



Lebanon National Operations Room Daily Report on COVID-19

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9337
Total registered cases
since Feb.21

1233 **8104**
Leb Expats Locals

456
New Cases

20 **436**
Leb Expats Locals

415,184
Conducted PCR tests in
labs since Feb.21

4280
PCR tests conducted
tests for locals in the last
24 hrs (in labs)

1366
PCR tests conducted
tests in airport in the
past 24 hrs

105
Deaths

2809
Recoveries

418
Cases registered among
medical staff

11
Cases registered among
medical staff in the past
24 hrs

6054
(Active Cases)

6168
In home Isolation

0
Mild Cases in the
Past 24 hrs

0
In ICU in the past 24
hrs

255
Currently hospitalized

189
Cumulative Mild Cases

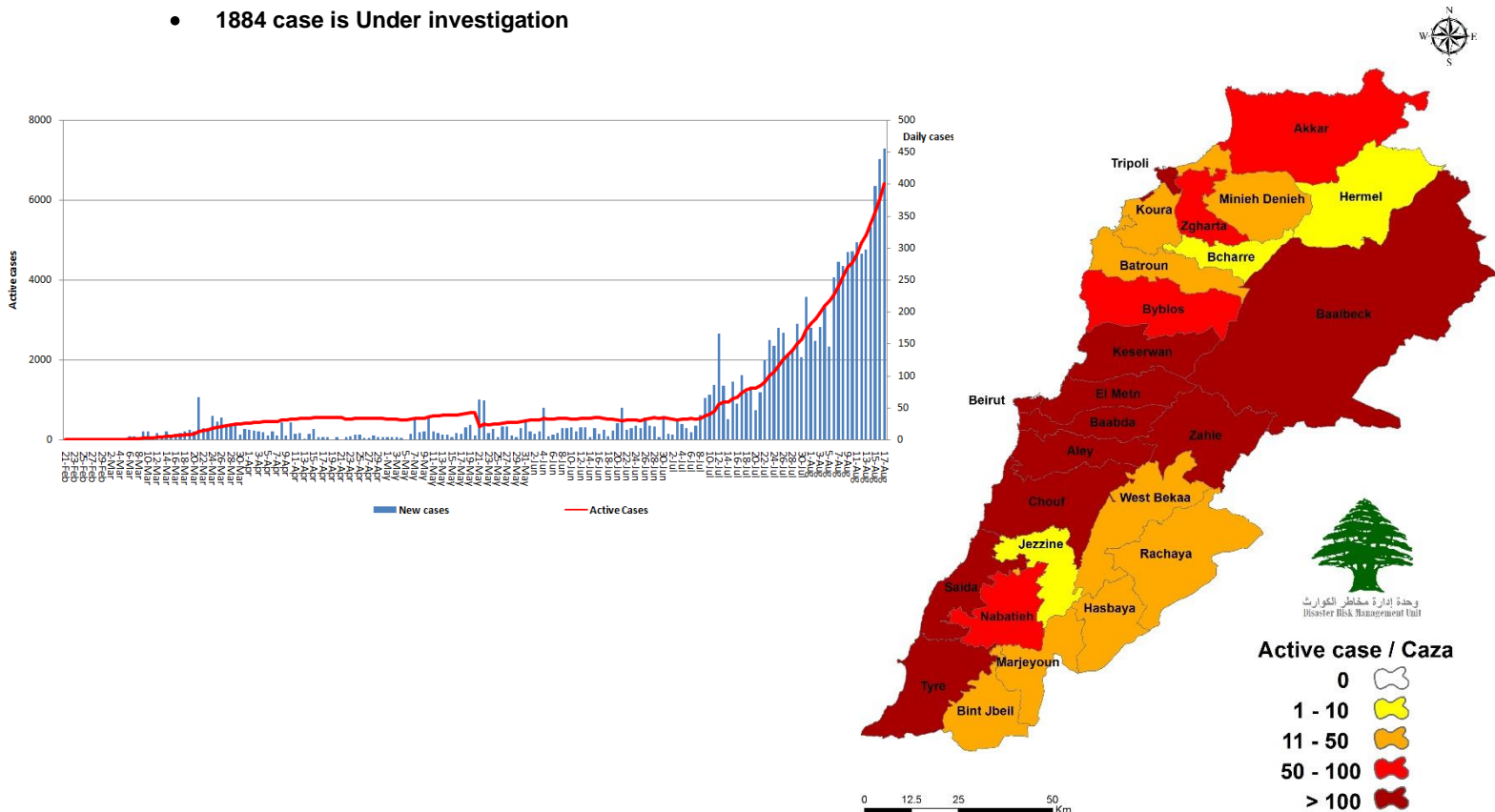
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Cumulative In ICU

