COVID-19 MOVEMENT RESTRICTIONS

YEMEN MOBILITY RESTRICTION DASHBOARD #33



Total Reported COVID-19 Cases in Yemen as of 31 January 2022

Source: National Center for Disease Control

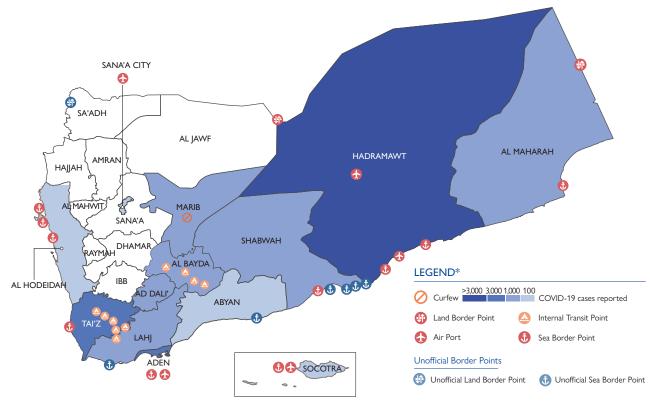
11,019_{Confirmed} 7,095_{Recovered} 2,011_{Deaths} 769,578_{Vaccinated}

HIGHLIGHTS (From 01 to 31 January 2022)

- 894 new cases 27 new deaths | source: WHO
- Updates on numbers of new cases in areas controlled by the De Facto Authorities (DFA) based in Sana'a are not available.
- 5,940 non-Yemeni migrants arrived at the Yemeni southern governorates of Lahj and Shabwah, and 5,760 Yemeni returnees arrived in Yemen from Kingdom of Saudi Arabia (KSA). (Please see January FMR report for more details). IOM has begun a COVID-19 vaccination campaign for migrants stranded in Yemen, aiming to inoculate around 7,500 people at its Migrant Response Points in Aden and Ma'rib.
- No IDP households (HH) reported COVID-19 as the reason of displacement. So far, the total number of IDP HHs who have cited COVID-19 as the primary reason for displacement is 1,559 households.
- WHO and IOM have expressed their concern about discrimination against migrants in Yemen regarding COVID-19, calling on national authorities and citizens to continue their generous and known acceptance over the years of communities at risk and their support, including the migrant community.

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 Tai'z and Al-Bayda. These restrictions have been loosened and the health screenings have been removed. For Yemeni returnees from KSA travelling through Al Wadeeah border point and from Oman travelling through Shahin border point, providing a COVID-19 PCR test report is mandatory. Fifteen sea border points and three land border points are reopened for movement.



The movement restrictions were lifted, and the health screenings have been removed from internal transit points.

Al Wadeeah land border point (between Yemen and KSA) is restricted for Yemenis, only allowing Yemenis holding a negative PCR test in addition to a COVID-19 vaccination certification to enter KSA. Al Shahin land border point (between Yemen and Oman) is open; permitting entry to Yemen from Oman subject to providing a negative PCR test. Entry to Oman requires proof of vaccination against COVID-19, certified by the local authorities in Oman.

- International Airports in Sana'a, Aden, Sayun and Al Rayan reopened for international flights.
- Authorities in the governorate of Ma'rib imposed a curfew from 10 p.m. until 05 a.m. in an attempt to combat the spread of COVID-19.

Governorate	Cases	Recovered	Deaths
Hadramawt	4,087	2,737	989
Aden	2,180	1,438	190
Taiz	1,794	1,031	268
Shabwah	721	455	165
Marib	613	452	73
Lahj	480	306	105
Al Maharah	430	340	66
Ad Dali	355	103	62
Al Bayda	304	206	76
Abyan	51	25	13
Socotra	52	0	4
Al Hodiedah	4	0	2