COVID-19 MOVEMENT RESTRICTIONS

YEMEN MOBILITY RESTRICTION DASHBOARD #20 (27 JAN 2021)

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Reported Covid-19 Cases in Yemen
Source: National Center for Disease Control
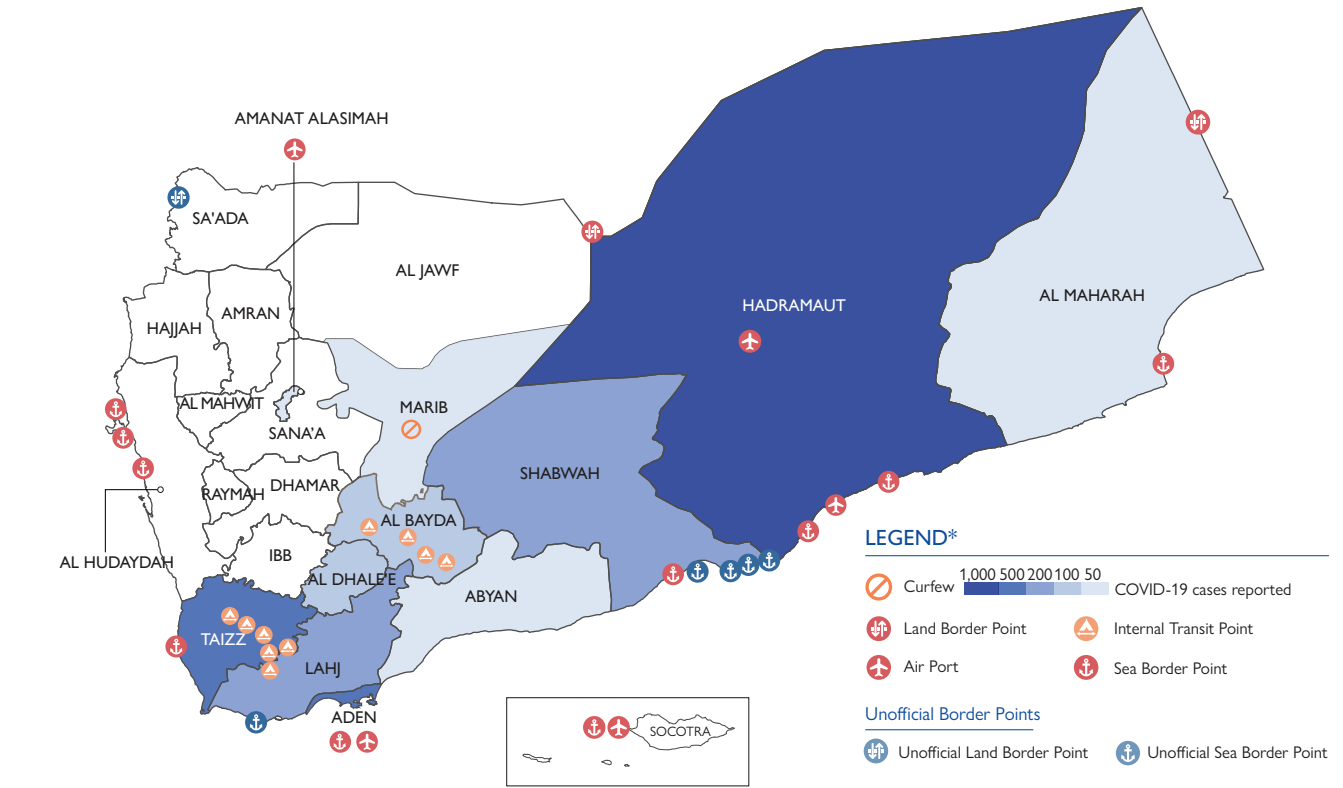
2,122 Confirmed | **1,425** Recovered | **616** Deaths

HIGHLIGHTS (From 30 Dec 2020 to 26 Jan 2021)

• 22 new cases – 07 new deaths | source: : WHO

• Updates on numbers of new cases in areas controlled by Sana'a DFA are not available.

• 1,905 migrants arrived at southern governorates (Shabwah, Lahj and Hadramaut).

• No IDP Households reported COVID-19 as the reason of displacement. So far, the total number of IDPs who have cited COVID-19 as the primary reason for displacement is 1,550 households (see RDT Dashboard for more information).

• IOM sub-office in Marib has provided courses for 120 trainees from the combined medical team to address COVID19 procedures.

• During the educational meeting in Hadramaut governorate, it was agreed that all public education schools will resume studies starting Sunday 1/31/2021

Mobility Restrictions

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the local authorities of Yemen declared a nationwide health emergency and introduced many preventative measures similar to those adopted by the rest of the world starting in March 2020, in order to reduce the transmission of the virus. The Yemeni authorities had put additional preventive measures and health screenings for people passing through ten transit points used for public movement between southern and northern governorates, specifically at points located in Taizz and Al-Bayda. Recently, these restrictions have been loosened and the health screenings have been removed. For Yemeni returnees from KSA through the Al Wadeeah border entry point, providing a COVID-19 PCR test report is mandatory by the Yemeni authorities. Authorities at Al Wadeeah entry point have installed a PCR testing facility at the entry point for travelers who arrive without a PCR test report. On 28 September 2020, Sana'a International Airport reopened for humanitarian flights. Fifteen sea border points and three land border points are reopened for movement.

Recently, on January 8, the Saudi authorities in Al Wadeeah border entry point announced the reopening of the port to travelers travelling between Yemen and Saudi Arabia, after a two week closure.

LEGEND*

⊘ Curfew	COVID-19 cases reported (1,000 500 200 100 50)
✛ Land Border Point	△ Internal Transit Point
✈ Air Port	⚓ Sea Border Point

Unofficial Border Points

⊕ Unofficial Land Border Point	⚓ Unofficial Sea Border Point

△ The movement restrictions have eased, and the health screenings have been removed from transit points.

⇕ Transit points along land borders are partially open for the entry and exit of passengers. Al Wadeeah land border point has reopened, allowing Yemenis holding a negative Covid PCR test and following health regulations to enter KSA.

✈ Sana'a International Airport has reopened for humanitarian flights.

⊘ Curfews are still in effect in Marib governorate from nine in the evening until six in the morning..

Governorate	Cases	Recovered	Deaths
Hadramaut	983	649	318
Taizz	303	221	81
Aden	298	235	36
Shabwah	147	104	39
Lahj	136	94	42
Al Bayda	73	20	56
Al Dhalee	65	25	16
Marib	51	22	10
Al Maharah	43	32	11
Abyan	29	23	6
Amanat Alasimah	4	2	2