	Lebanon	Internationally
Total registered cases	9337	21,918,070
Total deaths	105	774,807
Percentage of deaths	1.12%	3.53%
Number of recoveries	2809	14,639,955

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

Number of Cases by Location

- 1884 case is Under investigation



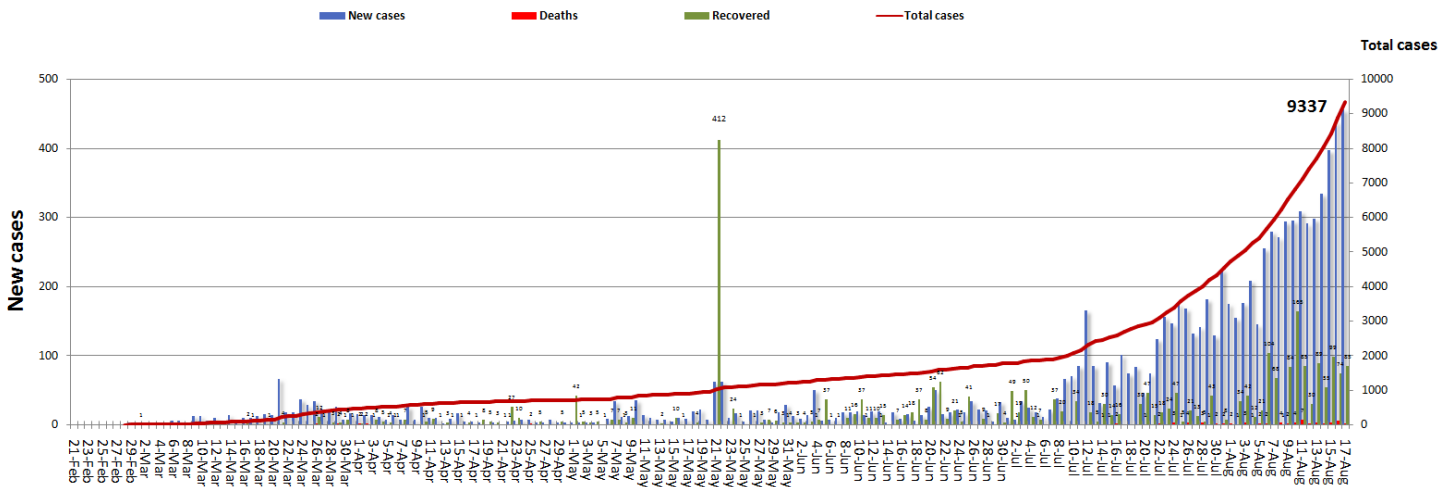
The daily distribution of positive cases according to districts and towns

Beirut	Number of Cases
Ain Mraisseh	3
Ras Beyrouth	4
Manara	1
Qreitem	1
Raoucheh	3
Hamra	13
Msaitbeh	4
Tallet Khayat	4
Tallet Drouz	1
Sanayeh	1
Zarif	4
Mazraa	10
Borj Abou Haidar	3
Basta Faouqa	2
Tariq Jdideh	13
Ras Nabaa	5
Basta Tahta	1
Achrafiyeh	7
Under Investigation	6
Baabda	Number of Cases
Ain Roummaneh Chiyah	1
Baabda	1
Bir Hassan	1
Borj Brajneeh	11
Chiyah	4
Hadath	6
Haret Hreik	9
Haret Sitt	1
Hazmiyeh	1
Jnah	1
Kfar Chima	1
Laylakeh	1
Madineh Riyadiyeh	1
Mreijeh	1
Under Investigation	1
Ouadi Chahrour	1
Aaoulia	
Ouzaai	2
Tahouitat Ghadir	1
Chouf	Number of Cases
Barja	1
Chhim	4
Daraiya	1
Jadra	1
Jiyeh	1
Naameh	2
Ouadi Zayni	1
Aleyh	Number of Cases
Aaley	3
Aaramoun	4
Bchamoun	1
Bhamdoun Dayaa	1
Choueifat	5
Aamroussiyyeh	
Ghadir Choueifat	1
Hay Sellom	5
Khaldeh	4
Rouayssat Saoufar	1

