



Lebanon National Operations Room

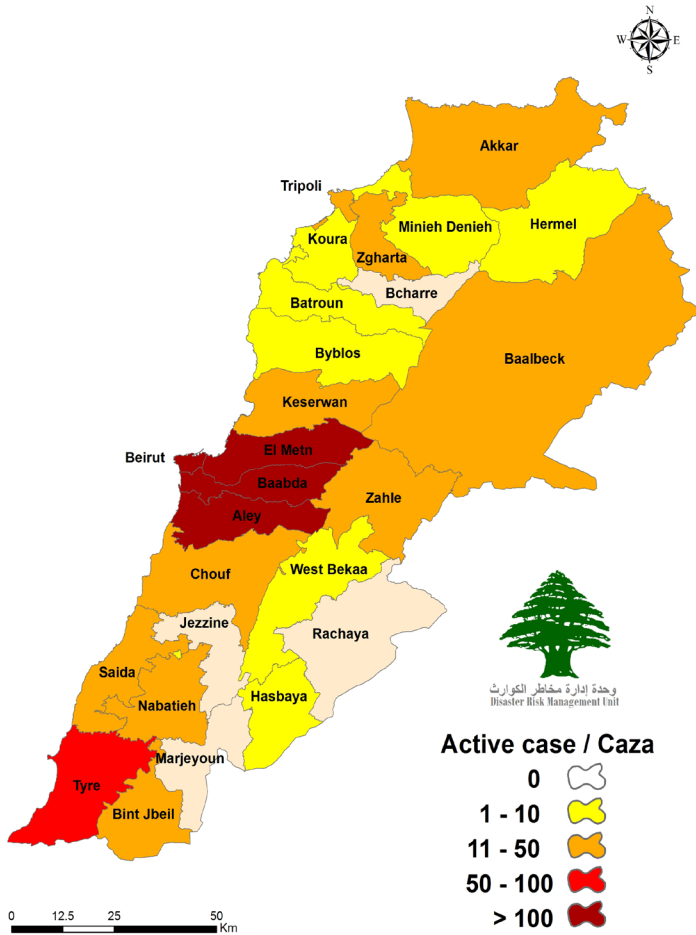
Daily Report on COVID-19

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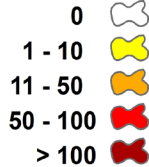
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Number of Cases by Location

