

Thailand situation update on 7 November 2020

1. International Situation

Type of case	Total number	Rate of Increase
Confirmed case	49,722,550	+601,805
Deaths	1,249,701	2.54%

2. The Disease Situation in Thailand

Situation	Total number of PUI*
Total number of new case	+12
• Cases found positive from the state quarantine (Imported)	9
• Cases found positive outside state quarantine (Imported)	2
• Cases were infected in Thailand (Local transmission)	1
Confirmed cases	3,830
• Designated Quarantine Places	875
• Local Transmission	2,452
• Imported cases	1,378
• Recovered and discharged from hospitals	3,644 (+5)
• Undergoing treatment	126 (95.14%)
• Deaths	60 (1.57%)

Remark: *PUI (Patients Under Investigation)

Type of patient	Total number of PUI
Total number of screened people	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Point of entry (Airport, Ground port and Seaport) 	7,294,397
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> People who renew their passports at Immigration Bureau, Chaeng Watthana 	351,301
Total number of laboratory tests	927,655
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> People who met the PUI criteria 	500,245
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> From the active case finding 	15,834
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Returnees under state quarantine 	81,676
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> People who did not meet the PUI criteria 	329,900
Total number of people who met the criteria of patients under investigation (PUI)	500,245
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Detected from ports of entry 	3,483
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sought medical services on their own at hospitals (152,349 cases in private hospitals, and 344,325 cases in public hospitals) 	496,674
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Notified by hotel residences, the Erawan Medical Center, local universities, tour groups and U-Tapao 	88

3. Thailand Precautions

- The Governor of Tak Province presided over the opening of the 2020 Annual General Meeting of the Tak Transportation Association. The Tak Provincial Communicable Disease Committee and relevant agencies meeting on 6 November 2020 had resolved to relax the transportation and unloading of goods in the safety zone as well as large cargo trucks that enter the Myawaddy district in Myanmar. This is due to the evidence that Tak province has been able to successfully control the COVID-19 outbreak.

4. Risk Assessment of COVID-19 Situation

The number of confirmed cases had increased over the past week. They were among the travelers from overseas, both in the state quarantine and border areas. The majority of infected cases were asymptomatic. There is also a need to implement active surveillance in border areas, particularly the provinces that are bordered to neighboring countries in the Andaman Peninsula such as Satun and Krabi, of which people are often travel across the borders. In addition, the COVID-19 testing service for foreigners residing in



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Thailand who request work permits can also help to detect new locally infected persons. The further investigations have been currently carried out. The investigation to search for the source of infection including contact tracing is crucial in case that patients have occupations with a large number of people contact or have a chance to spread the disease to many people.