

COVID-19 MOVEMENT RESTRICTIONS

YEMEN MOBILITY RESTRICTION DASHBOARD #28

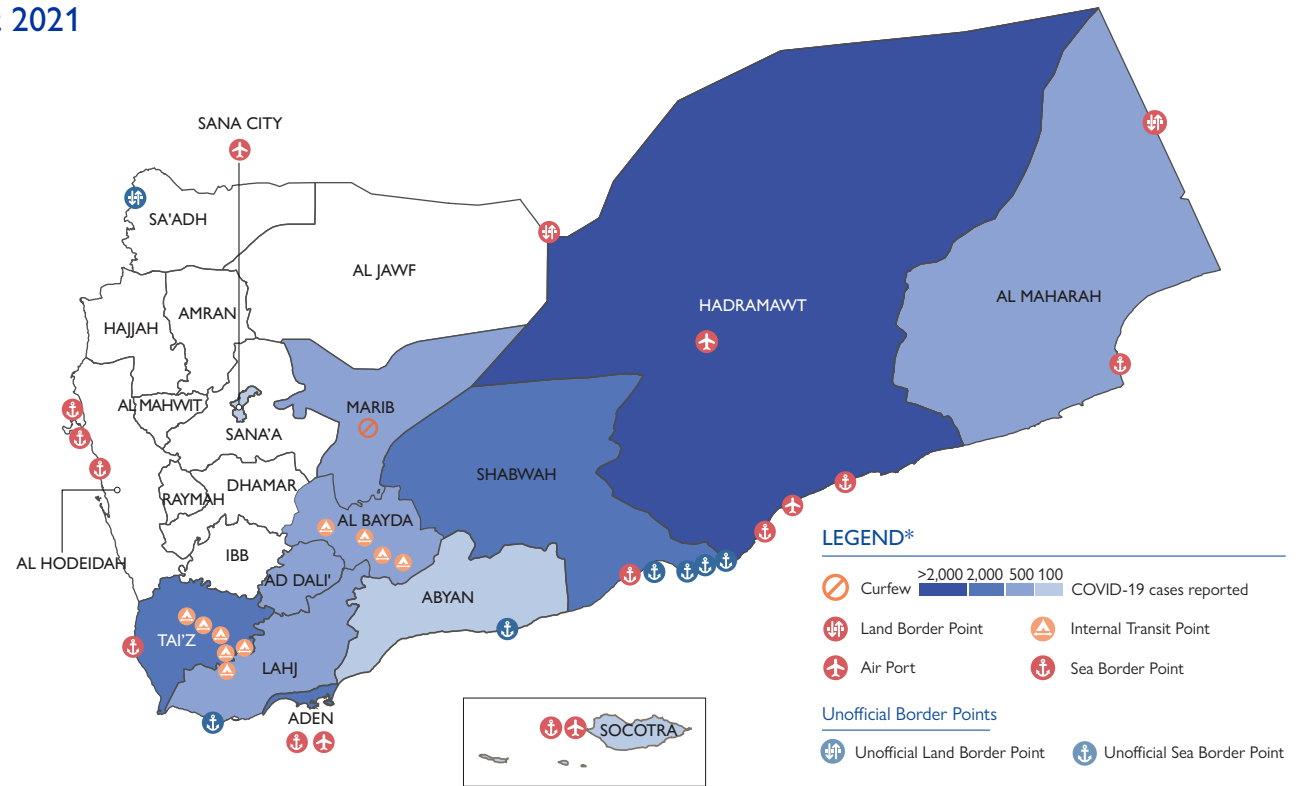
Total Reported COVID-19 Cases in Yemen as of 31 August 2021

Source: National Center for Disease Control

7,829 Confirmed | **4,856** Recovered | **1,469** Deaths





HIGHLIGHTS (From 01 to 31 August 2021)

- 768 new cases – 94 new deaths | source: [WHO](https://www.who.int)
- Updates on numbers of new cases in areas controlled by the De Facto Authorities (DFA) based in Sana'a are not available.
- 1,756 non-Yemeni migrants arrived at the Yemeni southern governorates of Lahj, Hadramowt and Shabwah, and 2,769 Yemeni returnees arrived in Yemen from Saudi Arabia (KSA). ([Please see August FMR report for more details](#))
- No IDP households (HH) reported COVID-19 as the reason of displacement. So far, the total number of IDP HHs who have cited COVID-19 as the primary reason for displacement is 1,559 households.
- Ministry of Public Health and Population received on 29 August in Aden the first shipment of Johnson & Johnson COVID-19 vaccine. The bunch includes 151 thousand doses out of 504 thousand doses provided by the United States of America the COVID19 Vaccines Global Access (COVAX).



Mobility Restrictions

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the local authorities of Yemen declared a nationwide health emergency and introduced many preventative measures similar to those adopted by the rest of the world starting in March 2020, in order to reduce the transmission of the virus. The Yemeni authorities had put additional preventive measures and health screenings for people passing through ten transit points used for public movement between southern and northern governorates, specifically at points located in Taizz and Al-Bayda. These restrictions have been loosened and the health screenings have been removed. For Yemeni returnees from KSA through Al Wadeeah border point and from Oman through Shahin border point providing a COVID-19 PCR test report is mandatory. Fifteen sea border points and three land border points are reopened for movement.

-  The movement restrictions were lifted, and the health screenings have been removed from internal transit points.
-  Al Wadeeah land border point (between Yemen and KSA) is open, allowing Yemenis holding a negative PCR test in addition to a COVID-19 vaccination certification to enter KSA. Al Shahin land border point (between Yemen and Oman) is opened; permitting entry to Yemen from Oman subject to providing a negative PCR test. Entry to Oman is allowed entry to holders of corona virus vaccination certificates stating that they have received two doses or one dose of the "Covid-19" vaccine approved by the local authorities in Oman.
-  International Airports in Sana'a, Aden, Sayun and Al Rayan reopened for international flights.
-  Authorities in the governorate of Ma'rib imposed a curfew from 09 p.m. until 04 a.m. in an attempt to combat the spread of COVID-19.

Governorate	Cases	Recovered	Deaths
Hadramawt	2,991	1,915	746
Taiz	1,519	876	232
Aden	1,442	866	79
Shabwah	544	400	118
Lahj	390	246	91
Al Maharah	267	212	49
Ad Dali	238	95	45
Marib	264	139	38
Al Bayda	154	80	70
Abyan	43	25	10
Socotra	19	0	1
Sanaa City	4	2	2