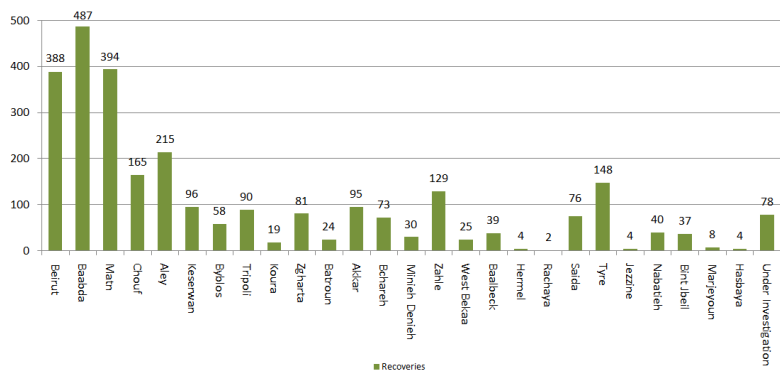
Matn	Number of Cases
Ain Saadeh	1
Aintoura	1
Baouchriyeh	3
Beit Chaar	1
Beit Meri	1
Borj Hammoud	1
Broummana	1
Dekouaneh	3
Dik Mehdi	3
Fanar	2
Jall Dib	1
Jdaidet Matn	1
Jisr Bacha	1
Naqqach	1
Raouda Baouchriyeh	1
Ras Nabaa Antelias	1
Sabtiyeh	1
Kesrwan	Number of Cases
Adma Oua Dafneh	1
Ain Delbeh	1
Bouar	2
Ghosta	1
Jounieh Sarba	1
Mayrouba	1
Zouk Mosbeh	3
Jbeil	Number of Cases
Behdaydat	1
Tripoli	Number of Cases
Beddaoui	3
Mina Jardins	8
Mina N:1	2
Under Investigation	13
Trablous Qoubbeh	2
Trablous Tabbaneh	11
Trablous Tall	1
Koura	Number of Cases
Nakhleh	1
Ras Masqa	1
Zgharta	Number of Cases
Aalma	2
Asnoun	1
Ehden	1
Haret Jdideh Majdlaya	1
Saida	Number of Cases
Aanqoun	2
Bramiyeh	2
Sarafand	1
Under Investigation	2
Nabatieh	Number of Cases
Deir Zahrani	1
Insar	1
Nabatiyeh Faouqa	1
Yohmor	1
Other	1
Bnt Jbeil	Number of Cases
Kafra	1

Batroun	
Chikka	1
Batroun	2
Minieh Danieh	
Minieh	3
Mrah Srayj	1
Akkar	
Akroum	1
Fnaydeq	2
Zahleh	
Majdel Aanjar	1
Beqaa Gharby	
Machghara	1
Qelaya	3
Sour	
Borj Chemali	4
Borj Rahhal	3
Sour Rachidiyeh	2
Under Investigation	1
Hasbaya	
Hasbaiya	1
Kfar Chouba	1
Baalbeck	
Brital	1
Ras Ain	1

