

COVID-19 Vaccination Programme statistics

The COVID-19 Vaccination Programme has been implemented for 101 days since February 26, 2021.

So far, about 2 637 500 doses of vaccines have been administered under the Vaccination Programme. Details are as follows:

	Number of persons receiving Sinovac vaccine	Number of persons receiving BioNTech vaccine	Total number of doses
First vaccine dose	663 800	864 300	1 528 100
Second vaccine dose	467 200	642 200	1 109 400

* The numbers are rounded to the nearest hundred.

In the 24 hours ending at 8pm today (June 6), about 39 300 persons have received vaccination and about 28 800 new vaccination bookings have been made online. Details are as follows:

	Sinovac vaccine	BioNTech vaccine
Number of persons receiving first dose	9 200	15 300
Number of persons receiving second dose	4 100	10 600
Overall percentage of persons receiving vaccines at Community Vaccination Centres (CVCs)	96%	97%
Number of online bookings for receiving first and second vaccine doses	10 200	18 600

* The numbers are rounded to the nearest hundred.

In the 24 hours ending at 0.00am today, there were 14 cases of ambulance transfer to hospital from CVCs. They were sent to hospital after experiencing common side effects after vaccination and were in stable condition. Eight of them were discharged, four persons were admitted for observation and two persons were discharged against medical advice.

Return2hk Scheme – matters relating to list of temporarily inapplicable at-risk places in Mainland

A Government spokesman said today (June 6) that the list of at-risk places that are temporarily inapplicable under the Return2hk Scheme (list of at-risk areas) will be further adjusted.

Currently, when an area in the Mainland is listed as a medium-risk area or high-risk area by the National Health Commission (NHC), that area will be correspondingly listed in the Return2hk Scheme's list of at-risk areas.

To further enhance the risk management under the Return2hk Scheme, when the Government updates the list of at-risk areas, apart from including the medium or high-risk areas as listed by the NHC in accordance with the relevant epidemic situation in the Mainland, reference will also be made to the confirmed and infected cases as notified by the Mainland and Macao health authorities, as well as information officially announced by the relevant authorities. Meanwhile, to ensure the smooth implementation of the list of at-risk areas at boundary control points, sub-district will be adopted as the smallest unit when listing the relevant areas on the list, and no further classification by individual buildings or phases within the sub-districts will be made.

In accordance with the requirements under the Return2hk Scheme, Hong Kong residents who have stayed in any area in the Mainland that is included on the list of at-risk areas on the day of arrival at Hong Kong or during the 14 days before that day will not be exempted from compulsory quarantine under the Return2hk Scheme upon their entry into Hong Kong, and will have to undergo a 14-day compulsory quarantine at home.

"We have also noted that Guangzhou has announced the stringent implementation of their control requirements, so as to ensure that persons who have stayed in medium or high-risk areas will not be able to leave the areas. The public are also urged not to leave Guangzhou unless necessary. Meanwhile, those who have to leave Guangzhou will be required from noon on June 7 to hold a proof of negative nucleic acid test result obtained within 48 hours," the Government spokesman added.

The Government will continue to maintain close communication and liaison with the Mainland and Macao authorities on epidemic prevention and control measures of the three places, and adjust when appropriate the list of at-risk areas that are inapplicable under the Scheme based on risk assessment and with reference to the epidemic developments locally and in the Mainland. Hong Kong residents intending to return to Hong Kong under the Return2hk Scheme

should check in advance the risk areas as published on the Government website, and avoid staying in the proximity of areas listed by the Mainland as medium-risk area or high-risk area.

Details of the Return2hk Scheme are available at the "COVID-19 Thematic Website" (return2hk.gov.hk or www.gov.hk).

[Missing man in Kwun Tong located](#)

A man who went missing in Kwun Tong has been located.

Wong Chun-hin, aged 27, went missing after he was last seen at Fo Tan MTR Station on June 1 morning. His family made a report to Police on June 3.

The man was located in Sheung Shui this afternoon (June 6). He sustained no injuries and no suspicious circumstances were detected.

[Service suspension of Ping Shan Tin Shui Wai Public Library tomorrow](#)

The Leisure and Cultural Services Department (LCSD) today (June 6) said that, since a person tested positive with N501Y mutant strain had visited the Ping Shan Tin Shui Wai Public Library (PSTSWPL), the Government has published a notice in the Gazette requesting any person who had been to the PSTSWPL for more than one hour at any time during the period from 9am to 2pm on June 1 to undergo testing by tomorrow (June 7). PSTSWPL will therefore be closed tomorrow to tie in with the compulsory testing of relevant staff who are required to obtain a negative test result before resuming duties.

Thorough cleaning and sterilisation has already been conducted at the PSTSWPL. Enhanced measures including cleaning and disinfection have also been conducted in the public libraries. Visitors to facilities of the public libraries are required to scan the "LeaveHomeSafe" QR code or register their name, contact number and the date and time of entry. They will also be subject to temperature checks before admission, as well as needing to use hand sanitiser and wear their own masks. Children under 12 will only be allowed to enter public libraries when accompanied by an adult. The LCSD is highly concerned about the COVID-19 epidemic and will continue to maintain close liaison with the Centre for Health Protection. Staff are reminded to pay attention to personal hygiene and to stay vigilant. They should seek medical advice immediately if feeling unwell.

[Hong Kong Customs seizes suspected ketamine worth about \\$27.8 million \(with photo\)](#)

Hong Kong Customs seized about 50 kilograms of suspected ketamine with an estimated market value of about \$27.8 million at Hong Kong International Airport (HKIA) yesterday (June 5). Two men were subsequently arrested.

Customs officers yesterday inspected an air consignment, declared as carrying food items, arriving in Hong Kong from Pakistan at HKIA. The batch of suspected ketamine was found concealed inside packages of spices mixed-loaded with other food items in three out of ten carton boxes.

After follow-up investigation, Customs officers yesterday arrested two men, aged 19 and 41, suspected to be in connection with the case at HKIA.

Investigation is ongoing.

Customs reminds members of the public to stay alert and not to participate in drug trafficking activities for monetary return. They must not accept hiring or delegation from another party to carry controlled items into and out of Hong Kong. They are also reminded not to carry unknown items for other people, nor to release their personal data or home address to others for receiving parcels or goods.

Under the Dangerous Drugs Ordinance, trafficking in a dangerous drug is a serious offence. The maximum penalty upon conviction is a fine of \$5 million and life imprisonment.

Members of the public may report any suspected drug trafficking activities to Customs' 24-hour hotline 2545 6182 or its dedicated crime-reporting email account (crimereport@customs.gov.hk).

