

Thailand situation update on 10 December 2021

1. International Situation

	Total Number	Daily Increase	Case Fatality Rate (CFR)
Confirmed cases	268,811,086	621,493	
Deaths	5,304,992		1.97%

2. The Disease Situation in Thailand

Situation	Total Number
Number of new confirmed cases	4,193
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cases found in quarantine facilities/centers (Imported) 	29
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cases found in prisons 	21
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cases infected in Thailand (Local transmission) 	4,164
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cases found from active case finding (Local transmission) 	56
7-day average percentage of daily positive PCR tests (confirmed cases)	8.13%
Total number of confirmed cases	2,160,780
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Total recovered and discharged from hospitals - Newly recovered and discharged from hospitals 	2,082,951 (96.04%) 7,863
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Undergoing treatment 	56,717 (2.62%)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Deaths - New deaths 	21,112 (0.98%) 28
Daily Number of new Vaccinations (Doses)*	412,552
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> First dose 	137,773
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Second dose 	194,822
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Third dose 	79,957
Total number of Vaccinations (Doses)*	95,649,224
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> First dose 	49,260,538

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• Second dose	42,335,093
• Third dose	4,053,593
Number of people screened at Ports of Entry (Airports, Ground Ports, Seaports)	9,713,467
Number of people screened when renewing their passports (at the Immigration Bureau, Chaeng Watthana)	758,701

Remark: *Updated on November 28th, 2021

Characteristics of Deaths (21,112 deaths)	Wave: 1 Jan - 14 Dec 2020 (60 deaths)	Wave: 15 Dec 2020 - 31 Mar 2021 (34 deaths)	Wave: 1 April 2021 - now (21,018 deaths)
Case Fatality Rate (CFR) in each age group			
• 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%	5.39%
• < 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

- In Yala province, the 1st Border Protection Battalion, Betong, conducts a series of foot surveillance operations. This operation aims to prevent the border smuggling into the city through natural channels. It is intended to prevent the spread of COVID-19 Omicron species entering the country in the Southern Border Area.
- The Civil Aviation Authority of Thailand announced the regulations relating to the guideline for the provision of domestic flight services to passengers. This regulation is in line with the international standard. It does not allow passengers to carry a valve - facemask on board. Whereas passengers were encouraged to wear a surgical mask or cloth mask at all times except in emergency situations. It is a matter of minimizing the risk of disease transmission.
- Phitsanulok Province has implemented measures for village leaders and village health volunteers in Ban Mai Rong Kla. It was closed the village for 14 days, starting from 10 - 24 December 2021. As a result, the village will not be permitted to enter and exit to prevent the spread of COVID-19 to other areas. District Public Health



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office sent out health workers to active screening in the village for another round to find people infected by the duration of the incubation period.

4. Risk Assessment of COVID-19 Situation

According to the COVID-19 update of December 10, 2021, Thailand had 2,160,780 cumulative confirmed cases, of which 4,193 new cases with 28 deaths were confirmed today. Deaths have mostly occurred in the high-risk group, where symptoms can be severe and lead to death when they become infected with COVID-19. The Ministry of Public Health has recognized the importance of enhancing herd immunity among high-risk Thai and non-Thai populations, particularly after detecting a new strain of COVID-19 (Omicron) e.g. people with seven chronic diseases and pregnant women as well as the elderly aged above 60 years, especially those who reside in the areas of tourist attraction and COVID -19 affected areas. Most importantly, people are encouraged to remain vigilant by strictly adhering to disease control measures, implementing social distancing, washing hands and wearing masks.