

Thailand situation update on 29 November 2021

## 1. International Situation

	Total Number	Daily Increase	Case Fatality Rate (CFR)
<b>Confirmed cases</b>	261,844,213	402,074	
<b>Deaths</b>	5,219,583		1.99%

## 2. The Disease Situation in Thailand

Situation	Total Number
<b>Number of new confirmed cases</b>	<b>4,753</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cases found in quarantine facilities/centers (Imported)</li> </ul>	12
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cases found in prisons</li> </ul>	57
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cases infected in Thailand (Local transmission)</li> </ul>	4,741
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cases found from active case finding (Local transmission)</li> </ul>	198
<b>7-day average percentage of daily positive PCR tests (confirmed cases)</b>	<b>9.33%</b>
<b>Total number of confirmed cases</b>	<b>2,111,566</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Total recovered and discharged from hospitals</li> <li>- Newly recovered and discharged from hospitals</li> </ul>	2,013,021 (95.33%) 6,165
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Undergoing treatment</li> </ul>	77,811 (3.69%)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Deaths</li> <li>- New deaths</li> </ul>	20,734 (0.98%) 27
<b>Daily Number of new Vaccinations (Doses)*</b>	<b>63,539</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>First dose</li> </ul>	29,525
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Second dose</li> </ul>	24,702
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Third dose</li> </ul>	9,312
<b>Total number of Vaccinations (Doses)*</b>	<b>91,341,064</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>First dose</li> </ul>	47,557,232

# The Coronavirus Disease 2019 Situation

by Emergency Operations Center, Department of Disease Control

• Second dose	40,438,907
• Third dose	3,344,925
<b>Number of people screened at Ports of Entry</b> (Airports, Ground Ports, Seaports)	9,600,465
<b>Number of people screened when renewing their passports</b> (at the Immigration Bureau, Chaeng Watthana)	746,388

Remark: \*Updated on November 28th, 2021

Characteristics of Deaths (20,734 deaths)	Wave: 1 Jan - 14 Dec 2020 (60 deaths)	Wave: 15 Dec 2020 - 31 Mar 2021 (34 deaths)	Wave: 1 April 2021 - now (20,640 deaths)
<b>Case Fatality Rate (CFR) in each age group</b>			
• 15 - 39 years old	0.20%	0.02%	0.09%
• 40 - 59 years old	2.10%	0.02%	0.75%
• 60+ years old	6.50%	2.60%	5.40%
• < 1 year old (2 deaths)			
<b>Percentage of COVID-19 deaths that consist of elderly patients, patients with underlying diseases including obesity, or pregnant patients</b>			
	64%	100%	90%

### 3. Thailand Implementations

- Phuket Province has relaxed measures to allow all group gathering activities with no limit on the number of people. Instead, it will use the designation of the area, including a relaxation measure that allows alcohol beverages to be sold at restaurants until 11 p.m
- The Centre for COVID-19 Situation Administration (CCSA) reduced the dark red area from 6 provinces to none, therefore, there is no province in Thailand that has announced a curfew between 23.00-03.00, effective from December 1, 2021.
- The Ministry of Public Health announced easing measures in order to make important businesses with little risk such as eating in restaurants, outdoor events, and traveling across provinces especially by plane can continue to operate. Covid free program measures will be required for establishments to comply with as follows:
  1. Organizing an environment, keeping distance, and managing ventilation system
  2. Both employees and customers must be Covid Free, which means they must have received 2 COVID vaccine injections, have been infected for 1-3 months, or get tested by the ATK test kit with negative result. Service recipients must follow these

steps: 1. Certificate must be presented to receive the service. 2. If the certificate cannot be presented, take-out service still can be served. 3. Everyone must be strict on universal prevention measures at all times.

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

From the analysis of the situation of COVID-19 detection by the Antigen Test Kit (ATK) method between 27 October to 27 November 2021, it was found that the overall detection rate of the country was at 4.60% and tends to decline continuously. In the past month, the Office of Disease Prevention and Control Region 12 (ODPC12) has the highest infection detection rate of 14.02%, followed by ODPC2, ODPC11, ODPC5, ODPC4, and ODPC1 at the detection rate of 7.09, 6.91, 5.14, 4.67 and 4.59, respectively. The ODPCs that still tend to have a stable rate of infection detected by ATK testing are ODPC1, 5, 11, and 12, with the ODPC1, Chiang Rai Province, considered a province with a relatively stable infection rate, with an average of 20 percent. The COVID-19 situation in Mae Hong Son needs to be closely monitored due to the higher infection rate. The Office of Disease Prevention and Control 5 reported that Prachuap Khiri Khan is the province that has been found to have the highest infection rate in this zone (50%). Meanwhile, the Office of Disease Prevention and Control 11 reported that Krabi, Chumphon, Ranong and Surat Thani are provinces with a high rate of infection (15%) but the trend of infection has decreased. The Office of Disease Prevention and Control 12 reported that Trang and Satun are also provinces with the highest infection rate (15-20%). Therefore, the overall infection rate of the country tends to improve but there are some provinces that need to be monitored and control the disease spreading. In addition, ATK is unable to indicate the real number of infections but it is used to monitor the trend of infection.