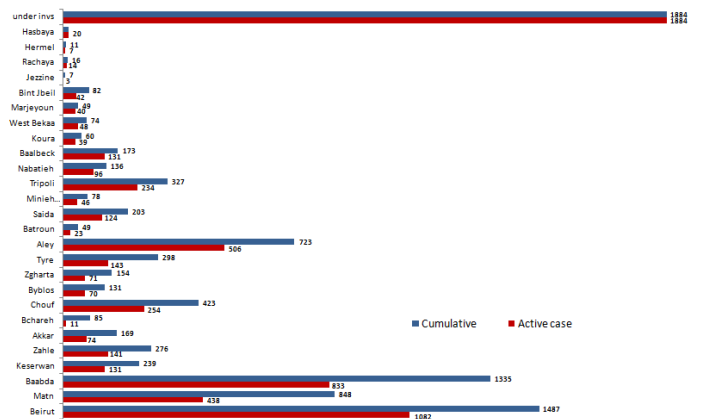
Cases per day



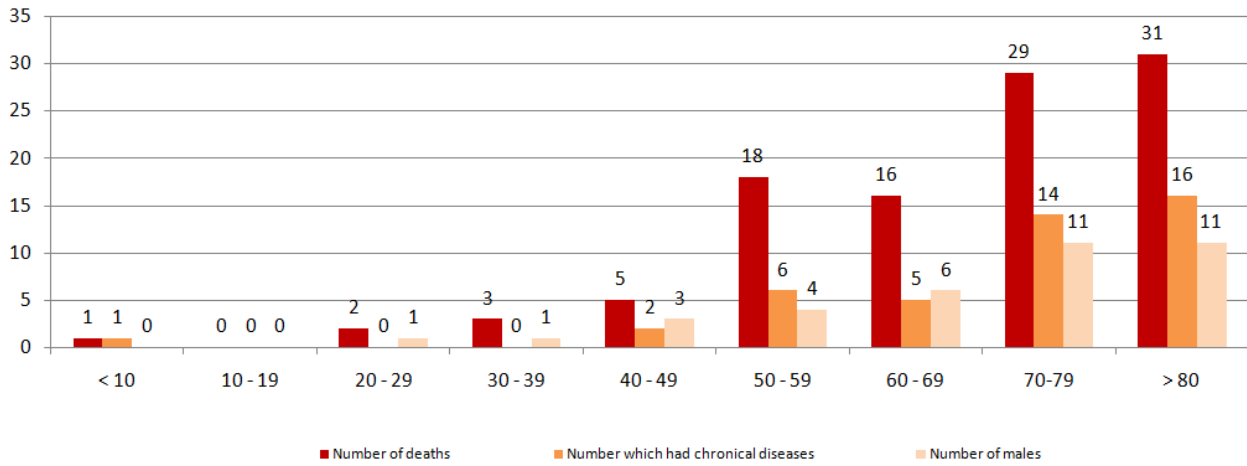
Distribution of recoveries by Districts



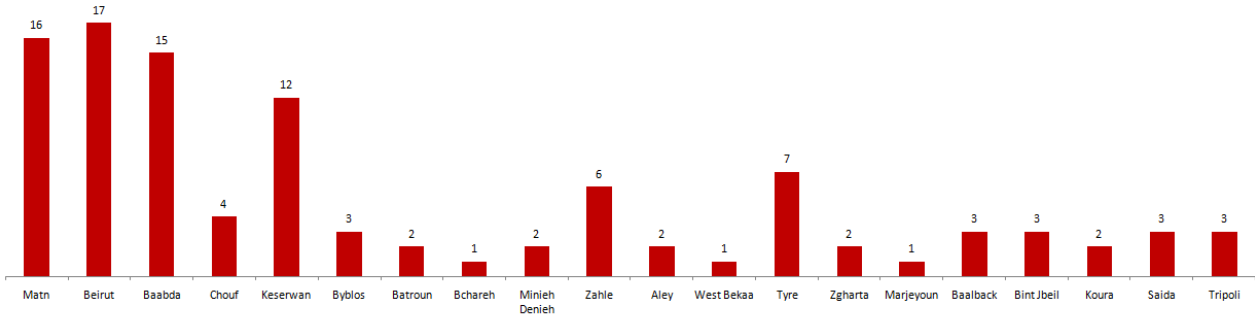
Distribution of active cases by District



