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Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) - Situation Report – 17.12.2020 – 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		616
Returnees (+ close contacts) from other countries	Sri Lankans	5
	Foreigners	0
Kandakadu Rehab. Center detainees and their contacts		0
Hospital samples (admitted with clinical signs/symptoms)		0
Minuwangoda/Peliyagoda cluster		560
Prison cluster		51

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
8312	616	701	3	8224

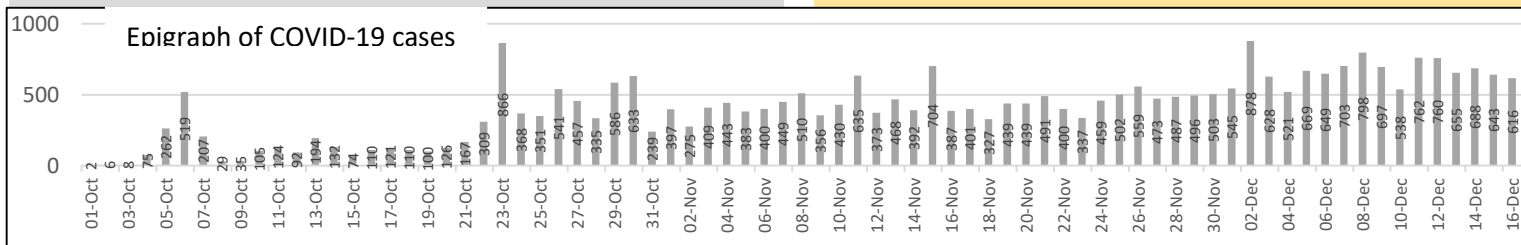
Local Situation

Total Number Confirmed		34737
Imported Cases (Returnees from other countries)	Foreigners	126
	Sri Lankans	1628
Local Cases	Navy & their close contacts	950
	Kandakadu cluster & their close contacts	651
	Minuwangoda/Peliyagoda/ Prison cluster	31069
	Others	313

Total Number Confirmed	34737
Total Number Recovered	26353
Total Number of Deaths	160
Confirmed and hospitalized - today 10 am	8224

Suspected and hospitalized - today 10 am	467
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	Hospital distribution of COVID 19 diagnosed patients					
	Inward Today 10am			Discharged during last		
	SL	Foreign	Total	SL	Foreign	Total
NIID	136	0	136	17	0	17
BH Welikanda	78	0	78	15	0	15
Iranawla Hospital	100	0	100	5	0	5
BH Minuwangoda	50	0	50	1	0	1
Colombo East Base Hospital	88	0	88	5	0	5
TH Anuradhapura	104	0	104	0	0	0
Neville F'do hospital	433	0	433	45	0	45
DGH Hambanthota	192	4	196	41	1	42
DH Rambukkana	75	0	75	0	0	0
Kamburugamuwa	204	0	204	14	0	14
Kathankudy hospital	123	0	123	1	0	1
BH Theldeniya	78	0	78	9	0	9
BH Homagama	168	0	168	0	0	0
BH Galgamuwa	10	0	10	6	0	6
DH Abanpola	42	0	42	4	0	4
DH Lunawa	64	0	64	17	0	17
DH Ingiriya	36	0	36	5	0	5
DH Kosgama	43	2	45	0	0	0
DH Dankotuwa	73	0	73	0	0	0
DH Divulpitiya	58	0	58	22	0	22
DH Laggala Pallegama	89	0	89	9	0	9
DH Dompe	39	0	39	3	0	3
DH Pimbura	47	0	47	1	0	1
DH Karadinyanaru	88	0	88	0	0	0
DH Radawana	45	0	45	1	0	1
Ichchilampattu Hospital	44	0	44	2	0	2
DH Padiyathalawa	61	0	61	0	0	0
NHRD (Welisara)	30	0	30	0	0	0
DH Palamune	85	0	85	3	0	3
DH Undugoda	60	0	60	8	0	8
DH Narammala	43	0	43	6	0	6
DH Iththepana	29	0	29	1	0	1
DH Mathugama	43	0	43	2	0	2
DH Bandaragama	26	0	26	1	0	1
DH Nochchiyagama	54	0	54	0	0	0
DH Nawagamuwa	19	0	19	0	0	0
DH Bandarawela	96	0	96	0	0	0
Army hospital Panagoda	14	0	14	0	0	0
NIMH	3	0	3	0	0	0
Kandakadu treatment	332	0	332	105	0	105
Gallela treatment centre	433	0	433	1	0	1
Punani treatment centre	671	0	671	0	0	0
Embilipitiya treatment centre	161	0	161	0	0	0
Kahagolla treat. Centre	0	0	0	0	0	0
Samanalawewa treatment centre	102	0	102	0	0	0
Rehabilitation centre Ampara	55	0	55	34	0	34
Kahawatta treat. centre	222	0	222	7	0	7
Wathupitiwela Treat. Centre	131	0	131	3	0	3
Bingiriya treat. centre	455	0	455	94	0	94
Rambukkana treat. centre	265	0	265	10	0	10
Polgolla treatment centre	158	0	158	33	0	33
Yakkala treatment centre	105	0	105	2	0	2
Kopai treatment centre	448	0	448	0	0	0
Police training school Kalutara	86	0	86	0	0	0
Karadeniya treatment centre	90	0	90	24	0	24
Panideniya treat. centre	243	0	243	48	0	48
Koggala Long beach Treat. Centre	24	0	24	7	0	7
Darga town treatment centre	163	0	163	1	0	1
BH Warakapola	119	0	119	5	0	5
Krishnapuram Treatment Center - Killinochchi	110	0	110	1	0	1
Dambadeniya Treat.	260	0	260	47	0	47
Hikkaduwa treat centre	207	0	207	15	0	15
Weligama Treat. centre	68	0	68	19	0	19