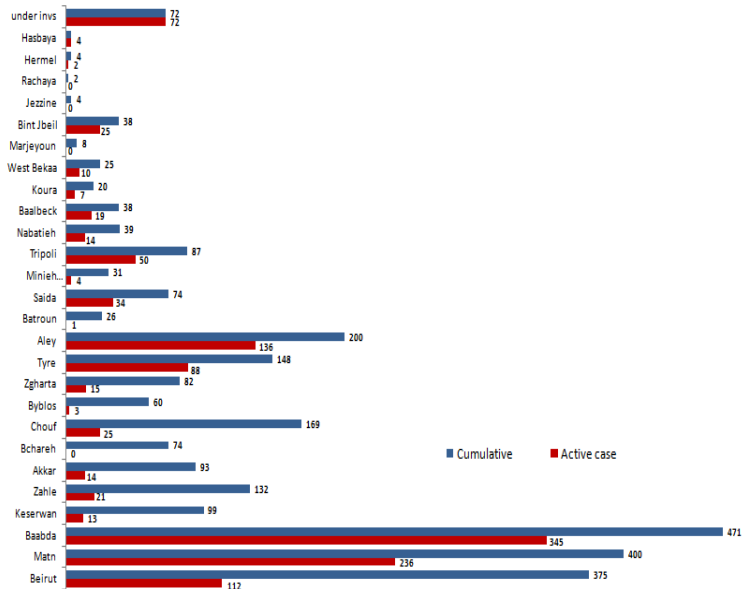


Active case / Caza



Municipality	Number of cases	Local/Expat
Msaytbe (Beirut)	4	Local
Tarik Jadidah (Beirut)	3	Expat
Achrafiye (Beirut)	1	Expat
Rawshe (Beirut)	1	Local
Hamra (Beirut)	1	Local
Sanagea (Beirut)	1	Expat
Ras El Nabaa (Beirut)	1	Local
Mala (Beirut)	2	Expat
Basta (Beirut)	1	Local
Ghoubeiry (Baabda)	1	Local
Kfarshima (Baabda)	1	Local
Laylake (Baabda)	3	Local
Qornayel (Baabda)	1	Local
Hazmieh (Baabda)	1	Local
Harat Horeik (Baabda)	5	Local
Jnah (Baabda)	4	Local
Hadath (Baabda)	2	Local
Borj El Barajneh (Baabda)	1	Local
Tahwit El Ghadir (Baabda)	1	Local
Boshriye (Matn)	1	Expat
Bsalim (Matn)	1	Local
Dbayeh (Matn)	1	Expat
Dekwaneh (Matn)	1	Local
Fanar (Matn)	1	Expat
Nakash (Matn)	1	Local
Gornet Chehwan (Matn)	1	Local
Rabieh (Matn)	1	Local
Aramoun (Aley)	1	Expat
Hay Selom (Aley)	3	Local
Amrousiye (Aley)	2	Local
Al Chemlan (Matn)	1	Local
Bchamoun (Matn)	1	Local
Kalamoun (Tripoli)	1	Expat
Btouratij (Koura)	1	Local
Chhour (Tyre)	6	Local
Qana (Tyre)	1	Local
Jabal El Batem (Tyre)	1	Expat
Kounin (Bint Jbeil)	1	Expat
Fmeish (Bint Jbeil)	1	Expat
Under investigation	12	Local (8) / Expat (4)
Sum	75	

Total registered cases since Feb. 21	2775
locals	2009
Lebanese expats	766
Recoveries	1485
Deaths	40
Total registered cases in the past 24 hrs.	75
locals	55
Lebanese expats	20
Conducted PCR tests in labs since Feb. 21	207,395
PCR tests conducted in the last 24 hrs. (in labs and in the airport)	3448
Conducted PCR tests in airports in the past 24 hours	2880
1250 active cases	
1180 in home isolation	
70 are currently hospitalized	
58 mild cases	
12 in ICU	

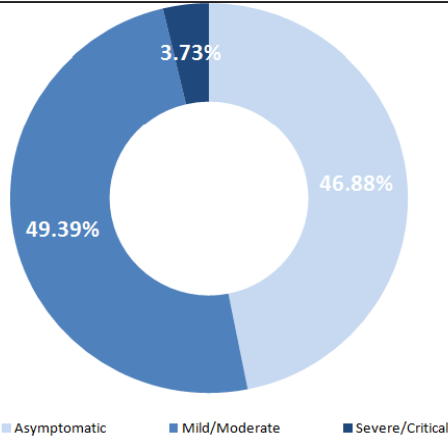


Comparison between Lebanon and other countries

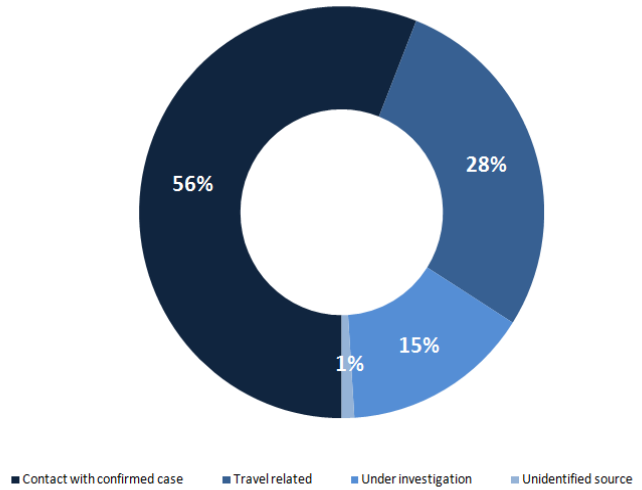
	Lebanon	Internationally
Total registered cases	2775	14,243,592
Total deaths	40	600,496
Percentage of deaths	1.44%	4.21%
Number of recoveries	1485	8,508,473

