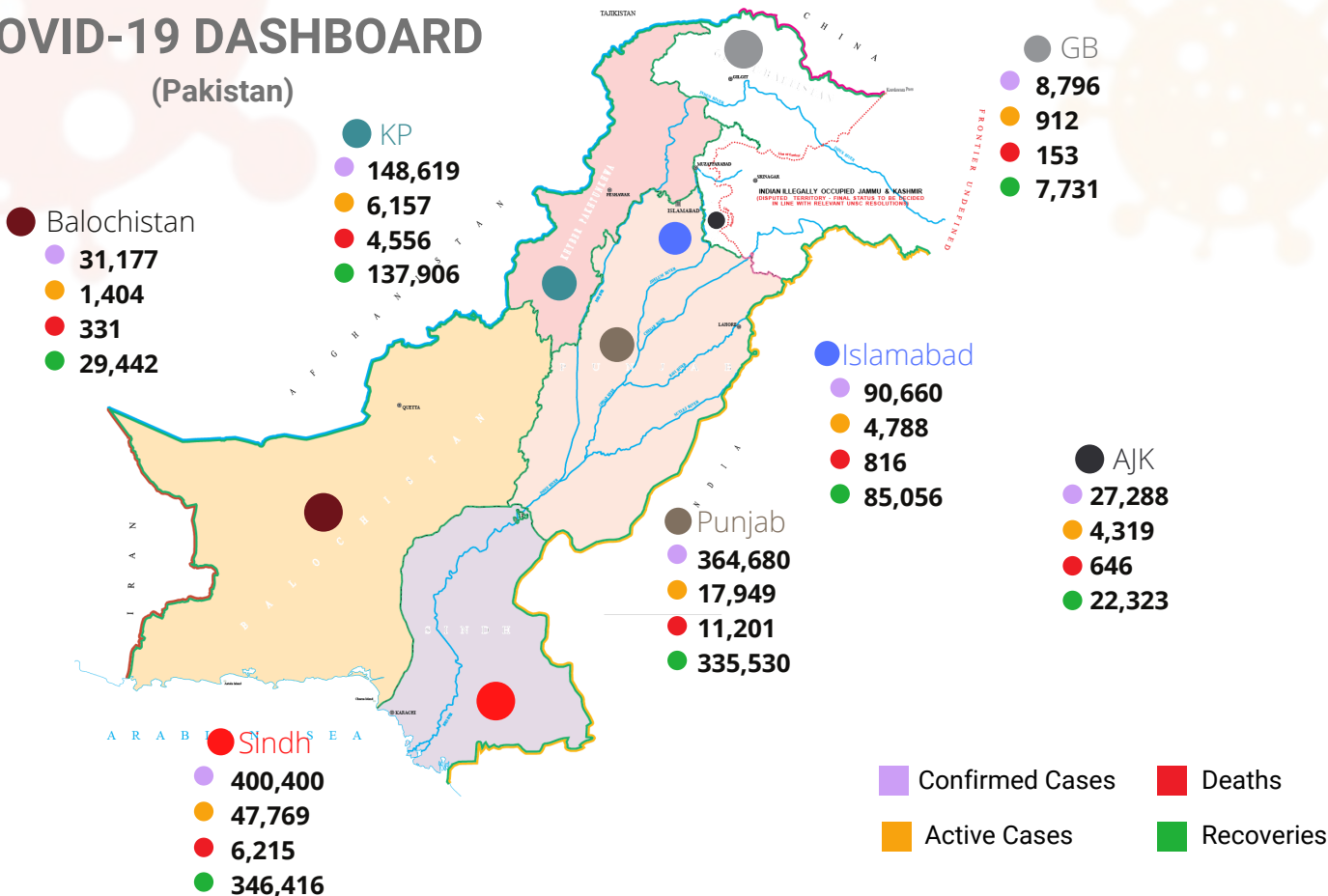


The Accountability Lab Pakistan (ALP), with the financial support of the European Union and technical support from The Asia Foundation (TAF) Pakistan and the Department of Health, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, has officially launched the Coronavirus CivActs Campaign (CCC) under the project 'Strengthening Community Resilience to COVID-19'. This campaign debunks rumours, fake news and misinformation related to COVID-19, conducts fact-checking, synthesizes data, and produces weekly bulletins for mass awareness. This includes important government decisions and vaccination drives, community feedback and concerns, and other questions from the ground around health and other COVID-19 related issues. The goal is to increase awareness among the most vulnerable groups in Pakistan (including but not limited to ethnic and religious minorities, transgender persons, persons with disabilities) and other marginalized communities with a focus on Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and Sindh. These bulletins are translated and disseminated in Urdu and other regional languages such as Pashto (audio version only) & Sindhi to reach far and wide to help citizens build resilience and fight against the pandemic. The bulletins are also shared with a range of stakeholders from the general public, to government departments, donors, CSOs and humanitarian networks via online and offline means.

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Vaccination Statistics

Partially Vaccinated

29,789,315

LAST 24 HOURS: 903,331



Fully Vaccinated

7,635,391

LAST 24 HOURS: 193,219



Total Doses Administered

37,424,706

LAST 24 HOURS: 1,096,550



Myths vs Facts



People of all ages can be infected with COVID-19. However pre-existing medical conditions like asthma, heart disease and diabetes and old age make one more prone to the virus. Despite rumours that young kids are immune to COVID-19, children are more susceptible to the disease. Early child development requires a healthy environment to have healthy brain development. In fact COVID-19 and the social restrictions can impair a child's ability to learn, interact and grow. Teenagers and youngsters are similarly being affected. The social restriction conditions are depriving them of effective means to develop social skills, necessary in finding means to earn and lead a healthy life in the future. Therefore, it is inaccurate to deduce that they are completely safe from catching the COVID-19.

