Overview
Confirmed daily COVID-19 cases continue to decline. Somalia has confirmed 3,310 with 2,579 recoveries as of 31 August but the number of deaths has remained at 93 for several weeks. Most cases are 20 to 60 years old, and 74 per cent are male. According to WHO, cumulative positive testing rate, has declined. Across the country, health facility and community-based surveillance activities are focused on early detection, testing, tracking and tracing of cases. The Federal Government of Somalia has allowed international flights to resume, which should ease the movement of aid workers and delivery of supplies, and schools to reopen. Guidelines have been developed to minimize the risk at airports and passengers will need a medical certificate showing they are free of COVID-19. Students returning to school are required to follow Ministry of Health guidelines including social distancing, wearing face masks and gloves. School compounds have been cleaned, disinfected, and hand washing facilities installed.

Cases and Deaths by Gender and Age

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<th>Age Group</th>
<th>Confirmed Cases</th>
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Male: 74%, Female: 26%

Operations Overview

- 11 out of 12 airports open for passengers
- 11 out of 12 airports open for cargo
- 8 out of 8 ports open for cargo
- 1 out of 21 border crossing open
- 6,176 passengers screened at designated points of entry

Confirmed Cases by Region

- Bay: 891
- Gedo: 399
- Lower Shabelle: 152
- Middle Shabelle: 55
- Banadir: 92
- Galgaduud: 119
- Mudug: 23
- Togdheer: 1
- Middle Juba: 144
- Lower Juba: 1,527
- Sanaag: 30
- Sool: 9
- Woqooyi Galbeed: 207
- Galgaduud: 626
- Banaadir: 1,303

Confirmed Deaths by Region

- Bay: 3
- Gedo: 1
- Lower Shabelle: 2
- Middle Shabelle: 1
- Banadir: 2
- Galgaduud: 1
- Mudug: 0
- Togdheer: 0
- Middle Juba: 1
- Lower Juba: 0
- Sanaag: 0
- Sool: 0
- Woqooyi Galbeed: 0
- Galgaduud: 0
- Banaadir: 0

Recovered Cases by Region

- Bay: 626
- Gedo: 30
- Lower Shabelle: 243
- Middle Shabelle: 55
- Banadir: 1,303
- Galgaduud: 119
- Mudug: 23
- Togdheer: 1
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Risk Communication & Community Engagement
The Risk Communication and Community Engagement (RCCE) task force comprising of Government entities, UN agencies, NGOs, media partners and AMISOM has been instrumental in raising COVID-19 awareness, dispelling rumours and countering stigma. The task force has reached 10.9 million people including 1 million IDPs in 867 sites, using different educative platforms such as information, education and communication materials, SMS messages, TV and radio broadcasts, as well as community level interventions such as public addresses and household visits to scale-up public sensitisation. The RCCE activities involve frontline workers and community opinion leaders.

Key figures
- 5,302 TV broadcasts
- 6,658 Radio broadcasts
- 1,068,125 SMS broadcasts
- 54,459 Feedback received
- 74,975 Rumors Tracked
- 6,076 Hours in Public Addressing
- 549,710 Households Visited
- 22,258 Frontline workers Involved
- 174,270 IEC Materials Produced

People reached by partners’ community level intervention
- CARE
- UNICEF
- IOM
- CEDA
- Medair
- WVI
- ACF
- UNHCR
- AAH
- WVI
- CARE
- OCHA
- 38 partners

Activities by region

# of RCCE Activities by partner in various channels
- Households Visited
- Community level interventions
- Frontline workers involved
- Opinion leaders oriented
- Rumors Tracked
- Hours in public Aaddress
- Radio Broadcasts
- SMS Broadcasts
- TV Broadcasts

# of RCCE Activities by partner in various channels
- # of Households Visited
- # of Frontline Workers Involved
- # of Opinion Leaders Oriented