*the above data was last updated at 6 pm

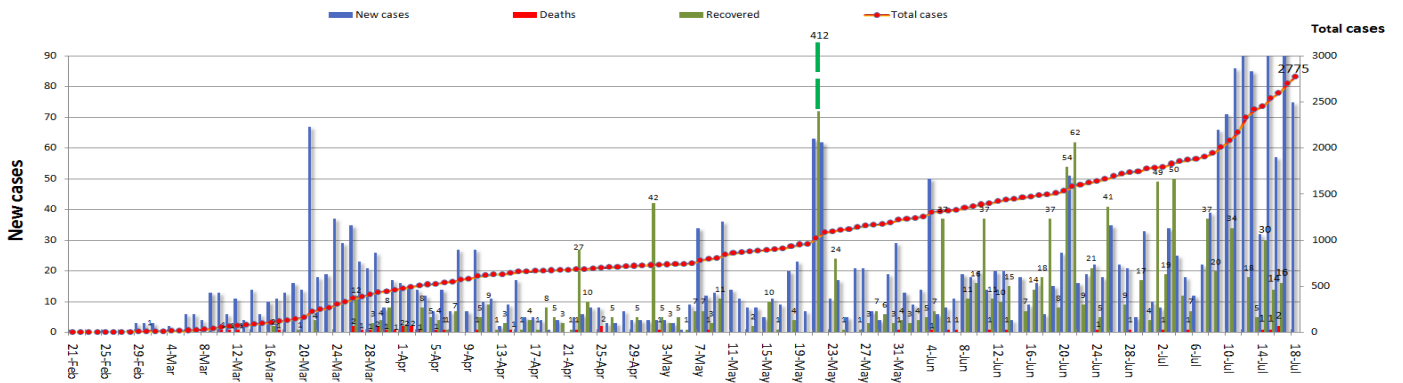
Status of cases



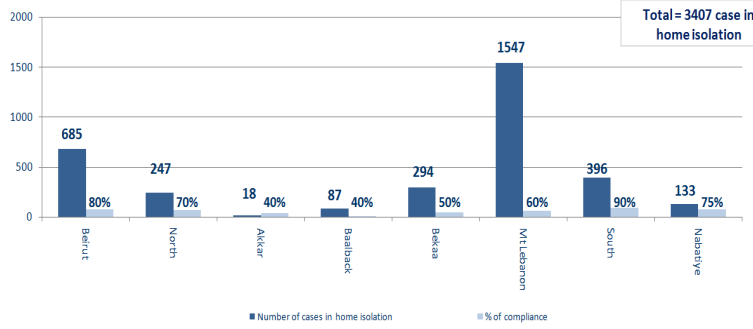
Exposure



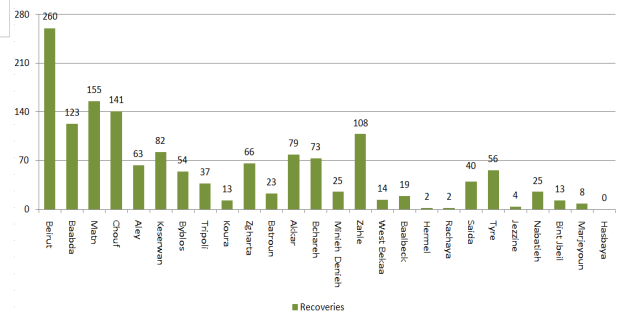
Cases per day



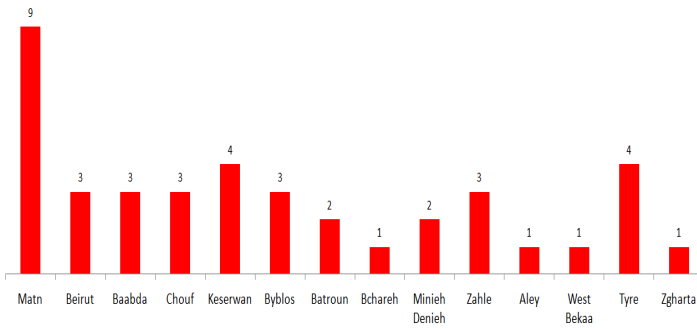
Number of individuals in home isolation and percent- age of commitment to isolation



