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Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) - Situation Report – 26.12.2020 – 10 a.m.

An outbreak of pneumonia of unknown reason was first reported on 31st December 2019 from Wuhan City in Hubei Province of China. On 7th Jan 2020, it was diagnosed as “Novel Corona Virus”. On 30/01, WHO has declared it as a Public Health Emergency of International Concern (PHEIC). On 11/02/2020 the WHO renamed the disease as COVID-19 and on 11/03/2020 declared as pandemic. The incubation period is reported as 2-14 days.

Patients identified in last 24H		
Total Confirmed		551
Returnees (+ close contacts) from other countries	Sri Lankans	0
	Foreigners	0
Kandakadu Rehab. Center detainees and their contacts		0
Hospital samples (admitted with clinical signs/symptoms)		0
Minuwangoda/Peliyagoda cluster		541
Prison cluster		10

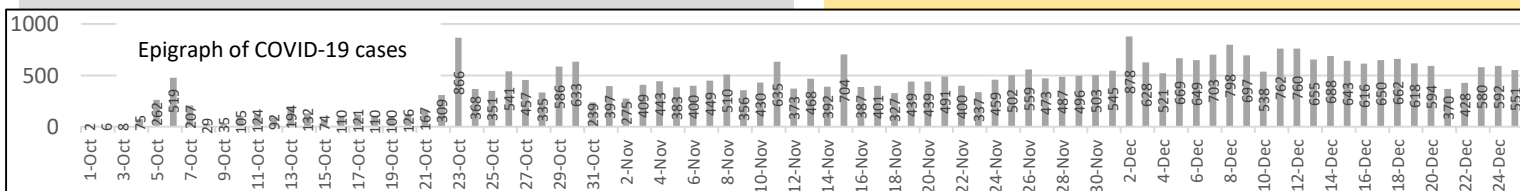
Details of COVID 19 diagnosed patients – Last 24H				
Number inward as at yesterday-10 am	COVID 19 Positive - last 24H	Discharged from the hospital - last 24H	Number of deaths - last 24H	Number inward as at today-10 am
7707	551	712	1	7545

Local Situation

Total Number Confirmed			39782
Imported Cases (Returnees from other countries)	Foreigners		127
	Sri Lankans		1643
Local Cases	Navy & their close contacts		950
	Kandakadu cluster & their close contacts		651
	Minuwangoda/Peliyagoda/ Prison cluster		36098
	Others		313

Total Number Confirmed	39782
Total Number Recovered	32051
Total Number of Deaths	186
Confirmed and hospitalized - today 10 am	7545
Suspected and hospitalized - today 10 am	433

	Hospital distribution of COVID 19 diagnosed patients					
	Inward Today 10am			Discharged during last		
	SL	Foreign	Total	SL	Foreign	Total
NIID	140	0	140	17	0	17
BH Welikanda	81	0	81	2	0	2
Iranawila Hospital	108	0	108	4	0	4
BH Minuwangoda	35	0	35	9	0	9
Colombo East Base Hospital	96	0	96	5	0	5
TH Anuradhapura	58	0	58	0	0	0
Neville F'do hospital	444	0	444	33	0	33
DGH Hambanthota	259	3	262	0	0	0
DH Rambukkana	74	0	74	3	0	3
Kamburugamuwa	134	0	134	34	0	34
Kathankudy hospital	136	0	136	0	0	0
BH Theldeniya	70	0	70	1	0	1
BH Homagama	140	0	140	8	0	8
BH Galgamuwa	33	0	33	0	0	0
DH Abanpola	49	0	49	5	0	5
DH Lunawa	70	0	70	11	0	11
DH Ingiriya	31	0	31	0	0	0
DH Kosgama	57	0	57	3	0	3
DH Dankotuwa	53	0	53	25	0	25
DH Divulpitiya	87	0	87	0	0	0
DH Laggala Pallegama	83	0	83	0	0	0
DH Dompe	30	0	30	0	0	0
DH Pimbura	50	0	50	8	0	8
DH Karadiyanaru	72	0	72	6	0	6
DH Radawana	41	0	41	0	0	0
Ichchilampattu Hospital	76	0	76	5	0	5
DH Padiyathalawa	37	0	37	1	0	1
NHRD (Welisara)	11	0	11	2	0	2
DH Palamune	86	0	86	0	0	0
DH Undugoda	105	0	105	0	0	0
DH Narammala	51	0	51	5	0	5
DH Iththepana	33	0	33	1	0	1
DH Mathugama	44	0	44	0	0	0
DH Bandaragama	24	0	24	1	0	1
DH Nochchiyagama	27	0	27	11	0	11
DH Nawagamuwa	17	0	17	2	0	2
DH Bandarawela	96	0	96	0	0	0
DH Hagaranketha	1	0	1	0	0	0
Army Hospital Panagoda	31	0	31	2	0	2
SLAF BH Katunayake	1	0	1	0	0	0
NIMH	6	0	6	0	0	0
Kandakadu treatment	221	0	221	0	0	0
Gallela treatment centre	258	0	258	49	0	49
Punani treatment centre	587	0	587	58	0	58
Embilipitiya treatment centre	159	0	159	0	0	0
Kahagolla treat. Centre	0	0	0	0	0	0
Samanalawewa treatment centre	80	0	80	0	0	0
Rehabilitation centre Ampara	81	0	81	0	0	0
Kahawatta treat. centre	280	0	280	15	0	15
Wathupitiwela Treat. Centre	134	0	134	1	0	1
Bingiriya treat. centre	470	0	470	61	0	61
Rambukkana treat. centre	251	0	251	46	0	46
Polgolla treatment centre	269	0	269	11	0	11
Yakkala treatment centre	107	0	107	12	0	12
Kopai treatment centre	388	0	388	110	0	110
Police training school Kalutara	14	0	14	6	0	6
Karadeniya treatment centre	102	0	102	31	0	31
Panideniya treat. centre	278	0	278	29	0	29
Koggala Long beach Treat. Centre	3	0	3	2	0	2
Darga town treatment centre	160	0	160	6	0	6
BH Warakapola	185	0	185	6	0	6
Krishnapuram Treatment Center - Kilinochchi	110	0	110	0	0	0
Dambadeniya Treat.	245	0	245	59	0	59
Hikkaduwa treat. centre	148	0	148	0	0	0
Weligama Treat. centre	79	0	79	0	0	0
Giriulla Treat. Centre	131	0	131	6	0	6
Bidunwewa Treat. Centre	180	0	180	0	0	0