Source: WHO

Lately, there has been a common apprehension among the public to use sanitizers available in public places. The World Health Organization (WHO) states that communal bottles of alcohol-based sanitizers are completely safe to use. Centers for Disease Control And Prevention (CDC) recommends consumers use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol. Hence any germs present on our hands are readily killed, considering hands are properly sanitized. It is important to note that disinfecting hands through a communal bottle is far safer than not using a sanitizer at all.

Source: WHO



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KSA allows pilgrims from green list countries to perform Umrah

Saudi authorities have decided to allow almost 20,000 pilgrims to enter the kingdom and perform Umrah. Only pilgrims belonging from countries not under KSA's travel ban will be able to avail this opportunity. This means pilgrims from Pakistan cannot perform Umrah this year since KSA has placed the country under its travel ban. Other countries included in the red list are Argentina, Afghanistan, Brazil, Egypt, Ethiopia, Turkey, India, Indonesia, Lebanon, United Arab Emirates, and Vietnam.

The applicants are also expected to be fully vaccinated, healthy and to follow all designated safety protocols

Source: The Gulf Talk

Sindh government has declared 11 COVID-19 mass vaccination centres to operate 24/7 in Karachi

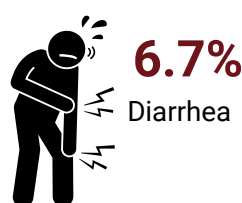
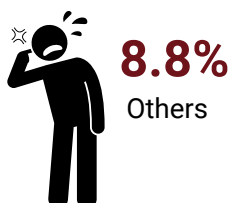
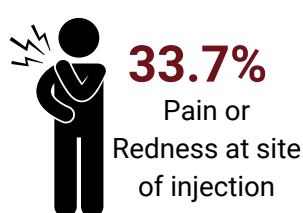
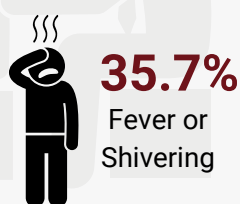
About 11 COVID-19 vaccination centres (CVCs) have been designated as mass vaccination centres. The announcement by the provincial health department comes at a time when CVCs like Expo Centre and Khalikdina Hall witnessed unexpected large numbers and mass chaos. This was proving detrimental to the whole purpose of social distancing and stopping COVID-19 transmission.

