**MoHS Statement on COVID-19 (24 April 2020, 00:30 AM) (**[**Link**](https://www.facebook.com/MinistryOfHealthAndSportsMyanmar/posts/3351466508215964?__xts__%5B0%5D=68.ARAhbrreCS4AljvqhI3TsU2DsiVAgP28x_vPdmvtsVdXdxyU39ssVhLRWWI8Y4ZC0bI9ZjrlSZAFU5d-HYZhDAyRYiT8rxE4pP29sVXB_l_NZL3JfO2LIwlTIakbtaIFLhNYvR2X9p3RjUQqhGD7pEFR3a_FKXUdci9DyOpiBJQqYKN8cUGufi5oPiavw3JwGr7-c-qCcsSrsu88E6vP5kLdbMg5mr6IhffI8sFniA6XXrQl8L-MRu2UYomuRf73emAlQsM6R6EWiH60mPHIlct3Vv5uzpptqDa6FXtcHjGJ8xtYIDnlJLfbMd9GpfHP4d-W5dTi13j5BPk9TkMtAGWKAw&__tn__=-R)**)**

*(Unofficial translation by OCHA)*

1. The National Health Laboratory (Yangon) tested the nasal swabs of 183 PUIs (second and third batches) on 23 April 2020 at night, in which all tested negative (negative).
2. There are 132 confirmed patients of COVID-19 in Myanmar up to 00:30 AM of 24 April 2020.

**Status of laboratory test on COVID-19**

**24 April 2020, 00:30 AM**

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| **Total lab tests on 23 April 2020 (nasal swab) (first, second and third batches)** | **(265) unit** |
| **New positive patient for COVID-19 (SARS-COV-2) (first batch)** | **(5) persons** |
| **New positive patient for COVID-19 (SARS-COV-2) (second and third batches)** | **(0) persons** |
| **Negative for COVID-19 (SARS-COV-2)** **(first, second and third batches)** | **(260) persons** |

Remarks: Update regarding five new positive patients in the first batch of the test on 23 April 2020 was released at 8:00 PM news on 23 April 2020.