

# by Emergency Operations Center, Department of Disease Control

### Thailand situation update on 4 April 2021

### 1. International Situation

	Total Number	Daily Increase	Case Fatality Rate (CFR)
Confirmed cases	131,437,891	530,620	
Deaths	2,860,569		2.18%

#### 2. The Disease Situation in Thailand

Situation	Total Number*
Total number of new cases	96
Cases found in quarantine facilities/centers (Imported)	9
Cases found outside quarantine facilities/centers (Imported)	0
Cases infected in Thailand (Local transmission)	78
Cases found from active case finding	9
Total number of confirmed cases	29,127
Cases found in quarantine facilities/centers (Imported)	2,510
Cases found outside quarantine facilities/centers (Imported)	3,139
Cases infected in Thailand (Local transmission)	25,988
Cases found from active case finding	16,093
Total number of confirmed cases	29,127
<ul> <li>Total recovered and discharged from hospitals</li> <li>Newly recovered and discharged from hospitals</li> </ul>	27,774 (95.35%) 106
Undergoing treatment	1,258 (4.32%)
<ul> <li>Deaths</li> <li>New deaths</li> </ul>	95 (0.33%) 0



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Type of Screened People and PUI	Total Number
Total number	
• Ports of entry (Airports, ground ports, and seaports)	8,148,094
<ul> <li>People renewing their passports at the Immigration Bureau, Chaeng Watthana</li> </ul>	508,260
Total number of laboratory tests	1,715,717
People who met the PUI criteria	1,288,307
From active case finding	15,834
Returnees in quarantine facilities/centers	81,676
People who did not meet the PUI criteria	329,900
Total number of people who met the criteria of PUI	1,288,307
Detected from ports of entry	4,931
<ul> <li>Sought medical services on their own at hospitals (296,466 cases in private hospitals, and 986,822 cases in public hospitals)</li> </ul>	1,283,288
<ul> <li>Notified by hotel residences, the Erawan Medical Center, local universities, tour groups and U-Tapao</li> </ul>	88

Remark: \*PUI (Patients Under Investigation)

### 3. Thailand Implementations

- The Ministry of Public Health, Department of Disease Control emphasized people to protect themselves by strictly implementing COVID-19 control measures during the Songkran festival. Keeping a good practice for personal hygiene while returning and staying at their hometowns is to prevent getting infected or spreading the infection to others. Vehicles should be inspected and prepared before the trip as well.
- The Department of Corrections of the Ministry of Justice announced the suspension of family visits in all prisons nationwide from 5 April - 5 May 2021 after detection of the infected persons in the Narathiwat prison. The relatives can visit the prisoners through an online system via Line application. It does not allow to move inmates between prisons, and isolation of new inmates without movement and leaving from rooms has been implemented for a period of 14-21 days.
- The Deputy Permanent Secretary for Bangkok Metropolitan Administration went to visit a risk group of about 1,400 people that were Thai traders and assistant traders in the Bangkhunthian market. Those traders were provided COVID-19 vaccination of

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Sinovac and AstraZeneca. There was no report of adverse events and they will be received for the second dose of vaccines as scheduled. In this regard, they are closely followed up for any abnormal symptoms.

#### 4. Risk Assessment of COVID-19 Situation

According to the report of the COVID-19 situation during 29 march – 4 May 2021, Thailand reported 301 new confirmed cases. Of those confirmed cases , 43 cases ( 14.3 %) had a risk history related to the entertainment venues, 22 cases (51.1 %) were male, 40 cases (93 %) were Thai people, 34 cases (79%) showed some symptoms of respiratory disease, 27 cases (62.8%) had a history of visiting/working at the entertainment venue located in Ekamai, and 11 cases ( 25.6 %) had a history of visiting the entertainment venue located in Salaya, Nakhon Pathom province. Therefore, in order to reduce the risk of disease transmission in entertainment venues, the operators shall strictly comply with the disease control measure issued by the government including promoting of wearing a mask among customers, cleaning the areas always touched by people especially the handrail and doorknob, requesting the customer to register through Thaichana or Morchana applications, providing the alcohol gels at the each common areas, and checking the customers' body temperature.