The mass vaccination centres are spread over six districts of Karachi. The respective districts are East district, West district, Central district, South district, Korang district and Malir district. The name of hospitals declared as MVCs can be found on the link below:

<https://www.brecorder.com/news/40110508>

Source: Brecorder

Known Side-Effects after vaccination



Source: Govt of Pakistan



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NCOC changes strategy-launches door to door COVID vaccination drive

The National Command and Operation Centre (NCOC) had earlier decided to impose a smart lockdown in areas hit by COVID-19. Even though this could have prevented the transmission of the virus, it would have severely affected the economy. Especially at a time when policymakers are trying to hold the country's economy together in front of the IMF. In a much-welcomed change of strategy, NCOC has decided to vaccinate every citizen in the virus hit areas through a door-to-door COVID-19 vaccination drive. For this purpose, mobile vaccination teams will be set up to carry out the vaccination in affected areas.

The decision from NCOC came after the country was hit by the 4th wave, propelled by the Indian-origin Delta variant. The new plan aims to decrease the 10 percent and above positivity ratio in five districts of the country.

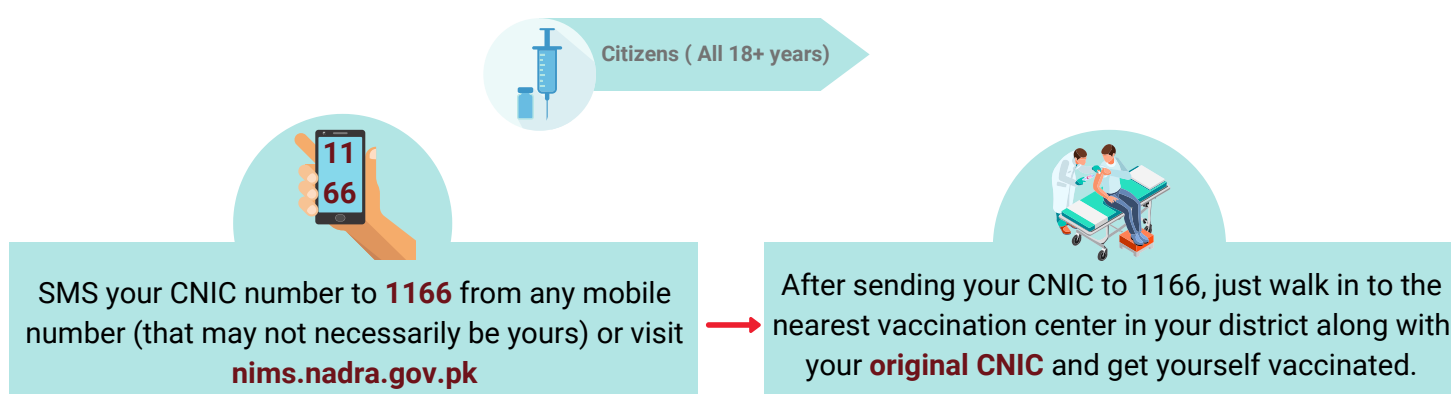
Source: ARY

On spot vaccination allowed for citizens without CNICs in Karachi

Sindh Health Department has confirmed that Karachi citizens who do not have computerized national identity cards can now avail vaccination. For this purpose, on-spot biometric verification will be made available at designated Mass COVID-19 Vaccination Centers. According to media coordinator of Health Department, Expo Centre Karachi has the facility available. However, it will soon be expanded to other centers. Till then citizens can use valid mobile numbers for registration.

source: dawn

Registration Process for COVID-19 Vaccination



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Major vaccination centers in KP and Sindh