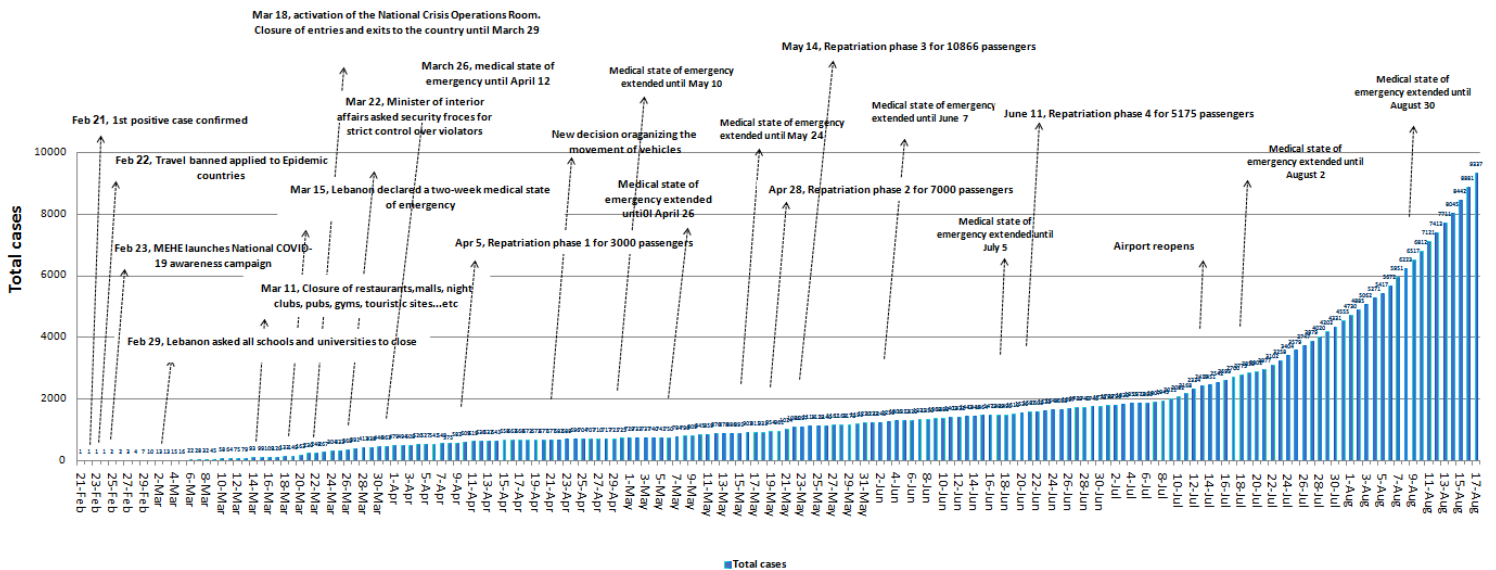
Distribution of deaths by age



Distribution of deaths by Governorates

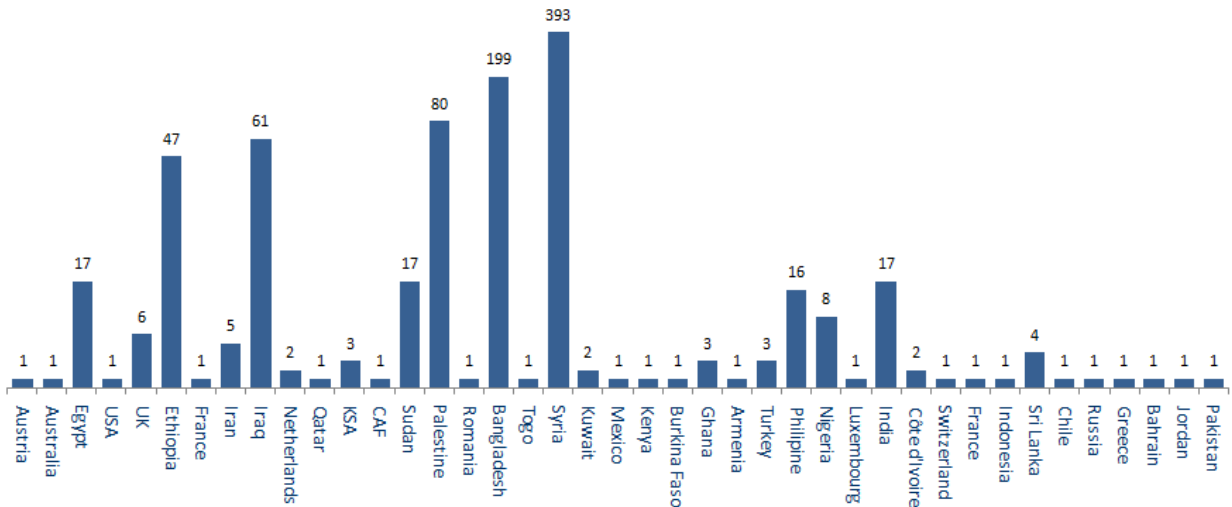


Chronology of decisions according to number of cases

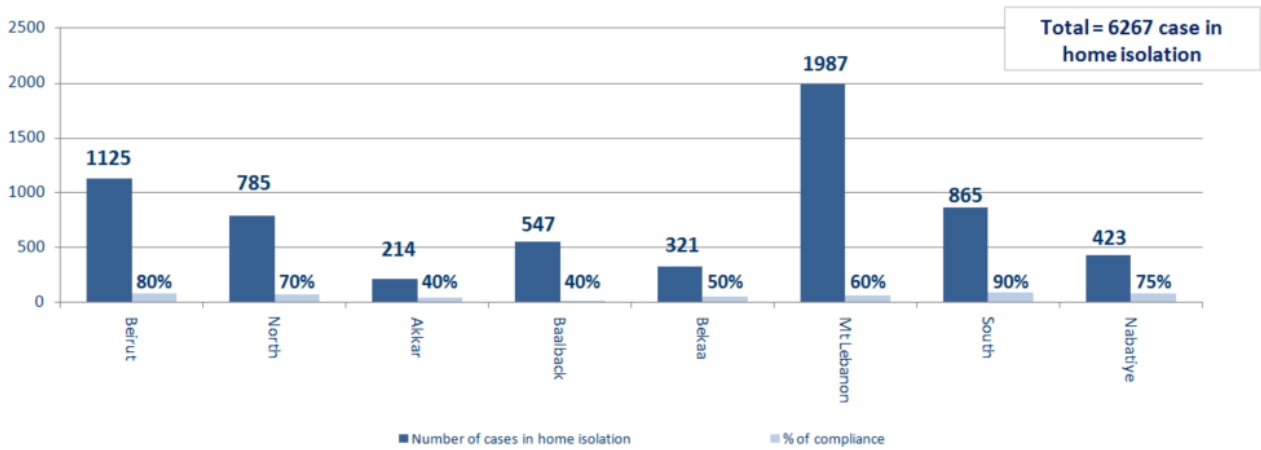


