

Update 9: South Sudan - Plans on Extending Partial Lockdown Amid Rising COVID-19 Cases

- South Sudan ministry of health (MoH) officials plan to extend the one-month-long partial lockdown imposed recently following rapid rise in positive cases of COVID-19
- The MoH officials disclosed that so far they have performed 109,705 number of COVID-19 tests since April 05, 2020, when the first COVID-19 case was registered
- The officials also warned that they may soon start arresting and prosecuting people in court who violate COVID-19 health guidelines
- The government will soon prevent people without face masks from leaving their homes as part of enforcing health guidelines
- As of now, the country has reported 8,010 confirmed COVID-19 cases with 94 deaths, 1.17% of the total reported cases and 4,217 recoveries, 52.65% of the total reported cases
- When compared to the overall population of the country, confirmed COVID-19 cases and fatality rate stands at 0.07% and 0.001%, respectively
- Supply Wisdom is continuously monitoring the situation and will alert you to any relevant developments
- Please consult Ministry of Health (<https://moh.gov.ss/>) for latest information on COVID-19 in South Sudan

Source(s)

http://www.xinhuanet.com/english/africa/2021-03/01/c_139773890.htm
<https://africa.cgtn.com/2021/03/01/south-sudan-mulls-extending-partial-lockdown-amid-rising-covid-19-cases/>
<https://www.worldometers.info/coronavirus/country/south-sudan/>

Targets Affected:

[South Sudan](#)

Category(s):

Geo-Political Risk

Event:

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Incident(s)

Guidance

Actions to consider:

- Consider implementing suggested actions related to '[Lockdown/Emergency/Extension of Lockdown/Other Restrictions](#)' and '[Increase in Positive Cases/Deaths](#)' under the '[COVID-19: Actions to Consider](#)' section below / next page

Related Alerts

Feb. 4, 2021

Medium

Update 8: South Sudan - Imposes New Restrictions Amid Surge in COVID-19 Cases

Nov. 8, 2020

High

Update 7: South Sudan - Rise in Measles Cases Further Adds to Ongoing Challenges of COVID-19 Pandemic

Nov. 4, 2020

Medium

Update 6: South Sudan - Measles & Polio Outbreak Add to Ongoing Challenges of COVID-19

Aug. 15, 2020

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Update 5: South Sudan - Declares State of Emergency in Flood-Hit Areas Adding to Ongoing Challenges of COVID-19

July 23, 2020

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Update 4: South Sudan - Malaria Threat Continues Amid COVID-19 Crisis

May 13, 2020

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Update 3: South Sudan - Reopens Airports Despite Rise in COVID-19 Cases

May 9, 2020

High

Update 2: South Sudan - Lifts Several COVID-19 Restrictions Despite Rise in Cases

April 23, 2020

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Update 1: South Sudan - Extends COVID-19 Lockdown Indefinitely

April 9, 2020

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South Sudan - Confirms Second
COVID-19 Case

Impact level Definitions

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Immediate	Certain - Supply Wisdom recommends considering prompt action. Examples of Immediate level alert events may include bankruptcy filings, data breaches, unexpected curfews, strikes, power black-outs, major geo-political events etc.
High	Highly likely to occur in the near term (within 3 months) - Supply Wisdom recommends being in a state of readiness to take quick action. Examples of High level alert events may include withdrawal of rating by ratings agencies, hostile takeover, multiple cyber-attacks, new business policies causing significant hardship etc.
Medium	Likely to occur in the mid-term (within 3 to 6 months) - Supply Wisdom recommends reviewing current mitigation steps and being ready to take proactive actions if and when situation deteriorates further. Examples of Medium level alert events may include unplanned C-level exits, suppliers caught in bribery cases, economy slipping into recession.
Low	Possible in the long-term (after 6 months) - Supply Wisdom recommends taking proactive action if situation does not resolve. Examples of Low level alert events may include lawsuits filed against suppliers, client losses, air pollution alerts issued by country's local authorities, unexpected holidays announced for the location etc.
Informational	The event is pertinent information but does not have a risk element associated with it. Examples of Info level alert events may include launch of new solutions, partnerships signed, industry outlook, positive changes in government policies, announcements regarding launch of software parks/ free trade zones/special economic zones etc.