








**MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND CHILD CARE**

**COVID-19 UPDATE**

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**HIGHLIGHTS OF THE SITUATION REPORT**

- ✓ One hundred and seven (107) cases tested positive for COVID-19 today. These include returnees from South Africa (17), Botswana (6) and 84 local cases who are isolated.
- ✓ Seven (7) of the local cases are contacts of known confirmed cases. Investigations are underway to establish the source of infection for the other 77 cases.
- ✓ New recoveries were reported by the following provinces; Masvingo (11), Mashonaland East (4) Matabeleland North (1).
- ✓ Today 1238 RDT screening tests and 592 PCR diagnostic tests were done. The cumulative number of tests done to date is 105 121 (62 589 RDT and 42 532 PCR).
- ✓ Since the onset of the COVID-19 outbreak on 20 March 2020, the total number of confirmed cases is 1820; recovered 488, active cases 1306 and 26 deaths.

Province	 <b>Number of Tests Done Today</b>		 <b>Number of Confirmed Cases</b>			 <b>Number Recovered</b>	 <b>Number of Active Cases</b>	 <b>Deceased</b>
	RDT	PCR	Cum (New)	Local (New)	Import (New)	Cum (New)		Cum (New)
<b>Bulawayo</b>	155	86	546 (21)	497 (7)	49 (14)	88 (0)	446	12 (0)
<b>Harare</b>	513	359	552 (63)	270 (58)	282 (5)	76 (0)	468	8 (0)
<b>Manicaland</b>	4	94	52 (8)	16 (8)	36 (0)	32 (0)	20	0 (0)
<b>Mash Cent</b>	0	1	15 (0)	3 (0)	12 (0)	10 (0)	5	0 (0)
<b>Mash East</b>	111	0	101 (9)	53 (7)	48 (2)	76(4)	25	0 (0)
<b>Mash West</b>	199	21	62 (1)	5 (0)	57 (1)	2 (0)	59	1 (0)
<b>Midlands</b>	113	14	164 (3)	66 (3)	98(0)	85(0)	77	2 (0)
<b>Masvingo</b>	21	4	67 (0)	2 (0)	65 (0)	62 (11)	5	0 (0)
<b>Mat North</b>	14	13	34 (2)	6 (1)	28 (1)	20 (1)	12	2 (0)
<b>Mat South</b>	108	0	227 (0)	38 (0)	189(0)	37 (0)	189	1 (0)
<b>Total</b>	<b>1238</b>	<b>592</b>	<b>1820 (107)</b>	<b>956 (84)</b>	<b>864 (23)</b>	<b>488 (16)</b>	<b>1306</b>	<b>26 (0)</b>

Mashonaland East Province received positive results from NMRL.