Distribution of cases by nationality

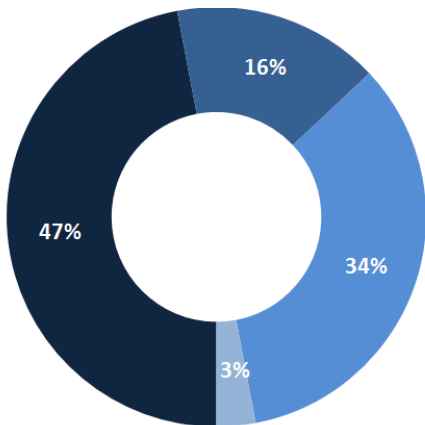
Lebanese : 8430 cases out of 9337 (87 %)



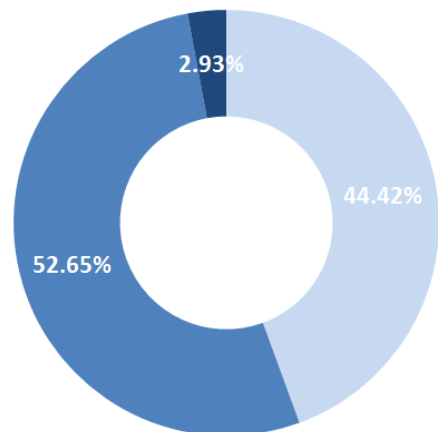
Number of individuals in home isolation and percentage of commitment to isolation



