COMMUNICATION ALERTS.


- 12 more persons test positive for COVID-19. Total number of confirmed cases reach **246**. 5 are hotel workers and 4 are from contact tracing.
- New cases detected from 450 samples tested.
- Kenyans reminded that whilst the GoK continues to execute its Covid-19 response plan, success or failure of the plan rests on everyone’s shoulders.

MoH COVID-19 updates as of 18th April 2020.

- **16** persons test positive for Coronavirus bringing the total number of confirmed cases to **262**. (15 Kenyans, 1 foreigner out of which 12 are males & 4 are females aged between 23 and 84 years of age.) Neither has history of travel nor detected from quarantine centers.
- Out of the total COVID 19 confirmed cases, 236 are Kenyans while rest are foreign nationals.
- The New cases detected from 1,115 samples tested.
- New cases by county: Nairobi 9, Mombasa 5, Homabay 1
- A total of 2,609 monitored and 2,036 discharged out of this number. 573 contacts being followed.
- 11,909 samples have been tested so far as of this date.
- 7 more patients are discharged bringing total number of recoveries to **60**. However, 1 more person succumbs to Covid-19; total fatalities at **12**.
- Nearly all estates in Nairobi have reported COVID-19 cases. As of this date, case distribution in Nairobi county is as follows: Pipeline (5), Karen (4) South C (4), Kawangware (3), Tassia (2), Utawala (4), Kitisuru (2), Parklands (2), BuruBuru (2) & Kibra (2). Donholm, Eastleigh, Hurlingham, Lavington, Runda, Ngara, Madaraka, Kasarani have reported at least one case each.