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Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) - Situation Report – 17.3.2022 – 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.

New Cases reported for the last 24 Hrs 320

Number inward/waiting to admit/home based 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
16025	320	66	1	16278

*Discharges of Individuals who completed 10 days of home-based care, tri forces, police, or prison between 5th to 15th March 2022 were deducted from previous

Local Situation

Total Number Confirmed		657134
Imported Cases (Returnees from other countries)	Foreigners	328
	Sri Lankans	7236
Local Cases	Navy & their close contacts	950
	Kandakadu cluster & their close contacts	651
	Minuwangoda Cluster	3059
	Fish Market\ Harbour Cluster	82785
	Prison cluster	9154
	New Year Cluster	483090
	From January 1 st 2022 to date	69568
Others	313	

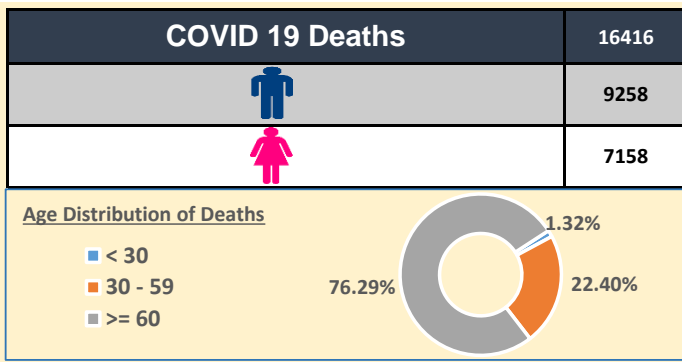
Total Number Confirmed	657134
Total Number Recovered	624440
Total Number of Deaths	16416
Hospitalized/waiting to admit/ home-based – today 10 am	16278
Suspected – today 10 am	1020

COVID-19 Vaccination

AstraZeneca Vaccine	
1st dose	1,479,631
2nd dose	1,418,593
Sinopharm Vaccine	
1st dose	12,046,416
2nd dose	11,165,060
Sputnik V	
1st dose	159,110
2nd dose	155,812
Pfizer	
1st dose	2,491,222
2nd dose	827,926
Booster dose	7,646,167
Moderna	
1st dose	804,801
2nd dose	787,361

COVID-19 - PCR Positives

District	1 st wave	2 nd wave	3 rd wave	Total
Colombo	174	32123	105077	137374
Gampaha	51	18483	95095	113629
Kalutara	72	6986	50800	57858
Kandy	19	5710	16264	21993
Kurunagala	30	3191	27988	31209
Galle	4	2645	42321	44970
Ratnapura	9	3654	19571	23234
Matara	4	1544	21233	22781
Matale	5	1214	14255	15474
Nuwara Eli ya	2	1259	11034	12295
Kegalle	10	1770	11578	13358
Jaffna	16	1441	10843	12300
Badulla	4	1358	13178	14540
Puttalam	39	1024	14040	15103
Anuradhapura	31	820	14057	14908
Hambantota	3	710	19047	19760
Trincomalee	4	651	3721	4376
Monaragala	6	545	14481	15032
Polonnaruwa	10	475	4744	5229
Ampara	9	498	13514	14021
Kalmunai	18	1296	3908	5222
Batticaloa	1	699	9158	9858
Vavuniya	2	623	3033	3658
Mullaitivu	0	278	1970	2248
Kilinochchi	0	250	9638	9888
Mannar	0	379	2146	2525



Number of COVID -19 suspected patients reported for the last 24 hours 1020

Hospital	Today 10am		
	SL	Forei.	Total
NIID	5	0	5
NHSL	254	0	254
TH Ragama	38	0	38
TH Karapitiya	120	0	120
TH A'pura	5	0	5
TH Kurun.	9	0	9
TH Jaffna	0	0	0
NH Kandy	4	0	4
TH Batti.	0	0	0
DGH Gampaha	26	0	26
DGH Negombo	3	0	3
TH Rathn.	3	0	3
PGH Badulla	7	0	7
LRH	6	0	6
DMH	7	0	7
DGH Polon'wa	136	0	136
TH Kalubowila	83	0	83
Castle St TH	33	0	33
BH Hambanthota	0	0	0
BH Mona'gala	38	0	38
BH Welikanda	0	0	0
DGH Kaluthara	6	0	6
Chest H. Welisara	7	0	7
Colombo East Base Hospital	0	0	0
G.H. Chilaw	12	0	12
G.H. Matara	0	0	0
KDU Hospital	52	0	52
G.H. Vavunia	9	0	9
B.H. Marawila	12	0	12
S.J.Pura TH	121	0	121
BH Theldeniya	3	0	3
BH Tangalle	4	0	4
NIMH	17	0	17
Total	1020	0	1020