Exposure

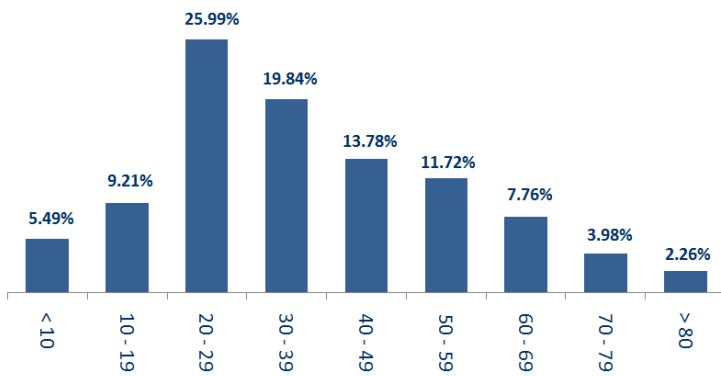


Status of cases

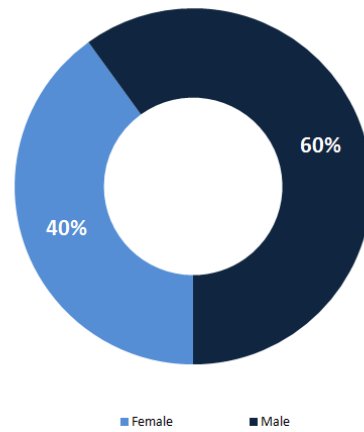


Contact with confirmed case
 Travel related
 Under investigation
 Unidentified source
 Asymptomatic
 Mild/Moderate
 Severe/Critical

Distribution by age



Distribution according to gender



Decisions and actions taken – 17/8/2020

Ministry of Public Health

- The Ministry coordinates with the National Committee for Follow-up of Preventive Measures and Measures to Confront the Coronavirus, to determine the measures to be implemented to curb the virus spread.
- The Preventive Medicine Department of the Ministry of Public Health issued a circular about how to act in the event that a positive case of Corona was recorded in terms of identifying and identifying contacts, the time period for conducting PCR tests for contacts, the required quarantine period, with an emphasis that a negative examination does not mean that the contacts are free of disease and that Adopting and adhering to the quarantine is the primary measure to limit the spread of the epidemic
- The ministry is increasing the number of conducted PCR tests in different Lebanese regions to examine the level of the virus' spread in the country
- The Ministry is discussing with the Lebanese University a mechanism in order to assist the Ministry in conducting PCR examinations for arrivals at the land borders
- following up on providing the needed equipment for public hospitals
- The ministry issued the results of additional checks conducted at the airport for the incoming flights on 13/8/2020 and 14/8/2020, where three positive cases were recorded, and they were distributed as follows

Arriving from	Company	Flight Number	Number of Positive Cases
13/8/2020			
Al Najaf	MEA	327	4
Irbil	MEA	325	1
Doha	MEA	437	1
Al-Basrah	MEA	333	3
14/8/2020			
Addis Ababa	Ethiopian airlines	406	2
Lagos	MEA	527	3
Total			14

**Security services (Internal Security Forces,
General Security, State Security, Army,
General Directorate of Civil Defense)**

- The army carried out patrols in different Lebanese regions, distributed food boxes to families in need (CIMIC) and dispersed gatherings.
- General Security Forces followed up on the airport's set regulations for the return of Lebanese expatriates to their homeland and tracked potential cases in various Lebanese regions and ensured that they're adhering to the terms of home isolation. forces also reported that 49 workers of Bangladeshi nationality have been quarantined in the town of Tula in the south, as they were confirmed to have had mixed positive cases
- State security forces followed up on positive and suspected cases in home isolation. forces also announced the results on tests conducted on suspected cases. forces also announced the measures being taken in municipalities for preventing the spread of the virus. forces also Reported a positive case among the United Nations Interim Forces and the procedures that have been implemented to quarantine the case and examine, as well as quarantine contacts
- ISF will be isolating the following areas for the next week:

