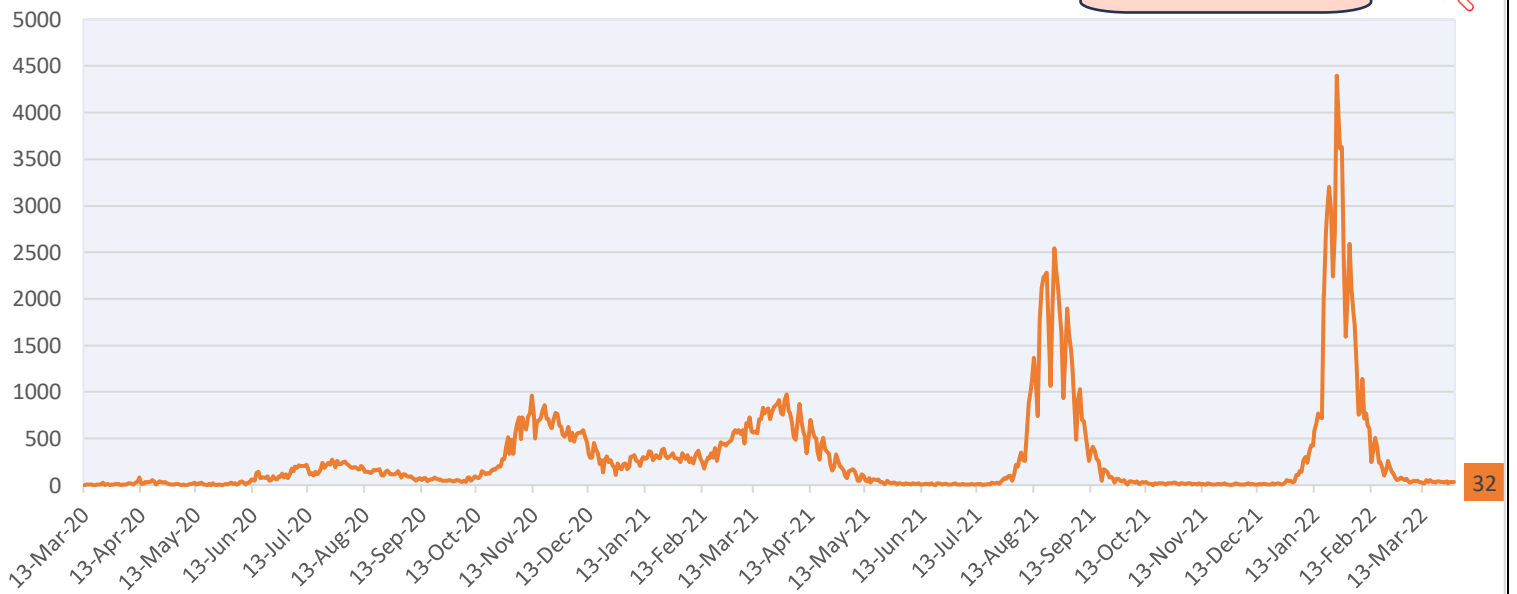


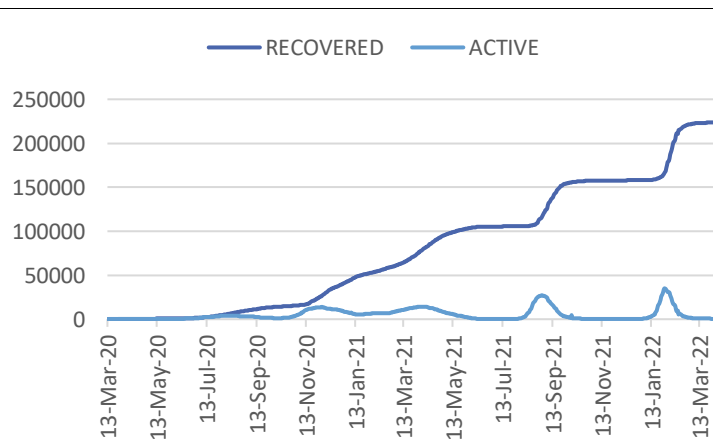
UNKT COVID-19 UPDATE		SitRep #112	
WHO figures for cases detected in Kosovo¹ (as of 30 March 2022)			Global Cases according to WHO (Data updated globally, 31 March 2022)
Identified:	227,428	Total tests performed: 1,795,233 (last 24h 903 as of 30 March) 32 - new daily cases 13 - currently hospitalized (7 COVID-19 confirmed) 2 in intensive care, 4 on oxygen-therapy, and 3,720 patients in homecare	Total COVID-19 cases:
Active	609		Total COVID-19 related deaths:
Recovered:	223,695	Case Fatality Rate -CFR 1.37	485,243,022
Casualties:	3,124	Reproduction Rate- R 0.94	6,137,553 For live update see LINK
In total, gender distribution		Total 52.6% (119,695) Female ♀	Total 47.4% (107,733) Male ♂
Total number of available Beds in UCCK clinics: 148		Number of free beds: 137	
		Total doses administered: 1,882,098	II dose: 820,402
		Booster and III dose: 100,056	Last 24hours: 278

