

Updates on COVID-19 in Republic of Korea

31 August 2020

☐ As of 0:00, 31 August 2020, the total number of confirmed cases is 19,947 (including 2,823 imported cases), of which 14,973 cases have been discharged from isolation. There are 238 new local cases, 10 new imported cases, and 1 new death.

[Local transmission cases, as of 0:00, 31 August (cumulative since 3 January 2020)]

	Total	City								
		Seoul	Busan	Daegu	Incheon	Gwangju	Daejeon	Ulsan	Sejong	
New	238	91	4	4	13	9	6	5	1	
Cumulative	17,124	3,480	256	6,978	631	330	232	58	58	
	Province									
	Gyeonggi	Gangwon	Chung- buk	Chung- nam	Jeon- buk	Jeon- nam	Gyeong- buk	Gyeong- nam	Jeju	
New	79	3	0	9	1	5	2	1	5	
Cumulative	2,755	164	103	287	60	116	1,414	173	29	

[Imported cases, as of 0:00, 31 August (cumulative since 3 January 2020)]

				Region	/Country	Where confirmed		Nationality			
	Total	China	Asia ex-China	Europe	America	Africa	Oceania	Point of Entry	Community	Korean	Other
New	10	0	5	3	2	0	0	3	7	3	7
		20	1,304	551	871	72	5	1,354	1,469	1,795	1,028
Total	2,823	(0.7%)	(46.2%)	(19.5%)	(30.8%)	(2.6%)	(0.2%)	(48.0%)	(52.0%)	(63.6%)	(36.4%)

[Case management status, as of 0:00, 31 August (cumulative since 3 January 2020)]

	Discharged from isolation	Under isolation	Severe/critical cases	Deceased
As of 0:00 30 August (Sun)	14,903	4,473	70	323
As of 0:00 31 August (Mon)	14,973	4,650	79	324
Difference	(+)70	(+)177	(+)9	(+)1

^{*} Based on case data reported to the KCDC

[Overall case and test status, as of 0:00, 31 August (cumulative since 3 January 2020)]

Period	Total		Tested positiv	Testing in	Tested negative		
(since 3 Jan)		Confirmed	Discharged from isolation	Under isolation	Deceased	progress	(PCR)
As of 0:00 30 August (Sun)	1,924,170	19,699	14,903	4473	323	58,021	1,846,450
As of 0:00 31 August (Mon)	1,937,689	19,947	14,973	4650	324	57,876	1,859,866
Difference	+13,519	+248	+70	+177	+1	-145	+13,416

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[Regional distribution of cases, as of 0:00, 31 August (cumulative since 3 January 2020)]

Dogion	New	cases	Total cases	(0/)	Incidence rate*
Region	Local	Imported	Total Cases	(%)	(per 100,000)
Seoul	91	3	3,867	(19.39)	39.73
Busan	4	0	301	(1.51)	8.82
Daegu	4	0	7,047	(35.33)	289.23
Incheon	13	1	718	(3.60)	24.29
Gwangju	9	0	374	(1.87)	25.67
Daejeon	6	1	256	(1.28)	17.37
Ulsan	5	0	89	(0.45)	7.76
Sejong	1	0	67	(0.34)	19.57
Gyeonggi	79	0	3,260	(16.34)	24.60
Gangwon	3	0	189	(0.95)	12.27
Chungbuk	0	1	128	(0.64)	8.00
Chungnam	9	0	332	(1.66)	15.64
Jeonbuk	1	0	87	(0.44)	4.79
Jeonnam	5	0	142	(0.71)	7.62
Gyeongbuk	2	0	1,455	(7.29)	54.65
Gyeongnam	1	0	236	(1.18)	7.02
Jeju	5	1	45	(0.23)	6.71
Border Screening	0	3	1,354	(6.79)	-
Total	238	10	19,947	(100)	38.47

^{*} Total (cumulative) number of cases reported since January 2020 of region / Population of region (based on resident registration data of the Ministry of the Interior as of January 2020)

^{*} Incidence rate based on the number of confirmed cases with the address of the reporting institution