Governorate/District	Location
Beirut Governorate	Tariq al Jadidah, Ard jalloul (Pending isolation by order of Governor)
Baabda District	Burj al Barajneh, Hay el Akrad (Handled by Municipality)
Chouf District	Possibility of complete isolation of Barja Village (measures taken by municipality with the support of the security forces) Carrying out patrols to ensure that citizens adhere to wearing masks.
Tripoli District	A neighborhood in Bab al-Tabbaneh and a neighborhood in Abu Samra locality (pending a decision from the governor).
Aley District	- Chowaifat, Separate Houses Isolation - Aramoun, Separate Houses Isolation
Tryre District	Isolation of Majdel Zun Village
Bnt Jbeil District	Khirbet Silm and Jal al-Hayuk neighborhoods were isolated for a period of 3 days, renewable, and those in contact with contacts were quarantined for a period of 14 days under the supervision of the Internal Security Forces

**Ministry of Public Works and
Transportation**

- The General Directorate of Civil Aviation at the Ministry of Public Works and Transport issued Circular no. 45/2 on 28/7/2020 to all airplane companies and all arrivals to through the airport regarding new regulations in regard to PCR tests

DEPARTING FLIGHTS		ARRIVING FLIGHTS	
40	NUMBER OF FLIGHTS	44	NUMBER OF FLIGHTS
4202	NUMBER OF DEPARTING INDIVIDUALS	2196	NUMBER OF ARRIVALS

Port	Entered			Left		
	Import	Direction	#	Export	Direction	#
Beirut	Oil and gas	Aamchit	1		Alexandaria	1
	Containers	Alexandaria	1		Alexandarun	1
	Containers	Italy	1		Dmit	1
	Containers	Ukraine	1			
Tripoli	Blank	Turkey	1			
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Lebanese Red Cross

41491 (154 New)	Number of PCR tests transferred to laboratories	0	Number of additional ambulance centers ready to respond	47	ambulance centers	3695 (40 New)	cases transferred to hospitals
166	Number of volunteers trained to transfer PCR tests	1444	Number of trained paramedics	8509	total number of respondents	76074 (26 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	8320	number of trained managers for isolation centers
4087 (2 New)	Number of beneficiaries from educational electronic platforms COVID-19	72139 (52 New)	Number of distributed equipment **	1207656	total distributed posters, brochures, and flyers on covid19 prevention	416 (3 New)	number of prisons that have been disinfected

General announcement

- On 8/17/2020, the Governor of Mount Lebanon issued Resolution No. 255/2020 defining isolation procedures in the town of Barja in the Chouf District, Resolution No. 256/2020 related to closing Aley's Serail for a period of 72 hours to conduct the necessary corona examinations, Resolution No. 257/2020 Concerning the closing of financial departments in Baabda for a period of 72 hours, Decision No. 258/2020 related to the closing of the Jbeil Financial Office in the Serail building for a period of 72 hours, and Resolution No. 259/2020 related to the closure of Shaheem's souls in the Chouf.
- On 8/17/2020, the Governor of the North issued Decision No. 50 / G / 2020 regarding measures taken to limit the spread of the Corona virus in the North, as it was decided to prevent all popular gatherings and social events, the closure of places of worship, the impact of sports activities and recreational activities of all kinds, Closing the sea corniche, organizing the work of local markets according to the Tripoli municipality plan, and closing all commercial establishments with the exception of stores, foodstuff warehouses, bakeries, pharmacies and petrol stations. It was also decided to approve the work shift in public administrations according to a schedule prepared by the concerned department at a rate of 30% in addition to stopping the registration of students in public and private schools and institutes, starting from Tuesday morning 8/8/2020 until Sunday 23/8/2020 inclusive That this period is renewable.
- On 8/17/2020, the Governor of the North issued Circular No. 51 / G / 2020 asking the district doctors in the North Lebanon Governorate to ensure that the injured persons and crisis cells in the municipalities should be informed of the results issued immediately to initiate isolation procedures and follow contacts in accordance with the instructions of the Ministry of Health the public.

Examples of lack of adherence to safety measures

- Demonstration, and Roadblocks
- Overcrowding in restaurants and cafes
- Non-compliance of citizens with preventive measures
- Gathering in cafes
- gatherings without wearing masks.
- social gatherings and celebrations and kids areas

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