

“It’s the co-operation from all citizens that will make the response complete; this should be everybody’s business, each and every individual should do everything to protect himself or herself and to protect others and should listen to the advice of the national authorities.”

- Dr Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus



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Daily Brief on COVID-19 in Lebanon | 11 May 2020

LEBANON COVID-19 DAILY BRIEF updates

Cumulative cases

859

New cases

14

Recoveries

234

Total deaths

26

New deaths

0

Total tests since 10 April 2020 **43 941**

Today **509 (13+)** RESIDENTS

40 (1+) REPATRIATES

Highlight

- Lebanon is still in **Level 3 of COVID 19** transmission scenarios “Lebanon is experiencing cases clusters in time, geographic location and/or common exposure (Clusters of cases)”.
- All returning passengers are tested at the airport upon arrival. Tests are sent to the laboratory and the reported numbers below reflect the results that are out from the previous day’s testing.
- The WHO Academy app to support health workers to easily access all the WHO COVID-19 guidance, tools and learning is now available in Arabic, English, French: [Apple app store](#) | [Android](#)

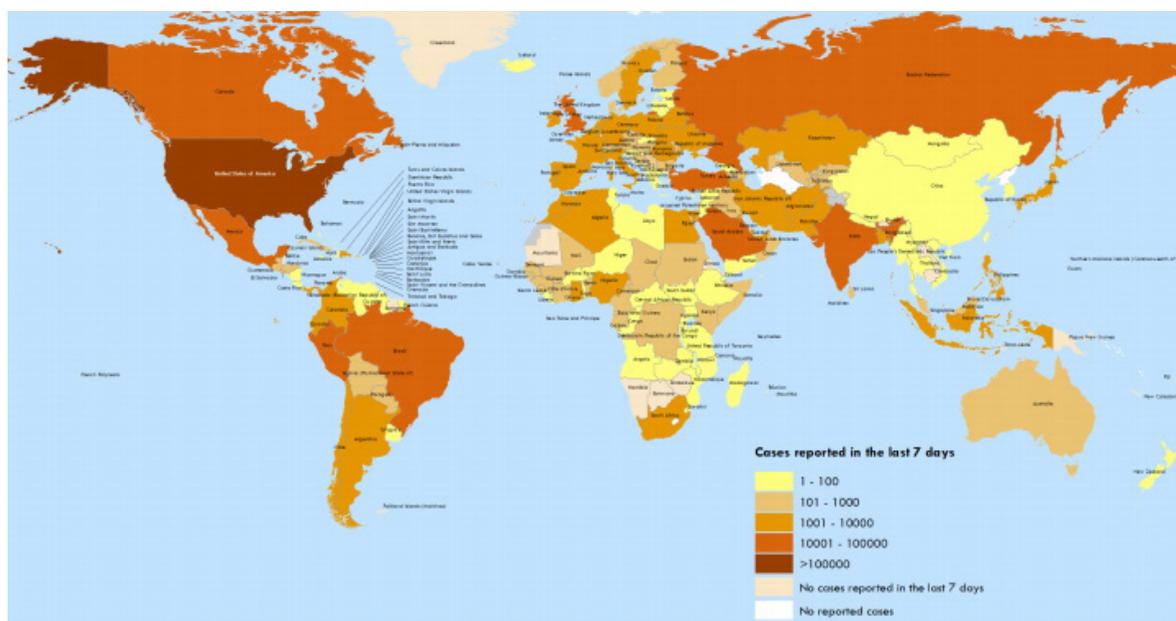


Figure 1. Countries or areas with reported confirmed cases of COVID-19, 11 May 2020 from WHO sitrep

