COVID-19 Turkey Infosheet
23 May 2020

155,686 Cases
1,807,673 Tests
9% Case/ Test Rate
76% Recovery Rate
117,602 recoveries

on May 23
• 40,178 persons tested
• 1,186 confirmed cases
• 1,491 patients recovered
• 32 deaths (4,308 in total)
in total
• 775 patients in ICU
• 388 patients need ventilator
• 117,602 patients recovered

SAFE MEASURES
• Inter-city bus travel is subject to permission.
• Citizens aged 65 and over and 20 or below as well as people who suffer from a chronic illnesses are restricted from leaving their homes and walking in public areas.
• All public business including cafes, gyms, cinemas, salons, and pubs are closed; restaurants are open for takeaway only. All nonessential meetings and trainings conducted by non-governmental organizations are cancelled until further notice.
• Land and sea borders are partially open only for commercial vehicles only.
• All international flights are suspended until June 10, while domestic flights are suspended until June 4.
• There is a nationwide ban on prayer gatherings until further notice.
• Using a face mask covering mouth and nose is mandatory for visits to markets, groceries, public transportation and in private vehicles carrying at least one passenger.
• All grocery stores provide service only between 09:00 and 21:00 local time.
• The sale of non-essential items such as clothing, toys, ornaments and other accessories is temporarily suspended.
• Maritime passenger service from Istanbul province to other cities is suspended during the present outbreak.
• Restrictions are in place for entry and exit by land, air and sea for 14 major provinces (shown in above map) and Zonguldak. Curfew is effective
• Curfew is effective for whole country between 23 May 00:00 and 26 May 23:59

PROGRESSION
March 10
First confirmed case of Covid-19 seen in the country
March 17
First death caused by Covid-19 in the country
April 10
Number of deaths caused by Covid-19 exceeded 1,000
April 23
Number of confirmed cases of Covid-19 exceeded 100,000
April 30
Number of tests exceeded 1,000,000
May 7
Number of recovered patients exceeded 80,000

TOP 10 PROVINCES WITH HIGHEST CASE NUMBERS*
1. Istanbul 12,231
2. Izmir 1,105
3. Ankara 860
4. Konya 601
5. Kocaeli 500
6. Sakarya 337
7. Isparta 289
8. Bursa 259
9. Adana 241
10. Zonguldak 197

*T as of April 14

CASES BY PROVINCE

MOVEMENT RESTRICTIONS

SAFETY MEASURES