# **COVID-19 MOVEMENT RESTRICTIONS**

### YEMEN MOBILITY RESTRICTION DASHBOARD #35



#### Total Reported COVID-19 Cases in Yemen as of 31 March 2022

Source: National Center for Disease Control

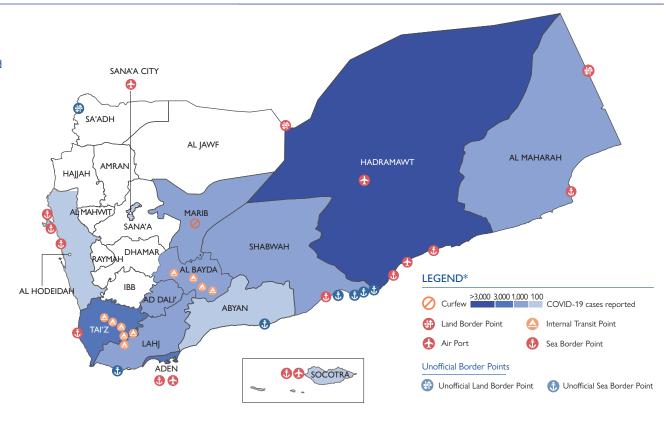
11,803<sub>Confirmed</sub> 8,994<sub>Recovered</sub> 2,143<sub>Deaths</sub> 807,502<sub>Vaccinated</sub>

#### HIGHLIGHTS (From 1 to 31 March 2022)

- 34 new cases 9 new deaths | source: WHO
- Updates on numbers of new cases in areas controlled by the De Facto Authorities (DFA) based in Sana'a are not available.
- 5,354 non-Yemeni migrants arrived at the Yemeni southern governorates of Lahj and Shabwah and 7,607 Yemeni returnees arrived in Yemen from Kingdom of Saudi Arabia (KSA). (Please see March 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.
- The authorities of Al Wadeeah land border between Yemen and Saudi Arabia announced the lifting of COVID-19- travel restrictions. Travelers can now cross Al Wadeeah land border without providing PCR tests or proof of vaccinations.
- In early March, the Saudi Arabian government lifted all COVID-19-related entry restrictions. Visitors to KSA no longer need to present proof of vaccination or a PCR test to enter the country, and guarantine requirements have been removed.

## **Mobility Restrictions**

Yemen has experienced three waves of COVID-19 infections. The first case was recorded in early April 2020, marking the first wave. During the third wave, infection numbers began to steadily decline in mid-October 2021. Reported cases of COVID-19 infections are only from IRG-controlled areas, to which the vaccine roll-out has been limited to. There are currently no COVID-19 related restrictions in place in the northern or southern areas of Yemen. All preventative measures and health screenings for people traveling within Yemen have been removed. Additionally, movement restrictions for Yemeni returnees from KSA traveling through Al Wadeeah border point and from Oman traveling through Shahin border point have been lifted. 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.

COVID-19-related travel restrictions previously enforced at Al Wadeeah land border point (between Yemen and KSA) have been lifted. Entry to Yemen from Oman through Al Shahin land border point is permitted, without any COVID-19-related measures. However, entry to Oman requires proof of vaccination against COVID-19, certified by the local authorities in Oman.

International Airports in Sana'a, Aden, Sayun and Al Rayan are open for international flights.

Governorate	Cases	Recovered	Deaths
Hadramawt	4,276	3,156	1,086
Aden	2,251	1,791	208
Taiz	1,914	1,661	270
Shabwah	756	484	177
Marib	700	522	83
Lahj	525	311	116
Al Maharah	451	370	71
Ad Dali	375	127	72
Al Bayda	255	213	13
Abyan	56	41	14
Socotra	216	160	22
Al Hodiedah	45	36	7

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