Regional updates

Cumulative cases

271 361

New cases

7 240

Total deaths

9 085

New deaths

81

Global updates

Cumulative cases

4 006 257

New cases

63 139

Total deaths

278 892

New deaths

4 531



Figure 1: Cases by age group

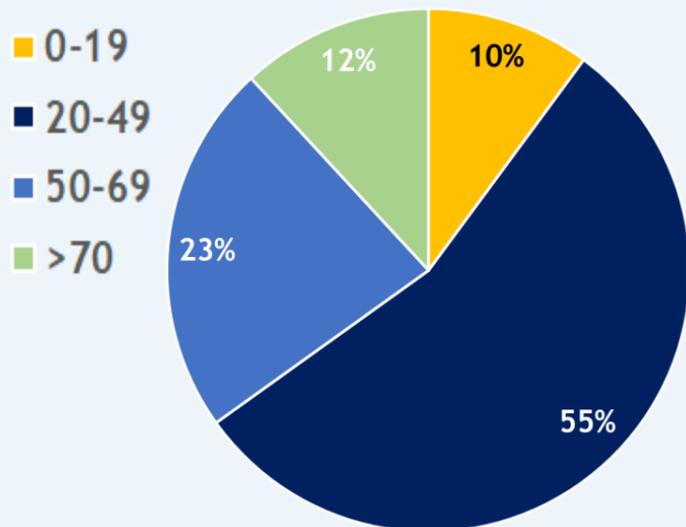


Figure 2: Cases by source of exposure

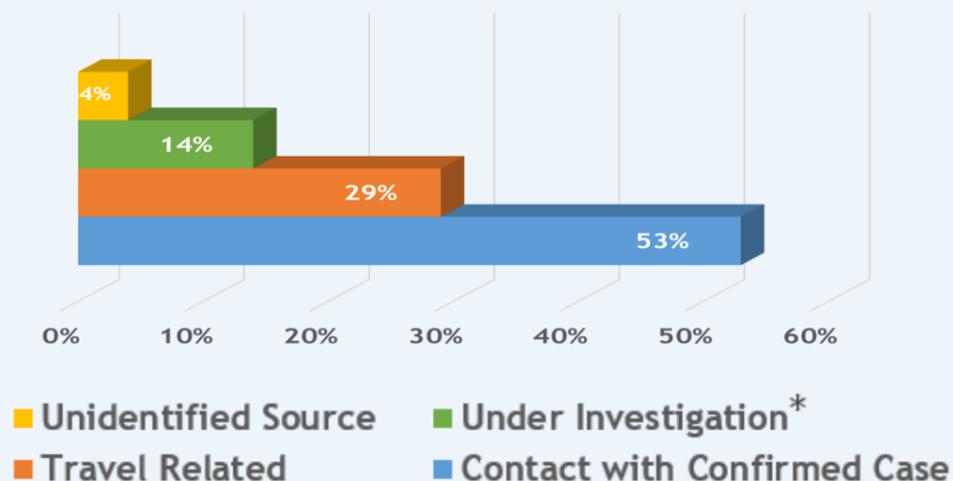


Figure 3: Cases by clinical presentation

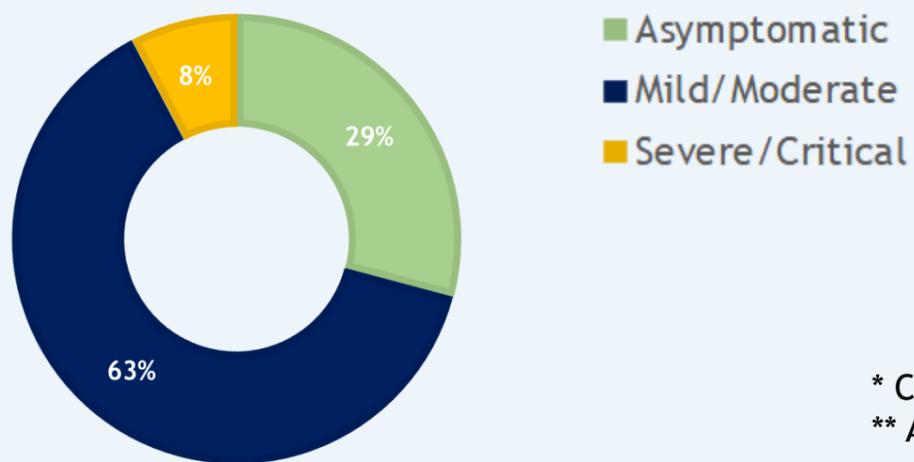


Figure 4: Cases by date of confirmation

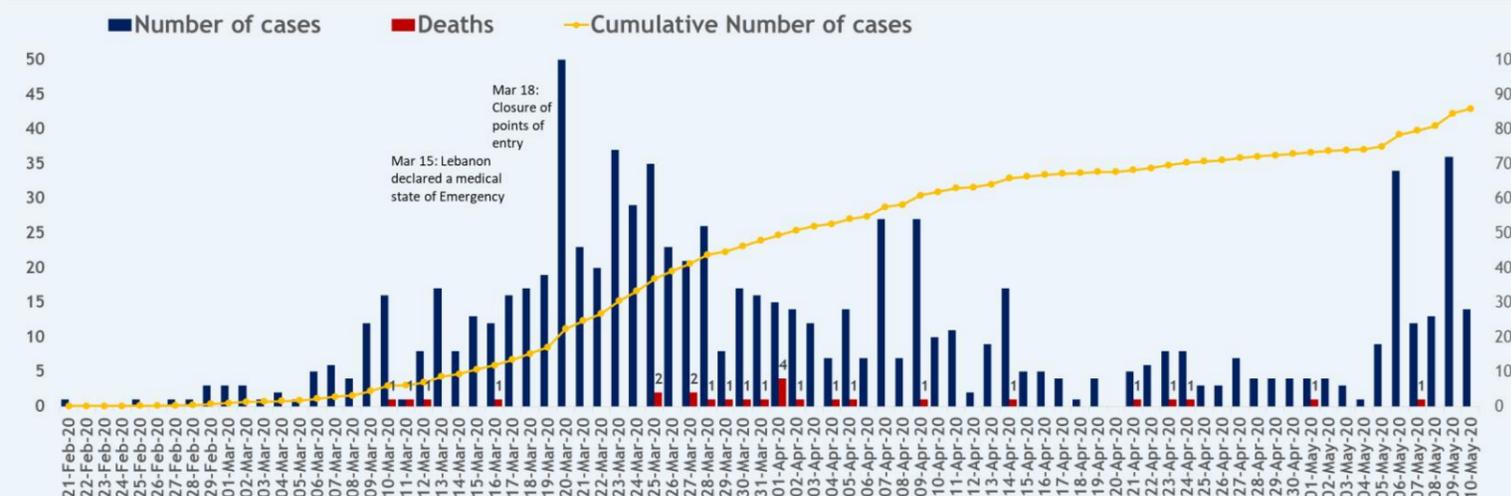
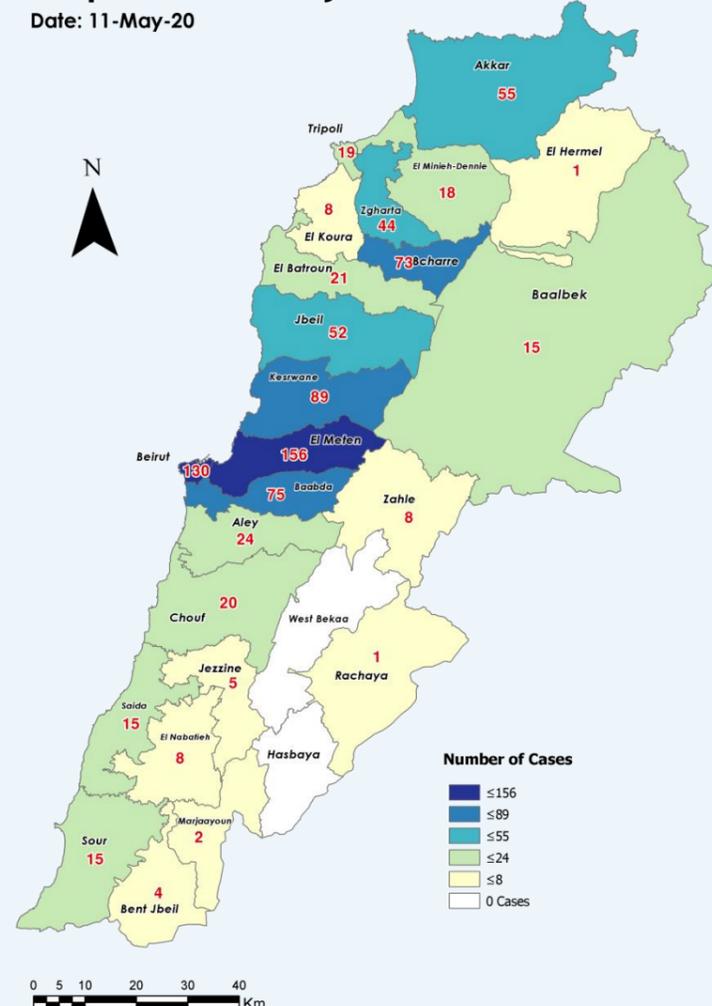


Table 1: Distribution of fatalities by age group

Age (years)	Deaths (n)	CFR
<10y	0	0.0%
10-19y	0	0.0%
20-29y	0	0.0%
30-39y	0	0.0%
40-49y	1	0.9%
50-59y	4	3.4%
60-69y	4	5.5%
70-79y	9	15.2%
80+y	8	21.5%
Total	26	3.3%

Map 1 : Cases by district of residence



859 Cumulative cases of COVID-19

- 14 new cases
- 64 healthcare workers
- 26 associated deaths

Call center:

- 7894 Cumulative calls received
- 534 referred to RHUH

* Cases under investigation have not yet been classified by exposure
 ** Addition of new reporting laboratories

WHO Support to the Reinforcement of Continuum of Care in Public Hospitals

During the current COVID-19 outbreak, WHO is collaborating with the MOPH and other health partners to strengthen Lebanon's public healthcare system and reinforce its limited operational capacity. WHO is reinforcing the access to essential health services and supporting the intensive care capacity through procurement of relevant and life-saving ICU equipment. A total of 19 ventilators and 9 mobile X-rays were already procured and delivery is ongoing to the designated public hospitals. In addition, 4 cardiac monitors with a central monitoring station were procured by WHO and delivered to Rafik Hariri University Hospital to support the isolation ward.