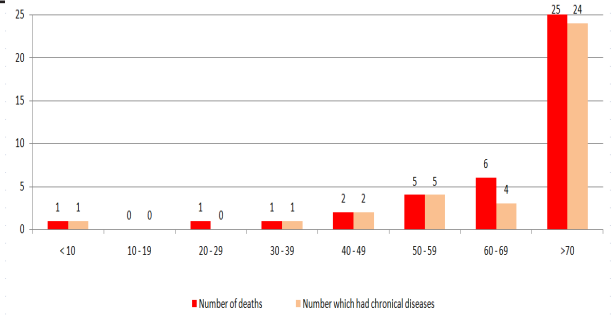
Distribution of recoveries by area



Distribution of deaths by governorates

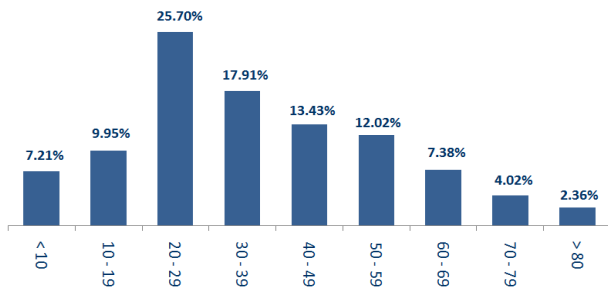


Distribution of deaths by age



Distribution of cases by age group

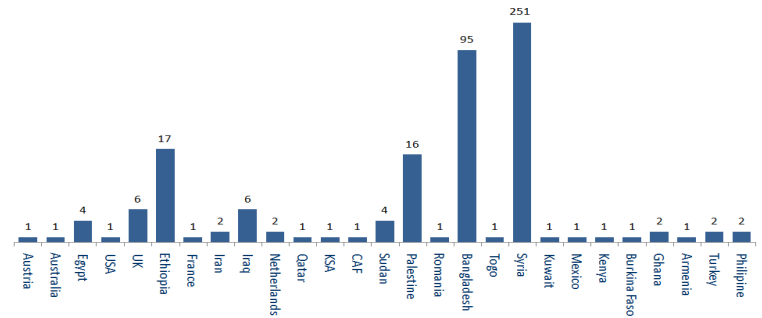
Distribution of cases by age group (%)



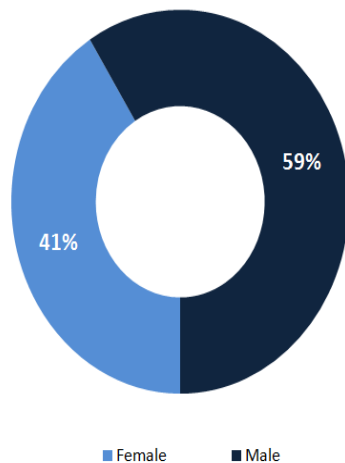
Distribution of cases by nationality

Distribution of cases by nationality

Lebanese : 2364 cases out of 2775 (83 %)



Distribution of cases by gender (%)



Examples of lack of adherence of safety measures

- Demonstration, and Roadblocks
- Violations of curfew, and the medical mask decisions
- Failure of commercial stores, supermarkets, and others to comply with the closing hours
- Overcrowding in restaurants and cafes and failure to comply with the permitted number of customers (50%)
- gatherings in front of banks, money transfer offices and ATM machines without maintaining a safe distance or putting masks
- Gathering of citizens in hiking areas without committing to preventive measures
- Non-compliance of citizens with preventive measures in food markets
- Gathering in cafes
- hookah
- gatherings on beaches and sidewalks without wearing masks.
- social gatherings and celebrations and kids areas

LET'S STAY COMMITTED SO IT IS REMEMBERED BUT NOT REPEATED...

