

UZBEKISTAN COVID-19 SITUATION REPORT

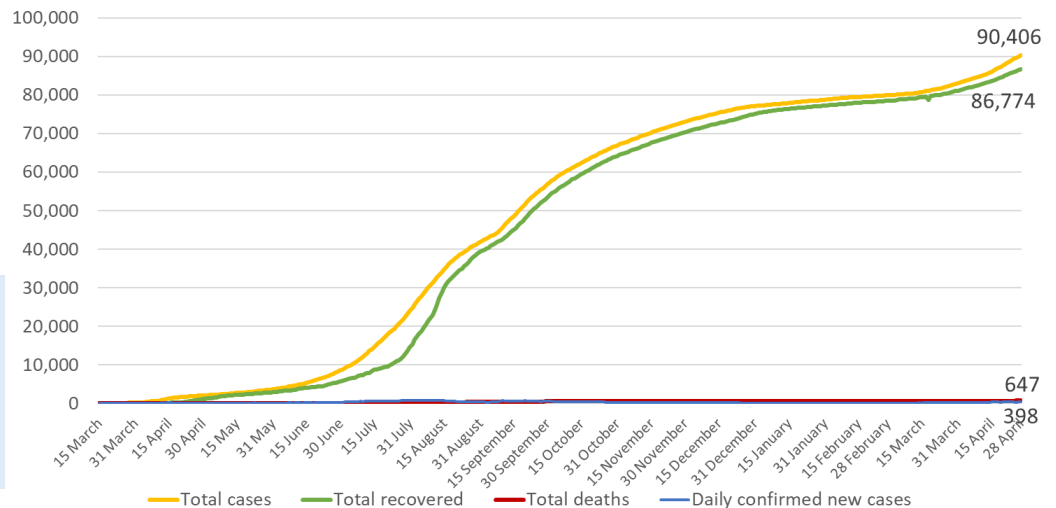
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(DATA AS AT 11PM, PREVIOUS DAY)

This Sitrep outlines current information on the COVID-19 outbreak in Uzbekistan, and summarizes international partners' support to the national response effort.

Total Cases: 90,406
Total Recovered: 86,774
Total Deaths: 647
Daily new cases: 398

Global Info: Text "Hi" to +41 79 893 18 92 (WhatsApp) for the latest WHO global updates and statistics.
National Hotline: 1003 / 103

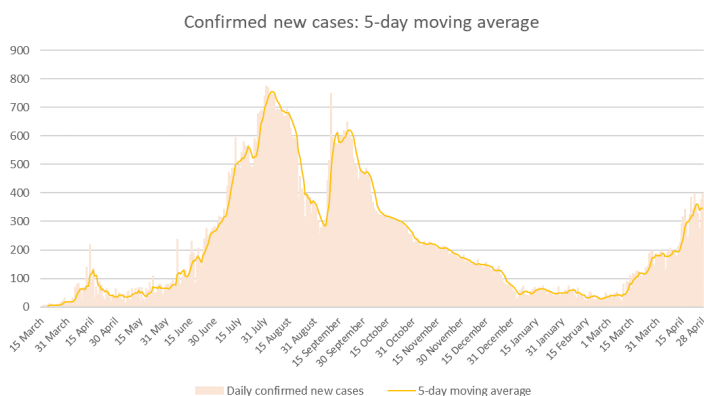
COVID-19 cases in Uzbekistan



HIGHLIGHTS

- Vaccination of schoolteachers, employees of preschool education organizations and people with chronic diseases began on 27 April

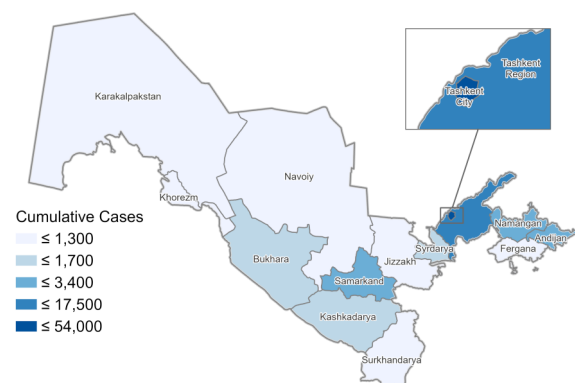
EPIDEMIOLOGICAL UPDATE



This chart shows the daily increase in confirmed new cases, as well as a 5-day moving average which helps smooth out the 'noise' from short-term fluctuations by averaging the data from the last five days reported.

