

**MoHS Statement on Novel Coronavirus (22 February 2020, 8:00PM) ([Link](#))**  
***(Unofficial translation by OCHA)***

1. The Ministry of Health and Sports (MoHS) has been working on monitoring and preventive measures of the COVID-19, which has been spreading in China and some countries in the world, at international entrances/gates, at public hospitals and among communities, as well as in cooperation with private hospitals.
2. There was no new Persons Under Investigation (PUI) for COVID-19 in Regions/States between 8:00 PM of 21 February 2020 and 8:00 PM of 22 February 2020.
3. According to the result of the designated laboratory on the morning of 22 February 2020, the patient who has been under surveillance and treated at Magway Region Hospital tested negative for COVID-19.
4. As of 6:00 PM on 22 February 2020, there were eight patients who continued to be under surveillance for 48 hours at designated hospitals in relevant Regions/States, although they have tested negative for COVID-19, according to the guidelines. They all were in good health.

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