Physical Distancing

Keep a safe distance

1.5 meters at least

Prevention

- ▶ Wear face masks outside the house
- ▶ Avoid touching the face
- ▶ Cover mouth and nose with elbow when coughing or sneezing

Hygiene

- ▶ Wash your hands for at least 20 seconds
- ▶ Sterilize your purchased products before use or storing at home

▶ Adhere to all circulars by the Ministry of Public Health

Decisions and actions taken

Ministry of Public Health

- The Ministry of Public Health launched the application “Together against coronavirus MA3AN” to track contacts of positive cases and reduce the spread of Coronavirus. the application can be downloaded for free on mobile phones
- The Ministry is developing and implementing a project to strengthen the health system in Lebanon in cooperation with the World Bank. the project will increase the Ministry’s ability to assess the capacity of the health sector in Lebanon to respond to the pandemic, secure the necessary medical equipment and tools, and build the capacity of sector workers to counter the virus.
- The Ministry called for strict adherence to precautions and preventive measures in large institutions. It also called for the commitment of expatriates to the general mobilization procedures.
- The Ministry is working on setting a clear mechanism for transporting positive or suspected cases from the returnees to government hospitals directly, and transporting positive cases with no symptoms to quarantine centers.
- The Ministry is working to assess the airport’s opening on the virus’ reality in the country.
- increasing number of conducted PCR tests on suspected cases in areas where the virus has spread to assess the situation.
- Following up on the application of Circular No. 2/37 which was issued on 4/7/2020 in coordination with the national covid committee related to the procedures approved by the Ministry of Public Health for all travelers coming to Lebanon.
- The ministry supervises all the conducted PCR tests for those who were in contact with positive cases in various government hospitals, at the expense of the ministry in order to

determine the epidemiological reality in Lebanon and take the necessary steps.

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.
- 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
- The General Directorate of Civil Defense prepared 427 personnel and 69 ambulances, to interfere, when necessary, and transport those infected with the emerging coronavirus. The directorate also carried out sterilization missions in public and private areas and in labs conducting PCR tests.
- ISF aided the municipalities in isolation buildings where positive ramco workers were placed and issued a number of fine

total fines issued to those who failed to adhere to the public mobilization decision since 8/3/2020	number of fines issued to individuals who weren't wearing a medical mask (since 29/5/2020)
10139	2905 7 new

Lebanese Red Cross

32925 1628 new	Number of PCR tests transferred to laboratories	0	Number of additional ambulance centers ready to respond	47	ambulance centers	2706 17 new	cases transferred to hospitals
166	Number of volunteers trained to transfer PCR tests	1444	Number of trained paramedics	8396 28 new	total number of respondents	64538 225 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	8176 28 new	number of trained managers for isolation centers
3615 9 new)	Number of beneficiaries from educational electronic platforms COVID-19	42412	Number of distributed equipment **	1207050	total distributed posters, brochures, and flyers on covid19 prevention	369 1 new	number of rpsions that have been disinfected

Note: The Lebanese Red Cross transported 131 workers who were confirmed positive in Jdeideh to the designated isolation center in Carintina

Ministry of Public Works

- issued Circular No. 42/2 and Circular No. 43/2 on 7/17/2020 related to the amendment of the previous two circulars on the classification of countries that have PCR tests approved by the Ministry of Public Health. also, the procedures required by travelers were issued by the General Directorate of Civil Aviation at the Ministry of Public Works and Transport Before traveling and upon arrival at Beirut Rafiq Hariri International Airport

DEPARTING FLIGHTS		ARRIVING FLIGHTS	
38	NUMBER OF FLIGHTS	39	NUMBER OF FLIGHTS
2174	NUMBER OF DEPARTING INDIVIDUALS	3739	NUMBER OF ARRIVALS

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	Containers	valencia	1	Empty	Turkey	1
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