Update on Covid-19 (20th September 2020)

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Media Statement 20 September 2020

As of today, the cumulative number of detected COVID-19 cases is 661 211 with 1 555 new cases identified.

Province	Total cases for 20 September 2020	Percentage total
Eastern Cape	88164	13,3
Free State	44037	6,7
Gauteng	217370	32,9
KwaZulu-Natal	117743	17,8
Limpopo	14703	2,2
Mpumalanga	26479	4,0
North West	28171	4,3
Northern Cape	15037	2,3
Western Cape	109507	16,6
Unknown	0	0,0
Total	661211	100,0

The cumulative number of tests conducted to date is 4 041 543 with 16 884 new tests conducted since the last report.

Sector	Total tested		New tested	
PRIVATE	2 291 872	57%	8 467	
PUBLIC	1 749 671	43%	8 417	
Total	4 041 543		16 884	

Total Deaths and Recoveries

Regrettably, we report 13 more COVID-19 related deaths: 3 from Eastern Cape 1 from KwaZulu-Natal, 3 from Gauteng and 6 from Western Cape.

This brings the total number of COVID-19 related deaths to 15 953.

We extend our condolences to the loved ones of the departed and thank the healthcare workers that treated the deceased patients.

Our recoveries now stand at 590 071 which translates to a recovery rate of 89,2%

Province	Total Deaths	Total Recoveries	Active Cases
Eastern Cape	3070	84108	986
Free State	838	29049	14150
Gauteng	4030	193153	20187
KwaZulu-Natal	2531	108004	7208
Limpopo	362	13630	711
Mpumalanga	496	25049	934
North West	325	23829	4017
Northern Cape	184	11353	3500
Western Cape	4117	101896	3494
National	15953	590071	55187

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