



## Epidemiology Unit Ministry of Health

231, De Saram Place, Colombo 10, Sri Lanka

Tele: (+94 11) 2695112, 2681548, 4740490, 4740491, 4740492 Fax: (+94 11) 2696583 E-mail: [chepid@slt.net.lk](mailto:chepid@slt.net.lk), [epidunit@slt.net.lk](mailto:epidunit@slt.net.lk) Web: [www.epid.gov.lk](http://www.epid.gov.lk)

### Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) - Situation Report -17.12.2021- 10 a.m.

An outbreak of pneumonia of unknown reason was first reported on 31<sup>st</sup> December 2019 from Wuhan City in Hubei Province of China. On 7<sup>th</sup> 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		
<b>Total Confirmed</b>	<b>758</b>	
Returnees (+ close contacts) from other countries	Srilankans	<b>3</b>
	Foreigners	<b>0</b>
New Year Cluster	<b>755</b>	
Prison cluster	<b>0</b>	

Details of COVID 19 diagnosed patients – Last 24H				
Number inward as at yesterday-10 am	COVID 19 Positive – last 24H	Discharged from the hospital /home– last 24H	Number of deaths reported – last 24H	Number inward/waiting to admit/home-based as at today-10 am
<b>15791</b>	<b>758</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>16187</b>

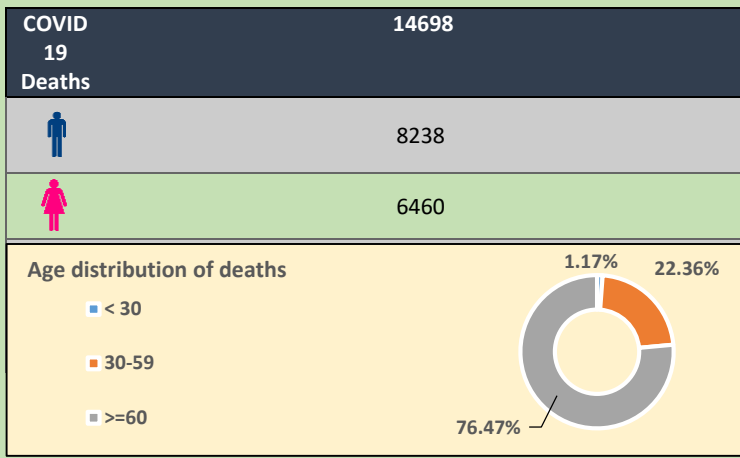
#### Local Situation

Total Number Confirmed		<b>577724</b>
Imported Cases (Returnees from other countries)	Foreigners	<b>328</b>
	Sri Lankans	<b>7008</b>
Local Cases	Navy & their close contacts	<b>950</b>
	Kandakadu cluster & their close contacts	<b>651</b>
	Minuwangoda Cluster	<b>3059</b>
	Fish Market\ Harbour Cluster	<b>82785</b>
	Prison cluster	<b>9060</b>
	New Year Cluster	<b>473570</b>
Others	<b>313</b>	
<b>Total Number Confirmed</b>		<b>577724</b>
Total Number Recovered		<b>546839</b>
Total Number of Deaths		<b>14698</b>
Hospitalized/waiting to admit/ home-based – today 10 am		<b>16187</b>

<b>Suspected – today 10 am</b>	<b>2327</b>
--------------------------------	-------------

COVID-19 Vaccination	
<b>AstraZeneca Vaccine</b>	<b>No</b>
1 <sup>st</sup> dose	<b>1,479,631</b>
2 <sup>nd</sup> dose	<b>1,418,593</b>
<b>Sinopharm Vaccine</b>	
1 <sup>st</sup> dose	<b>11,960,092</b>
2 <sup>nd</sup> dose	<b>10,972,235</b>
<b>Sputnik V</b>	
1 <sup>st</sup> dose	<b>159,110</b>
2 <sup>nd</sup> dose	<b>155,812</b>
<b>Pfizer</b>	
1st dose	<b>1,560,655</b>
2 <sup>nd</sup> dose	<b>469,819</b>
3 <sup>rd</sup> dose	<b>2,058,791</b>
<b>Moderna</b>	
1st dose	<b>804,801</b>
2nd dose	<b>787,361</b>

COVID-19 - PCR Positives				
District	1 <sup>st</sup> wave	2 <sup>nd</sup> wave	3 <sup>rd</sup> wave	Total
Colombo	174	32123	84200	116497
Gampaha	51	18483	81559	100093
Kalutara	72	6986	46489	53547
Kandy	19	5710	14200	19929
Kurunagala	30	3191	25053	28274
Galle	4	2645	34413	37062
Ratnapura	9	3654	16992	20655
Matara	4	1544	15268	16816
Matale	5	1214	13140	14359
Nuwara Eli ya	2	1259	10651	11912
Kegalle	10	1770	10889	12669
Jaffna	16	1441	10127	11584
Badulla	4	1358	12034	13396
Puttalam	39	1024	12602	13665
Anuradhapura	31	820	11535	12386
Hambantota	3	710	14324	15037
Trincomalee	4	651	3630	4285
Monaragala	6	545	12587	13138
Polonnaruwa	10	475	4517	5002
Ampara	9	498	12388	12895
Kalmunai	18	1296	3800	5114
Batticaloa	1	699	8464	9164
Vavuniya	2	623	2940	3565
Mullaitivu	0	278	1762	2040
Kilinochchi	0	250	8265	8515
Mannar	0	379	2092	2471



**Number of COVID -19 suspected patients reported for the last 24 hours**  
2327

Hospital	Today 10am		
	SL	Forei.	Total
NIID	4	0	4
NHSL	488	0	488
TH Ragama	256	0	256
TH Karapitiya	382	0	382
TH A'pura	44	0	44
TH Kurun.	13	0	13
TH Jaffna	1	0	1
NH Kandy	59	0	59
TH Batti.	0	0	0
DGH Gampaha	220	0	220
DGH Negombo	7	0	7
TH Rathn.	17	0	17
PGH Badulla	11	0	11
LRH	10	0	10
DMH	3	0	3
DGH Polon'wa	167	0	167
TH Kalubowila	135	0	135
Castle St TH	27	0	27
BH Hambanthota	0	0	0
BH Mona'gala	40	0	40
BH Welikanda	0	0	0
DGH Kaluthara	18	0	18
Chest H. Welisara	15	0	15
Colombo East Base	15	0	15
G.H. Chilaw	33	0	33
G.H. Matara	0	0	0
KDU Hospital	64	0	64
G.H. Vavunia	60	0	60
B.H. Marawila	78	0	78
S.J.Pura TH	99	0	99
BH Theldeniya	15	0	15
BH Tangalle	10	0	10
NIMH	36	0	36
<b>Total</b>	<b>2327</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2327</b>

