



Republic of South Sudan  
Ministry of Health

Update on COVID-19 response

Date: 3<sup>rd</sup> July, 2020

In the last 24 hours, 56 samples were tested and results released. Of these, twenty two (22) tested positive for COVID19. Out of the new cases identified, 17 are male adults and 5 are female adults.

**Overall COVID-19 cases status as of 03/07/2020**

Total number of test performed to date	11,007
New cases confirmed in the last 24 hours	22
Cumulative number of cases confirmed to date	2,058
Total cases currently under follow up/active cases	1,426
Number of cases that are severe in the IDU	0
Number of cases that are in critical condition in the IDU	0
Number of cases recovered	594
Number of new death in the last 24 hours	0
Cumulative number of death	38

**COVID-19 Contacts Status as of 03/07/2020**

Number of contacts currently under follow-up	505
Number of contacts under follow-up reached today	483
Number of contacts finished 14-day follow-up today	4,206
Cumulative number of contacts followed	4,711

The Ministry of Health is conducting tracing of individuals who had contact with the COVID19 cases. The government urges the public to strictly observe the rules of social distancing and other public health measures declared by the **President of the Republic of South Sudan and High Level Task-Force**. Report any suspected case to nearest health facility or call to **toll free number: 6666**. Continue to observe the instructions of Health Authorities particularly washing hands regularly with water and soap; maintaining physical distance from other people (at least keep 2 meters (6 feet) distance between two individuals) and mandatory facemask or cloth face coverings in public.

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Together we shall win the battle against COVID-19