

COVID-19 SITUATION REPORT

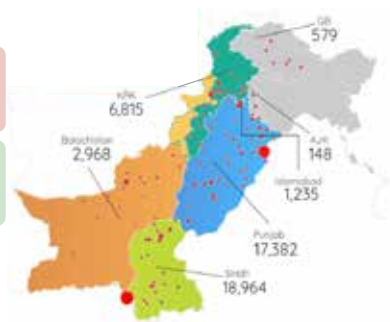
"A GLIMPSE OF COLLECTIVE EFFORT OF CHRISTIAN HUMANITARIAN ACTORS RESPONDING TO THE COVID-19 CRISIS IN PAKISTAN "

SITUATION

- On Tuesday, Pakistan reported the most deaths for a single day at **46**. Infections on Wednesday were reported at **2,193** – the second highest for a single day – taking the total number of Covid-19 cases to **48,091**.
- In the first **20** days of May, over **630** people have died, compared to around **380** in the entire month of April 2020.
- The Digital Pakistan Initiative of Prime Minister's Office, "The Sehat Tahaffuz **1166** Call Centre" is increasingly becoming an important platform to listen to the concerns of people, provide correct information, and connect them to a doctor when required.
- The Asian Development Bank (ADB) has approved a \$300 million emergency assistance loan to strengthen Pakistan's public health response to the novel coronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic and help meet the basic needs of vulnerable and poor segments of society.



<https://www.covid.gov.pk>
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	Confirmed Cases	Active Cases	Deaths	Recoveries
AJK	148	68	1	79
Balochistan	2,968	2,294	38	636
GB	579	173	4	402
Islamabad	1,235	1,074	10	151
KPK	6,815	4,334	351	2,130
Punjab	17,382	11,973	297	5,112
Sindh	18,964	13,003	316	5,645

FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

- **New World Program:** Inclusive Sustainable Human Development Initiative - WASH & COVID19
<https://www.newworldprogram.org/apply/>
- **Global Innovation Fund:** Innovation-based Solution
<https://www.globalinnovation.fund/apply/about/>
- **The Audacious Project:** The most innovative and boldest solutions to the world's urgent challenges
<https://audaciousproject.org/apply>

RESPONSE UPDATES OF PARTNERS AND CHRISTIAN HUMANITARIAN ACTORS ACROSS PAKISTAN

(These updates are given by the PPI partners and other Christian humanitarian actors responding COVID-19 crisis across Pakistan)

FOOD AID (Dry Ration Distribution)

30,034

Households

have been supported through provision of food aid.



HYGIENE KITS DISTRIBUTION

7,825

Households

have been assisted through provision of hygiene kits.



CASH GRANTS

3,433

Households

have been supported through Cash grants



PARTNERS IN ACTION

Pak Mission Society, UCCI, SRD, UBTC, SSEWA- Pak, REEDS- PK, Hayat-e-Nau, Diocese of Hyderabad, VFK, SACHA, PVDP, AWARD, LTS, YWAM, AOG, OM Foundation, Zulfiqar Foundation, NOAD, RDO, ODP, FPC, Faisalabad, NPC, LAMP, OTS, Starfish Pakistan, OMED, FBCP, Caritas-Quetta, PSSM, Small Flock, PCDP, TCWS, FGA and Micronox

Geographical presence of Christian Humanitarian Actors responding to the COVID-19 crisis across Pakistan

Islamabad, Rawalpindi, Lahore, Gujranwala, Faisalabad, Sheikhpura, Narowal, Vehari, Rahim Yar Khan, Sialkot, Qasur, Multan, Muzaffargarh (Punjab) Peshawar (KP), Ghotki, Dadu, Mirpurkhas, Sanghar, Tando Allah Yar, Tharparkar, Jacobabad, Dera Murad Jamali, Dera Allah Yar, Shikarpur, Sukkur, Khairpur, Wada Bozdar, Badin, Jam shoro, Tando Adam (Sindh) Quetta, Sibi, Qilla Abdullah, Qilla Saifullah (Balochistan)

COMMUNITY VOICES

Shakila – a 38-year-old mother of 4 children from Iqbal Town used to work as a domestic worker. Being a widow, she is the only breadwinner of her family of five. Ever since the lockdown due to pandemic outbreak, her inflow of earning has come to a standstill – making the whole family suffer because of food shortage. “Even taking all the necessary measures, no one lets me work in their house and I have no money to buy food items for my children”, she shared. Sakila Bibi reached her church pastor but they couldn’t support her but they shared her situation with UCC (United Council of Churches), UCC through Light in the Darkness campaign reached out and supported her family to which she knew His Grace is enough - **UCC, Light in the Darkness**

George Masih is a father of five children and a cobbler by profession. He is 45 and a resident of Faisal colony in G-7/1. Due to the pandemic outbreak, the family has been going through a tremendous amount of financial pressure. Upon hearing the conditions of George’s family, UCC reached out and supported him by providing him food packages for two months. His gratitude for God in times like these encourages UCC and its partners to do more for His name’s Glory - **UCC, Light in the Darkness**

RESPONSE BELIEFS

PRAYER - CARE - SHARE - FAIR

PRAYER

We believe, it’s our prior responsibility to offer concerted prayers for the world, our beloved country – Pakistan and its people in this critical situation.

CARE

We believe we are God’s people, chosen to care for His creation and to be the source of blessing and hope for our country and its people in this crisis situation.

SHARE

We believe in the sharing of resources and energies to help those who are affected by the COVID-19 crisis in Pakistan. Together we can and together we will fight the COVID-19 crisis.

FAIR

We believe in fair distribution of response resources based upon three main pillars of our humanitarian assistance theology: 1. Impartiality, 2. Neutrality, 3. Accountability.

HUMANITY needs
LEADERSHIP and
SOLIDARITY to defeat
the coronavirus

PRAYER REQUEST

- Pray for the countries worst affected by the COVID 19 pandemic.
- Pray for Pakistan and its government as it deals with this crisis.
- Pray for people suffering from the virus, may God heal them.
- Pray for the families who have lost their loved ones.
- Pray for the courageous people working on the front line, for their safety and strength.
- Pray for those who have been financially impacted by the lockdown.
- Pray for the Humanitarian Organizations responding to the COVID 19 crisis in Pakistan and globally.

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