Number of COVID -19 suspected patients – 467

Hospital	Total suspected up to now			Today 10am		
	SL	Forei.	Total	SL	Forei.	Total
NIID	1214	76	1278	11	0	11
NHSL	2661	16	2677	22	0	22
TH Ragama	2457	5	2462	5	0	5
TH Karapitiya	710	26	737	5	0	5
TH A'pura	1785	2	1787	6	0	6
TH Kurun.	1229	1	1230	18	0	18
TH Jaffna	287	2	289	1	0	1
NH Kandy	553	6	559	12	0	12
TH Batti.	357	0	357	2	0	2
DGH Gampaha	718	4	722	1	0	1
DGH Negombo	1824	15	1839	12	0	12
TH Rathn.	609	0	609	5	0	5
PGH Badulla	225	2	227	2	0	2
LRH	347	0	347	5	0	5
DMH	1446	1	1447	19	0	19
DGH Polon'wa	913	6	919	16	0	16
TH Kalubowila	968	5	973	7	0	7
Castle St TH	692	0	692	1	0	1
BH Ham'thota	384	2	386	0	0	0
BH Mona'gala	314	0	314	5	0	5
BH Welikanda	69	1	70	0	0	0
DGH Kaluthara	1009	2	1011	5	0	5
Chest H. Welisara	926	2	928	9	0	9
Colombo East Base Hospital	169	0	169	20	0	20
G.H. Chilaw	4546	1	4447	24	0	24
G.H. Matara	158	2	160	0	0	0
KDU Hospital	4748	0	4748	72	0	72
G.H. Vavunia	244	0	244	0	0	0
B.H. Marawila	285	1	286	0	0	0
S.J.Pura TH	8223	2	8225	172	0	172
BH Theldeniya	64	0	64	6	0	6
BH Tangalle	55	0	55	4	0	4
Total	Incorrect to total as transfers counts in both the institutions			467	0	467

Source: Epidemiology Unit, Disease Surveillance System

District Distribution of Confirmed Patients

HEALTH DISTRICT	Count
COLOMBO	14405
GAMPAHA	7627
PUTTALAM	373
KALUTARA	2038
ANURADHAPURA	110
KANDY	956
KURUNEGALA	481
POLONNARUWA	34
JAFFNA	83
RATNAPURA	386
KEGALLE	254
MONERAGALA	64
KALMUNAI	464
MATALE	74
GALLE	409
AMPARA	37
BADULLA	151
MATARA	134
BATTICOLOA	99
HAMBANTOTA	79
VAVUNIA	23
TRINCOMALEE	28
NUWARAELIYA	301
KILINOCHCHI	14
MANNAR	14
MULLATIVU	3

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