Number of COVID -19 suspected patients – 433

Hospital	Total suspected up to now			Today 10am		
	SL	Forei.	Total	SL	Forei.	Total
NIID	1220	76	1284	7	0	7
NHSL	4284	16	4300	12	0	12
TH Ragama	2539	5	2544	8	0	8
TH Karapitiya	740	26	766	1	0	1
TH A'pura	1841	2	1843	11	0	11
TH Kurun.	1292	1	1293	6	0	6
TH Jaffna	317	2	319	3	0	3
NH Kandy	639	6	645	10	0	10
TH Batti.	377	0	377	8	0	8
DGH Gampaha	753	4	757	0	0	0
DGH Negombo	1861	15	1876	6	0	6
TH Rathn.	655	0	655	11	0	11
PGH Badulla	237	2	239	4	0	4
LRH	361	0	361	2	0	2
DMH	1566	1	1567	13	0	13
DGH Polon'wa	999	6	1005	17	0	17
TH Kalubowila	1029	5	1034	2	0	2
Castle St TH	700	0	700	4	0	4
BH Ham'thota	384	2	386	0	0	0
BH Mona'gala	329	0	329	5	0	5
BH Welikanda	69	1	70	0	0	0
DGH Kaluthara	1072	2	1074	18	0	18
Chest H. Welisara	1015	2	1017	7	0	7
Colombo East Base Hospital	186	0	186	15	0	15
G.H. Chilaw	4793	1	4794	14	0	14
G.H. Matara	158	2	160	0	0	0
KDU Hospital	5416	0	5416	50	0	50
G.H. Vavunia	254	0	254	0	0	0
B.H. Marawila	293	1	294	2	0	2
S.J.Pura TH	9752	2	9754	153	0	153
BH Theldeniya	70	0	70	6	0	6
BH Tangalle	61	0	61	0	0	0
NIMH	475	0	475	38	0	38
Total	Incorrect to total as transfers counts in both the institutions			433	0	433

Source: Epidemiology Unit, Disease Surveillance System

District Distribution of Confirmed Patients

HEALTH DISTRICT	Count
COLOMBO	16456
GAMPAHA	8400
PUTTALAM	405
KALUTARA	2713
ANURADHAPURA	122
KANDY	1160
KURUNEGALA	565
POLONNARUWA	44
JAFFNA	119
RATNAPURA	513
KEGALLE	379
MONERAGALA	95
KALMUNAI	644
MATALE	88
GALLE	536
AMPARA	40
BADULLA	165
MATARA	256
BATTICOLOA	111
HAMBANTOTA	104
VAVUNIA	32
TRINCOMALEE	61
NUWARAELIYA	383
KILINOCHCHI	17
MANNAR	14
MULLATIVU	4

Note: Considered only the individuals who contracted the disease from the districts