WHO will be also supporting healthcare services in the hard to reach areas in the country. In this regard, a project is under preparation to accelerate the capacity expansion of the 11 governorate public hospitals spread across different geographical areas.

This project will increase access to healthcare, particularly COVID-19 care, for the most vulnerable population groups across the country, and improve Lebanon's public healthcare COVID-19 management and surveillance system. The project is based on the care model for COVID-19 on *Figure 1* below.

The project will contribute to the resilience and coping capacities of the most vulnerable patients and their families, through facilitating access to basic essential and life-saving services to decrease morbidity and health complications, and avoid further impoverishment caused by COVID-19.

WHO in collaboration with relevant stakeholders will continue to work on strengthening Lebanon's public healthcare system in order to mitigate the impact of the current pandemic and ensure the preparedness of the country for future public health emergencies while safeguarding equity for vulnerable populations.

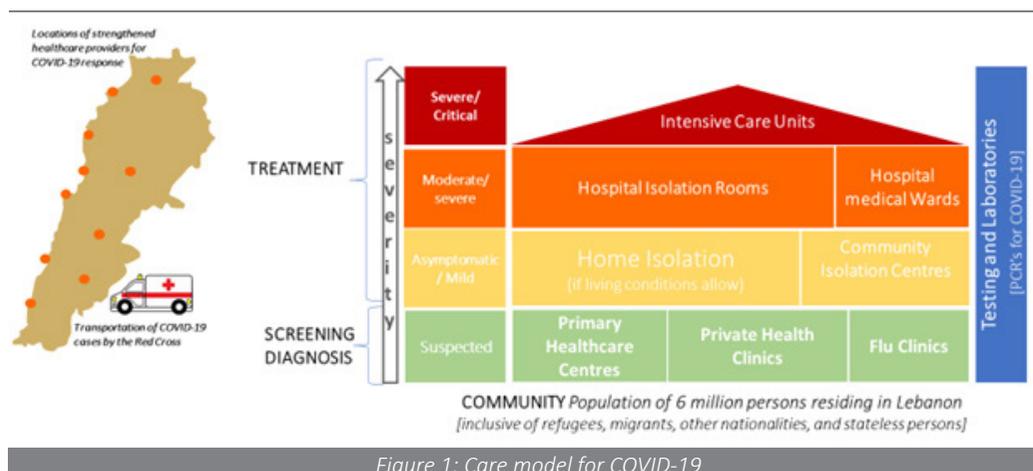


Figure 1: Care model for COVID-19

List of Governorate pre-selected hospitals

1. Baalbek governmental hospital
2. Dahr El Bachek governmental hospital
3. Halba governmental hospital
4. Hasbaya governmental hospital
5. Hermel governmental hospital
6. Menye governmental hospital
7. Nabatiye governmental hospital
8. Saida governmental hospital
9. Siblin governmental hospital
10. Tyr governmental hospital
11. Karantina governmental hospital*

*For children and adolescent with MH conditions and COVID-19 infection

Guides

- > COVID-19: Operational guidance for maintaining essential health services during an outbreak. [Click here](#)
- > Operational considerations for case management of COVID-19 in health facility and community. [Click here](#)
- > Clinical care of severe acute respiratory infections – Tool kit. [Click here](#)
- > Clinical management of severe acute respiratory infection when COVID-19 is suspected. [Click here](#)

Useful Links

- WHO [dashboard](#)
- WHO [COVID-19 page](#)
- Protect yourself ([English/Arabic](#))
- Q&A ([English/Arabic](#))
- WHO Lebanon [website](#)
- WHO Lebanon [Facebook](#) | [Twitter](#) | [Instagram](#)

Important numbers

- MOPH Hotline **1214**
- Call Centre **01-594459**
- Airport quarantine section 01-629352
- Preventive medicine center 01-843769 | 01-830300
- Epidemiological Surveillance Unit 01-614194 | 01-614196
- WHO Lebanon 01-612970/1/2