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Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) - Situation Report –18.11.2021– 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	728	
Returnees (+ close contacts) from other countries	Srilankans	0
	Foreigners	0
New Year Cluster	728	
Prison cluster	0	

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
13772	728	372	23	14105

Local Situation

Total Number Confirmed		553722
Imported Cases (Returnees from other countries)	Foreigners	328
	Sri Lankans	6967
Local Cases	Navy & their close contacts	950
	Kandakadu cluster & their close contacts	651
	Minuwangoda Cluster	3059
	Fish Market\ Harbour Cluster	82785
	Prison cluster	9053
	New Year Cluster	449616
Others	313	

Total Number Confirmed	553722
Total Number Recovered	525560
Total Number of Deaths	14057
Hospitalized/waiting to admit/ home-based – today 10 am	14105

Suspected – today 10 am	2416
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COVID-19 Vaccination	
AstraZeneca Vaccine	No
1 st dose	1,479,631
2 nd dose	1,418,593
Sinopharm Vaccine	
1 st dose	11,933,449
2 nd dose	10,878,837
Sputnik V	
1 st dose	159,110
2 nd dose	155,782
Pfizer	
1 st dose	1,517,384
2 nd dose	452,768
3 rd dose	144,742
Moderna	
1 st dose	804,801
2 nd dose	782,730

COVID-19 - PCR Positives				
District	1 st wave	2 nd wave	3 rd wave	Total
Colombo	174	32123	81870	114167
Gampaha	51	18483	78648	97182
Kalutara	72	6986	45481	52539
Kandy	19	5710	13861	19590
Kurunagala	30	3191	23636	26857
Galle	4	2645	31994	34643
Ratnapura	9	3654	15762	19425
Matara	4	1544	13235	14783
Matale	5	1214	12018	13237
Nuwara Eliya	2	1259	10442	11703
Kegalle	10	1770	10210	11990
Jaffna	16	1441	9835	11292
Badulla	4	1358	11623	12985
Puttalam	39	1024	12042	13105
Anuradhapura	31	820	10555	11406
Hambantota	3	710	11851	12564
Trincomalee	4	651	3596	4251
Monaragala	6	545	11184	11735
Polonnaruwa	10	475	4355	4840
Ampara	9	498	11472	11979
Kalmunai	18	1296	3793	5107
Batticaloa	1	699	8380	9080
Vavuniya	2	623	2847	3472
Mullaitivu	0	278	1694	1972
Kilinochchi	0	250	7614	7864
Mannar	0	379	2039	2418

