**MoHS Statement on COVID-19 (16 April 2020, 10:00 AM) (**[**Link**](https://www.facebook.com/MinistryOfHealthAndSportsMyanmar/posts/3331072506922031?__xts__%5B0%5D=68.ARD2KV39cNYJRR6gj9ocj6J-A_94TxHuoPDu_J0Uda1GhT6fVY6XdwBKcX5UeRBd4QIv-FgXN9jPpiqMFT1N9cQd59bXCKwM3TyL4v3lz1LAUUc1dpKoC9yREtntxeG3MN3qCsternIut0GWKUWOWB7zW4BwkOFobSS5ih6nO0w8bugkgV571VUrrNBcB20O7eHFzXvxUBg4Or04algWO15XXJ_dVmrOhMQxydNt16QACzvbsgoG3sZPaAiSIk7Y9BmNDxa6gF2MJT6S6ii4ATV8JTdZEGaYXCcCFVKwGqgAw6Toe6z0kmGyV_JQA-qEkbZIso1o7Bzt0iFVa1rCkVsRSw&__tn__=-R)**)**

*(Unofficial translation by OCHA)*

1. The National Health Laboratory (Yangon) tested the nasal swabs of a total of 400 Persons Under Investigation (PUIs) delivered by respective Region/State and quarantined/prohibited PUIs on 15 April 2020.
2. Out of all tested nasal swabs, updates about 128 PUIs tested negative for COVID-19 was released at 8:00 PM news on 15 April 2020.
3. According to the test results of National Health Laboratory (Yangon) at 3:00 AM on 16 April 2020, nasal swabs of remaining 272 PUIs were tested. Out of 272 PUIs, 11 tested positive for COVID-19 (See table 1) and remaining 261 tested negative.
4. There are 85 confirmed patients of COVID-19 in Myanmar as of now and 11 new patients will be transferred to respective hospitals for medical treatment.

Table 1

**Statement of nasal swab testing results of COVID-19**

**(16 April 2020, 10:00 AM)**

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| **Case No.** | **Age** | **Gender** | **Address** | **Contact with COVID-19 positive case** | **Travel history to abroad** | **Hospital receiving treatment** | **Date of admission to hospital** | **COVID-19 lab result** | **Remarks** |
| 75 | 35 | F | North Oakkalapa Township, Yangon Region | Yes | No | Waibargi Specialist Hospital | 14.4.2020 | Positive | Quarantine patient |
| 76 | 20 | M | Ahlone Township, Yangon Region | Yes | No | Waibargi Specialist Hospital | 16.4.2020 | Positive | Quarantine at one of the facilities in Yangon and nasal swab was tested. |
| 77 | 33 | F | Sanchaung Township, Yangon Region | Yes | No | Waibargi Specialist Hospital | 16.4.2020 | Positive |
| 78 | 67 | M | Tedim Township, Chin State | Yes | No | Tedim General Hospital | 16.4.2020 | Positive | Home quarantine and nasal swab was tested |
| 79 | 43 | M | Bahan Township, Yangon Region | No | No | Waibargi Specialist Hospital | 14.4.2020 | Positive | Quarantine patient |
| 80 | 28 | M | Hlaingtharyar Township, Yangon Region | Yes | No | Waibargi Specialist Hospital | 16.4.2020 | Positive | Quarantine at one of the facilities in Yangon and nasal swab was tested. |
| 81 | 28 | F | Hlaingtharyar Township, Yangon Region | Yes | No | Waibargi Specialist Hospital | 16.4.2020 | Positive |
| 82 | 38 | F | Aungmyaytharzan Township, Mandalay Region | No | Yes  (Turkey) | Kantawnadi Hospital | 16.4.2020 | Positive | Quarantine at one of the facilities in Mandalay and nasal swab was tested. |
| 83 | 63 | M | Pazundaung Township, Yangon Region | No | Yes  (Singapore) | Waibargi Specialist Hospital | 14.4.2020 | Positive | Quarantine patient |
| 84 | 40 | M | Insein Township, Yangon Region | Yes | No | Waibargi Specialist Hospital | 14.4.2020 | Positive | Quarantine patient |
| 85 | 77 | M | Dagon Myothit (South), Yangon Region | No | No | Waibargi Specialist Hospital | 14.4.2020 | Positive | Quarantine patient |

\*Remaining (389) PUIs tested negative for COVID-19.