

The Coronavirus Disease 2019 Situation

by Emergency Operations Center, Department of Disease Control

Thailand situation update on 23 November 2021

1. International Situation

	Total Number	Daily Increase	Case Fatality Rate (CFR)
Confirmed cases	258,514,293	591,374	
Deaths	5,177,407		2.00%

2. The Disease Situation in Thailand

Situation	Total Number
Number of new confirmed cases	5,126
Cases found in quarantine facilities/centers (Imported)	8
Cases found in prisons	104
Cases infected in Thailand (Local transmission)	5,118
Cases found from active case finding (Local transmission)	123
7-day average percentage of daily positive PCR tests (confirmed cases)	9.98%
Total number of confirmed cases	2,076,135
Total recovered and discharged from hospitals Newly recovered and discharged from hospitals	1,972,553 (95.01%) 7,748
Undergoing treatment	83,093 (4.00%)
Deaths New deaths	20,489 (0.99%) 53
Daily Number of new Vaccinations (Doses)*	430,312
First dose	150,266
Second dose	250,947
Third dose	29,099
Total number of Vaccinations (Doses)*	88,753,981
First dose	46,599,117



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Second dose	39,040,674
Third dose	3,114,190
Number of people screened at Ports of Entry (Airports, Ground Ports, Seaports)	9,545,246
Number of people screened when renewing their passports (at the Immigration Bureau, Chaeng Watthana)	738,426

Remark: *Updated on November 9th, 2021

Characteristics of Deaths (20,489 deaths)	Wave: 1 Jan - 14 Dec 2020 (60 deaths)	Wave: 15 Dec 2020 - 31 Mar 2021 (34 deaths)	Wave: 1 April 2021 - now (20,395 deaths)			
Case Fatality Rate (CFR) in each age group						
• 15 - 39 years old	0.20%	0.02%	0.10%			
• 40 - 59 years old	2.10%	0.02%	0.77%			
60+ years old	6.50%	2.60%	5.52%			
• < 1 year old (2 deaths)						
Percentage of COVID-19 deaths that consist of elderly patients, patients with underlying diseases including obesity, or pregnant patients						
	64%	100%	90%			

3. Thailand Implementations

- Ministry of Public Health urged all provinces to conduct an opinion survey of people
 who refuse to be vaccinated against COVID-19 in order to adjust vaccination
 strategies to meet the 100 million dose target and move forward to safely open a
 country. The situation is generally stable, with fewer serious illnesses, but still needs
 to be constantly monitored for various clusters and risk groups.
- Geo-Informatics and Space Technology Development Agency (Public Organization) together with the National Research Council of Thailand have developed iMap Platform piloting in Chiang Mai and 4 other provinces to link information on COVID-19 management by using Geoinformatics data from satellite systems to effectively control the disease.
- The Tourism Authority of Thailand announced to invite tour operators access to COVID-19 screening services with the Antigen Test Kit (ATK) for free in 2 locations in Bangkok at Huamark Stadium and Royal Rattanakosin Hotel from November 25, 2021 to January 24, 2022 at 08.00 a.m. -12.00 p.m. If the infection is detected, the



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infected case will be transferred for a comprehensive treatment system without expenses.

4. Risk Assessment of COVID-19 Situation

From COVID-19 situation monitoring, on November 23, 2021, Thailand has 2,076,135 cumulative confirmed cases, of which 5,126 new cases have been confirmed on the day, and 53 deaths, most of which are from the High-risk groups who, when infected, are prone to become severely ill or die. In this regard, the Ministry of Public Health has given priority to the immunization of the population in the country as soon as possible, especially in tourism areas, which need to raise the immunity of the population to a high level, areas with high rates of new confirmed cases, and in the risk groups with the possibility of severe illness or death include the elderly aged 60 years and over, those with 7 chronic diseases, and pregnant women with gestational age of 12 weeks or more. Also, strictly comply to disease prevention measures, for example, wearing mask, keeping distance, and washing hand frequently is still important to reduce the spread of the disease.