

MEDIA STATEMENT

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GAUTENG CONFIRMED COVID-19 CASES DISTRICT BREAKDOWN

The total number of confirmed COVID-19 cases in Gauteng as at 30 April 2020 sits at 1446, with 948 recoveries and 11 deaths.

Out of a total of 8482 contacts traced (these are individuals who were in contact with people who tested positive for COVID-19); 5837 people have completed the 14 days monitoring period with no symptoms reported and therefore they are de-isolated.

A total number of 72 people are currently hospitalized in the public and private facility.

WORKERS DAY:

We pay special tribute on this Workers' Day to thousands of workers, especially those at the forefront of the battle against the Coronavirus. The dedication and sacrifice made by these workers in the face of adversity is commendable.

PAYMENT OF ALLOWANCES FOR HEALTH WORKERS:

The Gauteng Department of Health has been in consultation with the Department of e-Government to ensure the speedy resolution to the payment of commuted overtime and claims for sessional allowances.

e-Government has committed to upscale its operations to eradicate delays in the processing of the payments. The first run of payments was actioned yesterday, all outstanding mandates will be processed by the next salary run on Monday, 04 May 2020 for payment on 07 May 2020. Approximately 800 commuted overtime backlogs and 152 sessional allowances were outstanding.

The MEC for Health, Dr Bandile Masuku described the situation as being "deeply regrettably and unacceptable" and promised that there will be consequence management for officials responsible for the delay.

"The last thing workers should worry about in the middle of an intense fight to stop the further spread of COVID-19 is whether or not they will be able to provide for their families at the end of the month. Those responsible will be held accountable," stated Dr Masuku.

| DISTRICT | + CASES | RECOVERIES |
|--------------|---------|------------|
| Johannesburg | 840 | 591 |
| Ekurhuleni | 319 | 225 |
| Tshwane | 172 | 96 |
| Sedibeng | 16 | 5 |
| West Rand | 44 | 31 |
| Unallocated | 55 | |
| Total | 1446 | 948 |
| Deaths | 11 | |

BREAKDOWN PER DISTRICT:

BREAKDOWN PER SUB-DISTRICT:

| District | Total District | Sub-District | Total Sub- District |
|-------------------------|----------------|--|------------------------|
| City of Johannesburg | 840 | City of Johannesburg A: Diepsloot, Kya Sands, Dainfern, Midrand, Lanseria, Fourways, Ivory Park City of Johannesburg B: | 79 |
| | | Randburg, Rosebank, Emmarentia, Greenside, Melville, Mayfair, Northcliff, Parktown, Parktown North | 147 |
| | | City of Johannesburg C: Roodepoort, Constantia Kloof, Northgate, Florida, Bram Fishersville | 57 |
| | | City of Johannesburg D: Doornkop, Soweto, Dobsonville, Protea Glen | 53 |
| | | City of Johannesburg E: Alexandra, Wynberg, Sandton, Orange Grove, Houghton | 256 |
| | | City of Johannesburg F: Inner City, Johannesburg South | 104 |
| | | City of Johannesburg G: | 58 |

| District | | Total District | Sub-District | Total Sub- District |
|-----------------|----|---|--|------------------------|
| | | | Orange Farm, Weilers Farm, Ennerdale, Lenasia, Eldorado Park, Protea South | |
| | | | Unallocated | 86 |
| | | | City of Tshwane 1: Ga-Rankuwa, Mabopane, Winterveldt, Soshanguve, Rosslyn, Karenpark, Wonderboom, Akasia, Nina Park, Orchads, Amandasig, Thereza Park, Pretoria North | 30 |
| | | | City of Tshwane 2: Hammanskraal, Temba, Suurman, Dilopye, Stinkwater, Ramotse, New Eesterus, Kameeldrit, Pyramid/Rooiwal, Doornpoort, Kekana Gardens, KekansStad, Marokolong, Randstown, Kanana | 4 |
| City Tshwane | of | 172 | City of Tshwane 3: Atteridgeville, Laudium, Pretoria CBD, Hercules, Danville, Saulsville, Lotus, Pretoria West | 42 |
| | | | City of Tshwane 4: Lyttelton, Eldoraigne, Waterkloof, Olievenhoutbosch, Rooihuiskraal, Lyttelton, Silverton, Centurion, Brooklyn, Hatfield | 47 |
| | | City of Tshwane 5: East Lynne, Rayton, Cullinan, Dewagensdrift, Refilwe, Silverton, Onverwacht | 1 | |
| | | | City of Tshwane 6: Eesterus, Lethabong, Mamelodi, Silverlakes, Garsfontein, Lynnwood, Queenswood, Wilgers, Watloo, Equestria, Mooikloof, Brummeria | 43 |

| District | Total District | Sub-District | Total Sub- District |
|------------|----------------|--|------------------------|
| | | City of Tshwane 7: Ekangala, Sokhulumi, Dark City, Zithobeni, Bronkhorstspruit, Kanana, Rethabiseng | 1 |
| | | Unallocated | 4 |
| Ekurhuleni | | Ekurhuleni East 1: Etwatwa, Daveyton, Brakpan, Tsakane | 33 |
| | | Ekurhuleni East 2: Springs, Kwa-Thema, Duduza, Nigel | 29 |
| | 319 | Ekurhuleni North1: Birchleigh, Birchleigh North, Bonaero Park, Crystal Park, Erin, Ethafeni, Kempton Park, Olifantsfontein, Tembisa, Winnie Mandela | 38 |
| | | Ekurhuleni North 2: Bedfordview, Boksburg, Chief Albert Luthuli, Dan Kubheka, Edenvale, Endayeni, Esangweni, Itireleng, Kemston, Lethabong, Ramaphosa, Reiger Park, Van Dyk Park | 92 |
| | | Ekurhuleni South 1: Alberton, Brackenhurst, Eden Park, Primrose, Germiston, Leondale, Dawn Park,Tswelopele, Vosloorus, Villa Liza | 77 |
| | | Ekurhuleni South 2: Thokoza, Greenfields, Katlehong, Moleleki, Zonkizizwe, Palm Ridge, Moleleki, Tsietsi Sunrise View, Tamaho, Khumalo, Motsamai | 10 |
| | | Unallocated | 40 |
| Sedibeng | 16 | Lesedi | 3 |
| Courseing | | Emfuleni | 12 |

| District | Total District | Sub-District | Total Sub- District |
|-------------|----------------|----------------|------------------------|
| | | Midvaal | 1 |
| | | Unallocated | 0 |
| West Rand | 44 | Mogale City | 31 |
| | | Rand West City | 10 |
| | | Merafong City | 2 |
| | | Unallocated | 1 |
| Unallocated | 55 | | |

Unallocated cases in the district

- Unallocated cases in the district breakdown refer to confirmed cases in Gauteng, that are yet to be allocated to one of the five districts in the province.
- The unallocated cases reflected in the sub-district breakdown refer to cases confirmed in that district but have not been allocated to a subdistrict.

Data Harmonization

Allocating Gauteng cases to respective districts is ongoing. After obtaining further information on contact numbers and addresses from law enforcement agencies, provincial outbreak teams and the National Institute of Communicable Disease (NICD), we are able to make corrections where a case might have been incorrectly allocated to a particular district.

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