

# COVID-19 Turkey Infosheet

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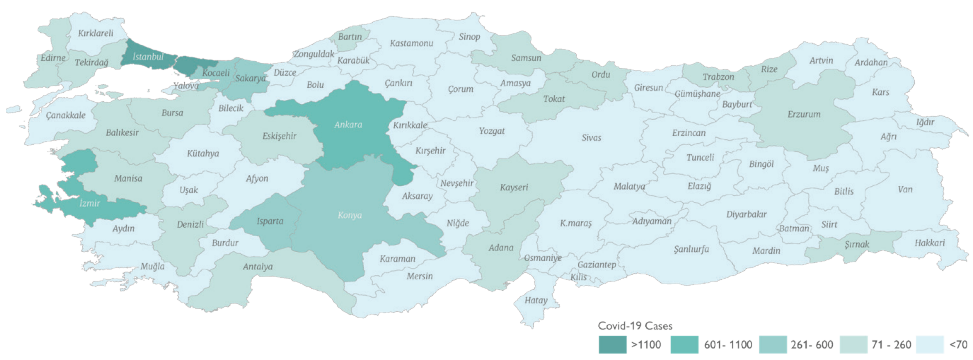
**TOP 10 PROVINCES WITH HIGHEST CASE NUMBERS\***

1	Istanbul	12,231
2	İzmir	1,105
3	Ankara	860
4	Konya	601
5	Kocaeli	500
6	Sakarya	337
7	Isparta	289
8	Bursa	259
9	Adana	241
10	Zonguldak	197

\*as of April 14

- | on May 20                    | in total                        |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| • 20,838 persons tested      | • 877 patients in ICU           |
| • 972 confirmed cases        | • 445 patients needs ventilator |
| • 1,092 patients recovered   | • 113,987 patients recovered    |
| • 23 deaths (4,222 in total) |                                 |

## CASES BY PROVINCE



## PROGRESSION

**March 10**  
Firs confirmed case of Covid-19 seen in the country

**March 17**  
First death caused by Covid-19 in the country

**April 10**  
Number of deaths caused by Covid-19 exceeded 1,000

**April 23**  
Number of confirmed cases of Covid-19 exceeded 100,000

**April 30**  
Number of tests exceeded 1,000,000

**May 7**  
Number of recovered patients exceeded 80,000

## MOVEMENT RESTRICTIONS



## SAFETY MEASURES

- Inter-city bus travel is subject to permission.
- Citizens aged 65 and over and 20 or below as well as people who suffer from a chronic illnesses are restricted from leaving their homes and walking in public areas.
- All public business including cafes, gyms, cinemas, salons, and pubs are closed; restaurants are open for takeaway only. All nonessential meetings and trainings conducted by non-governmental organizations are cancelled until further notice.
- Land and sea borders are partially open only for commercial vehicles only.
- All international flights are suspended until May 20, while domestic flights are suspended until May 28.
- There is a nationwide ban on prayer gatherings until further notice.
- Using a face mask covering mouth and nose is mandatory for visits to markets, groceries, public transportation and in private vehicles carrying at least one passenger.
- All grocery stores provide service only between 09:00 and 21:00 local time.
- The sale of non-essential items such as clothing, toys, ornaments and other accessories is temporarily suspended.
- Maritime passenger service from Istanbul province to other cities is suspended during the present outbreak.
- Restrictions are in place for entry and exit by land, air and sea for 14 major provinces (shown in above map) and Zonguldak.