Cumulative cases by regions as of 28 April:

Tashkent City: 53,645 (+207)	Syrdarya: 1,404 (+5)
Tashkent region: 17,255 (+73)	Surkhandarya: 1,229 (+2)
Samarkand: 3,406 (+72)	Khorezm: 1,067 (+3)
Namangan: 2,852 (+5)	Karakalpakstan: 1,015 (+5)
Andijan: 2,448 (+5)	Jizzakh: 991 (+7)
Kashkadarya: 1,696 (+5)	Fergana: 967 (+4)
Bukhara: 1,678 (+4)	Navoiy: 753 (+1)



This map visualizes data as of 28 April 2021.

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Epidemiological update (cont'd): New cases by region

- 22 April: +345. Tashkent City +206; Tashkent region +58; Samarkand +34; Bukhara 9; Jizzakh +8; Andijan +5; Karakalpakstan +5; Namangan +5; Surkhandarya +4; Fergana +3; Navoiy +3; Syrdarya +3; Kashkadarya +1; Khorezm +1.
- 23 April: +399 Tashkent City +217; Tashkent region +83; Samarkand +54; Jizzakh +9; Surkhandarya +8; Namangan +6; Karakalpakstan +5; Syrdarya +5; Andijan +2; Navoiy +3; Bukhara +2; Khorezm +2; Fergana +1.
- 24 April: +348. Tashkent City +182; Tashkent region +68; Samarkand +40; Jizaakh +9; Surkhandarya +8; Khorezm +7; Karakalpakstan +6; Syrdarya +6; Andijan +5; Kashkadarya +4; Fergana +3; Navoiy +3; Bukhara +1.
- 25 April: +328. Tashkent City +174; Tashkent region +67; Samarkand +43; Surkhandarya +10; Bukhara +8; Namangan +6; Andijan +5; Jizzakh +5; Syrdarya +5; Navoiy +3; Fergana +1; Khorezm +1.
- 26 April: +275. Tashkent City +141; Tashkent region +55; Samarkand +35; Namangan +7; Kashkadarya +6; Jizzakh +5; Andijan +4; Karakalpakstan +4; Surkhandarya +4; Syrdarya +4; Fergana +3; Navoiy +3; Bukhara +2; Khorezm +2.
- 27 April: +378. Tashkent City +180; Tashkent region +75; Samarkand +73; Jizzakh +9; Khorezm +8; Surkhandarya +8; Kashkadarya +6; Namangan +4; Andijan +3; Bukhara +3; Fergana +3; Syrdarya +3; Navoiy +2; Karakalpakstan +1.
- 28 April: +398. Tashkent City +207; Tashkent region +73; Samarkand +72; Jizzakh +7; Andijan +5; Karakalpakstan +5; Kashkadarya +5; Namangan +5; Syrdarya +5; Bukhara +4; Fergana +4; Khorezm +3; Surkhandarya +2; Navoiy +1.

(MoH on coronavirus.uz and via Public Relations Dept).

Latest National COVID-19 Response News

- As of 28 April, **2985** patients are being treated in medical institutions (MoH on coronavirus.uz and via Public Relations Dept).
- The Deputy Head of the Service for Sanitary and Epidemiological Wellbeing and Public Health Nurmat

Atabekov commented on social media messages on paid vaccinations in private medical institutions. While those institutions are allowed to vaccinate against COVID-19, currently all vaccines that have been imported have been by the government and provided free of charge to high risk persons (gazeta.uz).

- The Commission for Combating COVID-19, under the Samarkand khokimiyat, has decided to **close all preschool and educational institutions in Samarkand for a 14-day quarantine from 27 April** due to the rapid increase cases (kun.uz).
- **107 out of 312 secondary schools in Tashkent were moved to distance learning.** Currently 234,967 students receive in-person education and 214,077 are engaged in distance learning (kun.uz)

HEALTH RESPONSE

Health Capacity-Building

- WHO Regional Office conducted a **workshop on the emergency use listing of it-vitro diagnostic for SARS-CoV-2 on 28 April.** Information on the process of registration and verification of candidates for vaccines was provided to the National Regulation Authorities.
- WHO organized a **bi-weekly online Global Consultation on Contact Tracing for COVID-19 on 28 April.** It was delivered by Estella Geraghty, Chief Medical Officer from ESRI, and focused on “Community Contact tracing: A method to modernize and enhance contact tracing with location data”.