# of Information, Education and Communication (IEC) Materials Printed
Funding and Response

Donors have provided $56.4 million for the Somalia component of the COVID-19 Global Humanitarian Response Plan, meeting one quarter of funding requirements. This is a $13 million increase from last month’s report. More than half ($30.2 million) has been provided for distribution across multiple clusters, including health, protection, nutrition and WASH. The remaining funds have been allocated primarily for health, protection, multi-purpose cash, food security and CCCM, as well as smaller contributions for enabling programmes, education and WASH. While multi-purpose cash has exceeded its requirements, all other clusters continue to experience substantial shortfalls. CCCM is the next best-covered cluster, with 30 per cent of its funding needs met, followed by protection and health which sit at over 20 per cent each. In total, $169.2 million is still required to meet the immediate health and humanitarian needs of people in Somalia affected by COVID-19.

Funding Progress by Cluster/Sector

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<th>Total Required</th>
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<td>CCCM ($8.1m)</td>
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<td>Education ($36.8m)</td>
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<td>Food Security ($64.1m)</td>
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<td>Health ($47.6m)</td>
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<td>Shelter and NFIs ($6.3m)</td>
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<td>Multiple Clusters (Shared) ($30.7m)</td>
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Total required: $225 million

Beneficiaries Reached by CPRP Objectives

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<tr>
<th>Category</th>
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<th>Women</th>
<th>Men</th>
<th>Boys</th>
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<td>Expansion of Cash Based Transfers (CBT)</td>
<td>64,376</td>
<td>34,125</td>
<td>46,682</td>
<td>20,798</td>
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<td>Risk Communication and Community Engagement (RCCE)</td>
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<td>COVID-19 Preparedness and Response</td>
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<td>Distribution of food and food vouchers</td>
<td>11,702</td>
<td>29,852</td>
<td>31,174</td>
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<td>Scaling up access to handwashing with soap</td>
<td>13,441</td>
<td>14,516</td>
<td>13,710</td>
<td>28,226</td>
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<td>Distribution of NFI kits and shelter kits and site development works for decongestion</td>
<td>62,406</td>
<td>60,029</td>
<td>64,206</td>
<td>115,097</td>
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<td>Remote/online trainings and distance learning for front line workers, students, etc.</td>
<td>450</td>
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<td>Installation/rehabilitation of WASH infrastructures and distribution of hygiene kits and hygiene promotion in Health and Nutrition facilities</td>
<td>284,602</td>
<td>271,401</td>
<td>256,323</td>
<td>527,724</td>
<td>452,335</td>
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Overview

The Logistics Cluster continues to facilitate air transportation, jointly through UNHAS, of COVID-19 supplies on behalf of the Ministry of Health (MoH) and key health partners. Over 140 MT of COVID-19 related cargo has been transported to various regions across the country. Some additional 190 MT have been transported as part of the response to the recent floods in the country. All seaports in Somalia are operational. All airports in Somalia are now open for local and international passenger flights with the exception of Abudwak which is still closed for maintenance works. Having been abruptly closed due to unrest in Ethiopia, the Somaliland – Ethiopia border has now been reopened. The Somaliland-Djibouti border remains open but strictly for commercial trade. The Kenya-South Somalia (Mandera) land borders remain closed for commercial entities. Central Somalia-Ethiopia (Dolow) also remains closed; however certain points may periodically be opened for trade, subject to bilateral agreements between local authorities of relevant border towns. Due to the reopening of Kenya and Somalia airspace, UNHAS has resumed its weekly flight on route Mogadishu – Nairobi – Mogadishu as of 23 August 2020. All passenger travels are subject to both governments’ COVID-19 guidelines. The latest UNHAS flight schedule has also been published here on the Logistics Cluster’s Somalia page. Due to the recent availability of commercial carriers and the reopening of airways, the WFP Aviation Global Passenger Service into Somalia has now concluded.

Key Activities

- Total number of passenger flights flown into Somalia since May 2020: 22
- Total number of passengers transported via UNHAS flights within Somalia: 324
- Total amount of cargo transported including medical supplies: 140 metric tons
- Total number of partners supported (coordination and facilitation of logistics services): 37
- UNHAS has been facilitating the timely movement of blood samples to key laboratories in Mogadishu and Nairobi on behalf of the Ministry of Health.