KP

Peshawar

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|------------------------|-------------|
| • RHC Regi | 03335042588 |
| • MCHC Mattani | 03459146891 |
| • Public Health School | 03339611020 |

Charsadda

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|---------------------|-------------|
| • BHU Muhammad Nari | 03045270647 |
| • DHQ Charsadda | 03339015031 |
| • RHC Battagram | 03149160346 |

Mardan

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|--------------------------|-------------|
| • DHQ Hospital Mardan | 03005921350 |
| • Mardan Medical Complex | 0333929881 |
| • THQ Takht Bhai | 03339191353 |

Swabi

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|----------------|-------------|
| • BHU Jhanda | 03005921350 |
| • BHU Kotha | 0333929881 |
| • CH Kalu Khan | 03339191353 |

Haripur

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|------------------------|-------------|
| • CD Kot Najibullah | 03059349975 |
| • Civil Hospital KTS | 03330928292 |
| • DHQ Hospital Haripur | 03155046070 |

Sindh

Sukkur

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|-----------------------------|--------------|
| • IHS Hospital Labour Flats | 0715811532 |
| • TH PANO AKIL | 0715690500 |
| • TH ROHRI | 0333 7128627 |

Khairpur

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|---------------------------|-------------|
| • Ranipur | 03347382264 |
| • Thari Mir Wah | 03333960839 |
| • Taluka Hospital Kotdeji | 03013582910 |

Shikarpur

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|--------------------------|-------------|
| • 9. R.H.C. Sultan Kot | 03337577008 |
| • 30. R.H.C. Khanpur | 03003131100 |
| • 32. R.H.C. Garhi Yasin | 03453945330 |

Jacobabad

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|----------------------------|-------------|
| • CIVIL Hospital Jacobabad | 03337341698 |
| • Taluka Hospital Thul | 03335765590 |
| • RHC Garhi Hassan | 03003174277 |

Larkana

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|------------------------|-------------|
| • T.H.Dokri | 03337517256 |
| • CMC Hospital Larkana | 03337533685 |
| • Ratodero | 03453852452 |



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Where can I get tested?

Islamabad	National Institute of Health Park Road, Chak Shahzad, Islamabad
Karachi	Agha Khan University Hospital, Stadium Road, Karachi, Sindh
Hyderabad	Liaquat University of Medical and Health Sciences (LUMHS), Liberty Market Roundabout, Liaquat University Hospital, Hyderabad
Khairpur	Gambat Institute of Medical Sciences, Gambat, Khairpur, Sindh
Peshawar	Hayatabad Medical Complex Phase-4 Phase 4 Hayatabad, Peshawar, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.
Mardan	Chughtai Lab Mardan point, near Allied Bank, Shamsi Road, Mardan, KP
Haripur	Excel Labs, TMA Plaza Shop No. 6, Near Girls Degree College Circular Road Haripur, KP
Lahore	Shaukat Khanum Memorial Hospital, 7A Block R-3 M.A. Johar Town, Lahore, Punjab
Multan	Nishtar Hospital Nishtar Road, Justice Hamid Colony, Multan
Rawalpindi	Armed Forces Institute of Pathology, Range Road, CMH Complex, Rawalpindi, Punjab
Quetta	Fatima Jinnah Hospital Bahadurabad, Wahdat Colony, Quetta
Muzaffarabad	Abbas Institute of Medical Sciences (AIMS), Ambore, Muzaffarabad, Azad Kashmir
Gilgit	District Headquarters Hospital, Hospital Road, Gilgit, GB

For more cities visit the [COVID-19 Health Advisory Platform](#)



You can reach us at **+92-333-5873268** on **WhatsApp** to share any **COVID-19 related** rumors, myths, and misinformation that is being spread around your community. Through our Coronavirus CivActs Campaign weekly bulletins, we will **debunk these rumors** and disseminate **validated information**.



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