COVID-19 DAILY BRIEF

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Table 1: Situation report of confirmed COVID-19 cases and deaths as at 11:50pm August 4th 2020

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<th>Number of days since first reported case</th>
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https://twitter.com/LSMOH, [https://coronavirus.jhu.edu/map.html], [https://covid19.who.int]

Figure 1: Summary of COVID-19 cases in Nigeria as at 11:50pm August, 4th 2020
Figure 2: Weekly distribution of total confirmed cases, new cases, deaths and discharged COVID-19 cases in Nigeria (wk12-30)

Figure 3: Distribution of COVID 19 Cases by Geopolitical Zones in Nigeria.
Global Updates

According to WHO, total confirmed cases worldwide are 18,142,718 with 691,013 deaths. The top three affected countries include USA, Russian Federation and Brazil. The number of total confirmed cases, new cases and total deaths respectively are as follows: USA (4,629,459; 47,183 and 154,226), Brazil (2,733,677; 25,800 and 94,104 and Russian Federation (861,423; 5,159 and 14,351).

In Africa, there are 825,272 confirmed cases and 14,139 deaths. South Africa has the highest (516,862 confirmed cases and 8,366 deaths); followed by Nigeria (44,433 confirmed cases, and 910 deaths); Ghana (37,014 confirmed cases, with 182 deaths) and Algeria (31,972 confirmed cases, with 1,229 deaths).

As the world breastfeeding week is being celebrated, WHO African region has emphasized that COVID-19 virus has not been found to date in breast milk and that the benefits of breastfeeding outweigh the potential of COVID-19 risks.

Nigeria

Three hundred and four (304) new COVID-19 cases have been reported from 18 states and FCT - FCT (90), Lagos (59), Ondo (39), Taraba (18), Rivers (17), Borno (15), Adamawa (12), Oyo (11), Delta (9), Edo (6), Bauchi (4), Kwara (4), Ogun (4), Osun (4), Bayelsa (3), Plateau (3), Niger (3), Nasarawa (2) and Kano(1). This makes a total of 44,433 confirmed cases of COVID-19 distributed as follows in 36 states and the FCT: Lagos (15,414), FCT (4,087), Oyo (2,782), Edo (2,317), Rivers (1,859), Kano(1,598), Delta (1,529), Kaduna (1,498), Ogun (1,411), Plateau (1,243), Ondo (1,243), Enugu (846), Ebonyi (808), Kwara (790), Katsina (746), Borno (628), Gombe (620), Abia (602), Osun (584), Bauchi (565), Imo (469), Benue (356), Bayelsa (342), Nasarawa (341), Jigawa (322), Niger (226), Akwa Ibom (221), Adamawa (176), Sokoto (154), Ekiti (152), Anambra (135), Kebbi (90), Zamfara (77), Taraba (72), Yobe (67), Cross River (58), and Kogi (5). According to The Nigeria Centre for Disease Control, a total of 31,851 cases have been discharged so far.

In order to cope with impact of coronavirus pandemic, Nigeria’s largest airline (Air peace) laid off a large number of pilots and cut salaries.

Lagos State

Fifty nine (59) new COVID-19 cases; this brings the total confirmed cases to 15,414 which is about 35% of the total confirmed cases in the nation. COVID-19 related fatality is 194, which is 21% of the nation’s mortality figures. Total patients discharged from different isolation centres and community based care is 13,106.

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