing times of industrial and commercial establishments within the general mobilization procedures and the suspension of the implementation of Resolution 1003 related to the maximum closure, starting on Friday morning 28/8/2020. The decision included defining the preventive plan that must be approved by all sectors within a preparatory stage and three time stages related to the assessment of the epidemiological health situation and taking into account the economic and social situation, and its application shall start from the date of the opening of industrial and commercial enterprises. The decision also included amending the time for entry and exit from the streets to become from ten in the evening until six in the morning.
- On 26/8/2020, the Supreme Defense Council issued a decision to extend the general mobilization to the end of the year 2020 to confront the outbreak of the Corona pandemic.

Note: The decisions can be found at www.drm.pcm.gov.lb

Examples of lack of adherence to safety measures

- The tourist officer at the Ministry of Tourism wrote a report of seizure against the Ballroom Foundation and Nightclub, which are located in the Jounieh Haret Sakher area, the Analogue Club in Ashrafieh, the MOOD Club in Broumana and the Mr. Dollar in Zouk, due to the violation of General Mobilization Resolution No. 1032/2020, failure to comply with preventive measures, and the permitted number of customers, which were sealed with red wax.
- Demand gatherings and demonstrations.
- Failure to comply with the preventive measures and procedures required in a number of stores and markets (putting on a muzzle or face mask, sterilizing hands, maintaining a safe distance).
- Gatherings for social events.
- Failure of those in contact with confirmed cases to adhere to home isolation procedures until the results of the laboratory tests are issued.

If you feel any symptoms, call directly the hotline of the Ministry of Public Health: 1214 or 01/594459

A list of the laboratories accredited by the MoPH to conduct PCR tests

Public Hospitals			
Hospital Name	Location	Hospital Name	Location
Rafic Hariri University Hospital	Beirut	Bint Jbeil Governmental Hospital	Bint Jbeil
Tripoli Governmental Hospital	Tripoli	President Elias Hrawi Governmental Hospital	Zahle
Fattouh Keserwan Governmental Hospital	Kesrwen	Batroun Governmental Hospital	Batroun
Baalbek Governmental Hospital	Baalbek	Halba Governmental Hospital	Halba
Tibnin Governmental Hospital	Tibnine		
Private Hospitals			
Hospital/Lab Name	Location	Hospital/Lab Name	Location
AUBMC	Beirut	MLH	Baabda
Saint George Hospital	Beirut	Saint Georges Hospital	Baabda
Hôpital Notre Dame des Secours (CHU – NDS)	Jbeil	Ain w Zein Hospital	Chouf
HDF/Merieux/USJ	Beirut	Hamoud Hospital	Sidon
Makkassed General Hospitals	Beirut	Dar el Amal Hospital	Baalbek
LAUMC	Beirut	Sheikh Ragheb Harebb Hospital	Nabatieh
Wardieh Hospital	Beirut	Al Hadi Laboratory	Baabda
Al Mathlum Hospital	Tipoli	Akiki Laboratory	Byblos
Al Mounla Hospital	Tripoli	MDC	Tyr
Haykal Hospital	Koura	Jabal Amel Hospital	Tyr
Serhal Hospital	Metn	Doctor's Center	Beirut
HLG	Beirut	KML	Sidon
SDC	Nabteih	ADC*American Diagnostic Center	Beirut
INOVIE Laboratory	Baabda	Khoury Hospital	Zahle
TRANSMEDICAL Laboratory	Metn	Sacre Coeur	Hazmieh
MCC	Zahle	BELLEVUE Hospital	Mansourieh
CHN	Zaghrta	LMSE	Tripoli
Clinigen Laboratory	Hazmieh	Al Rasoul Al Aazam Hospital	Beirut
Centre Medical Moderne	Ghbraye	Nabni Hospital	Tripoli
MDTC	Hamra		

Note: Some positive test results are sent from the highlighted laboratories to the Ministry of Public Health, that does not include a phone number to track cases, which contributes to the spread of the epidemic and unknown cases