COVID-19 daily cases, as of 30 March 2022

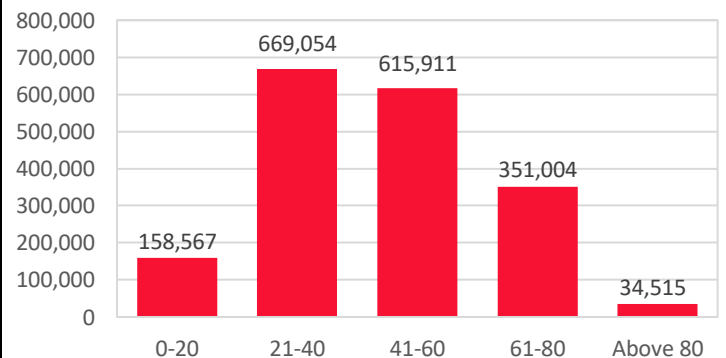


Recovered & active cases




Number of immunisations by age. View more graphs regarding vaccination: [LINK Here](#)





Number of immunisations by age as of 31 March 2022, 5:30 pm









¹ References to Kosovo shall be understood to be in the context of Security Council resolution 1244 (1999)

 <p>Entry into Kosovo requires proof of 2 doses (or proof of 1 dose plus a negative PCR test.) New relaxed measures entered into force from 1 March. For full list of current measures and please see government decision LINK</p>	 <p>COVID-19 positive cases among Health Care Workers are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Total: 7,088 (3.1% of total population) • Physicians: 2,241 • Nurse 4,302 • Physiotherapists: 132 <p>Pharmacists: 413</p>	 <p>To further strengthen the capacity of Kosovo's medical laboratories, WHO organized a three-day training (14-16 March 2022) on Laboratory Quality Management Training using the Quality Stepwise Implementation. As a result of the training, 20 healthcare professionals from the Institute of Public Health deepened their knowledge on laboratory quality management system.</p>
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 <p>30 March, UNICEF This week, a series of workshops have been taking place with pharmacists from 7 regions of Kosovo on data collection & communication skills for COVID-19 vaccination. The trainings focus on communicating about COVID-19 vaccines, tackling vaccine hesitancy, and debunking myths. LINK</p>	 <p>21 March, UN Women in partnership with Horizon Consulting, we are offering high-impact and free health care service that responds to the needs of vulnerable and hard-to-reach communities. Mobile clinic is operating in the framework of European Union Kosovo funded project "Response to COVID-19 Emergency and early recovery support" implemented jointly with UNDP Kosovo. LINK</p>	<p>To identify vaccination coverage gaps during 2020-21, WHO and the Institute of Public Health (IPH) organized a two-day workshop "Routine immunization coverage – issues and concerns 2020-2021" on 30 - 31 March 2021. As a result, 100 participants representing 38 municipalities identified and examined coverage gaps, challenges and concerns to increase the coverage of routine vaccination.</p>
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Due to COVID-19, diagnostic and treatment level for other contagious diseases have decreased. WHO calls for re-boosting of health systems in order to provide more diagnostic and treatment opportunities for Tuberculosis. See below some materials disseminated on World Tuberculosis Day 24 March.

 <p>Rapid diagnosis means patients can get treatment early and get back to living their lives.</p> <p>TEST TREAT PREVENT TB</p>	<p>Quick diagnosis and treatment make all the difference! New treatments mean #TB patients don't need hospital care and quickly stop being infectious</p>	 <p>Protect progress. Maintain TB services during the COVID-19 pandemic. Detect and treat TB.</p> <p>TEST TREAT PREVENT TB</p>	<p>Fewer people have been diagnosed with #TB since the start of the #COVID19 pandemic. This means many people aren't getting the treatment they need to #EndTB</p>
<p>#DigitalHealth solutions are leading the way to a future where testing for #TB is easier & treatment is faster</p>	 <p>Easy-to-use digital tools for TB screening can support health workers in communities to test for TB</p> <p>TEST TREAT PREVENT TB</p>	<p>New preventive treatments mean that people who are at high-risk of #TB are better protected. Another step forward in the journey to #EndTB</p>	 <p>If infected with TB, preventive treatment can protect from developing TB in the future.</p> <p>TEST TREAT PREVENT TB</p>
 <p>Video-supported treatment for TB can be delivered comfortably and conveniently at home.</p> <p>TEST TREAT PREVENT TB</p>	<p>Treatment for #TB can take place at home – keeping families together, saving money & helping relieve pressure on health systems</p>	 <p>Home-based, fully oral treatment regimens have better success rates for treating drug resistant TB.</p> <p>TEST TREAT PREVENT TB</p>	<p>Let's face it – swallowing a pill is easier than daily injections. One of the main drivers of an increase in drug-resistant #TB is incomplete or unsuccessful treatment. That's why all-oral treatments that can be taken at home are helping #EndTB</p>