

COVID-19 Situation Report

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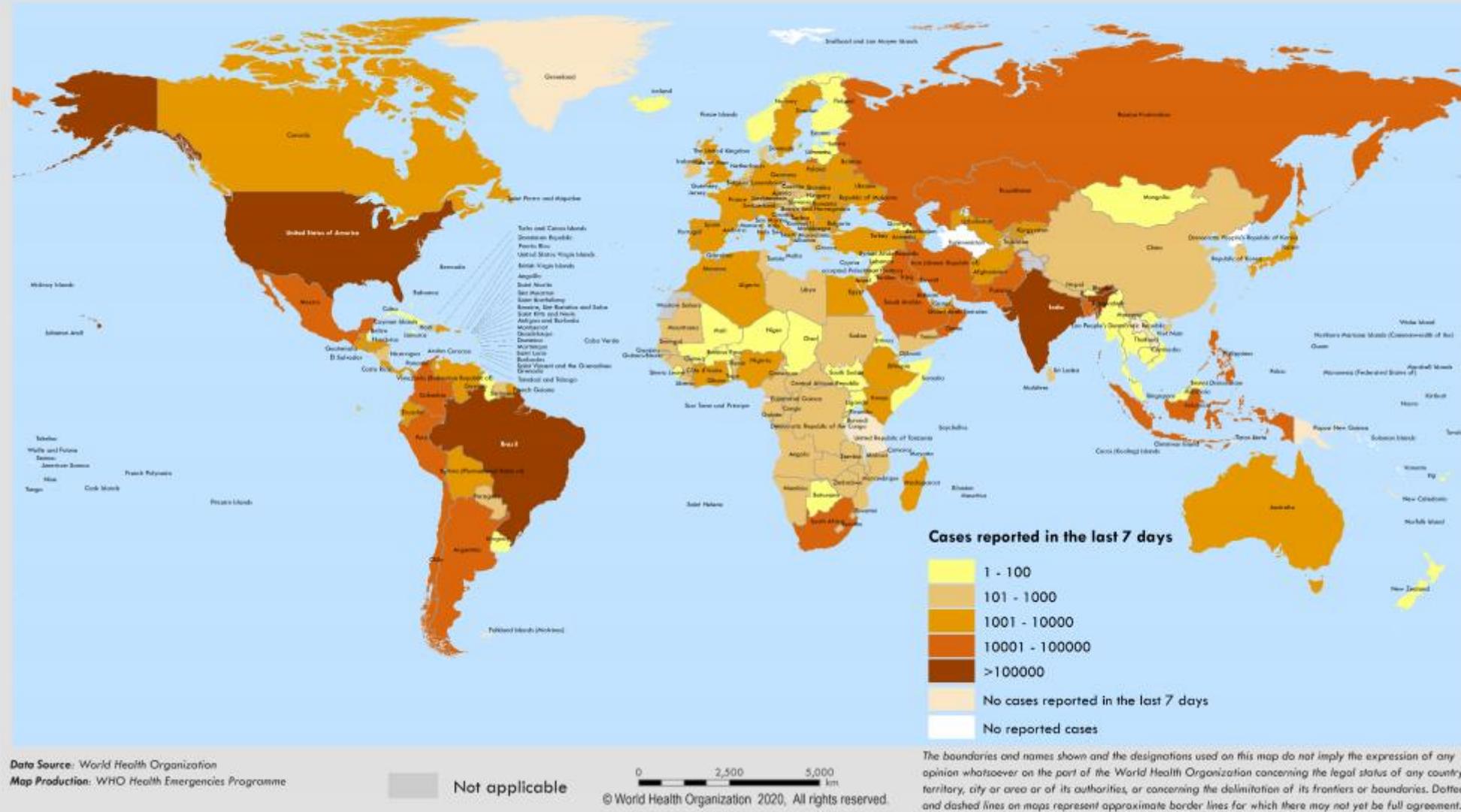
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Global COVID-19 Update

FIGURE 1. Number of confirmed COVID-19 cases reported in the last seven days by country, territory or area, 8 July to 14 July **

SOURCE:
WHO situation report



Latest Data

DATA AS OF 14 JULY 2020	LATIN AMERICA	AFRICA
Total number of cases	3,386,775	492,660
Cases in last 24 hours	50,193	15,085
Total number of deaths	144,943	8,430
Deaths in last 24 hours	1,531	177

Source: <https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/situation-reports>

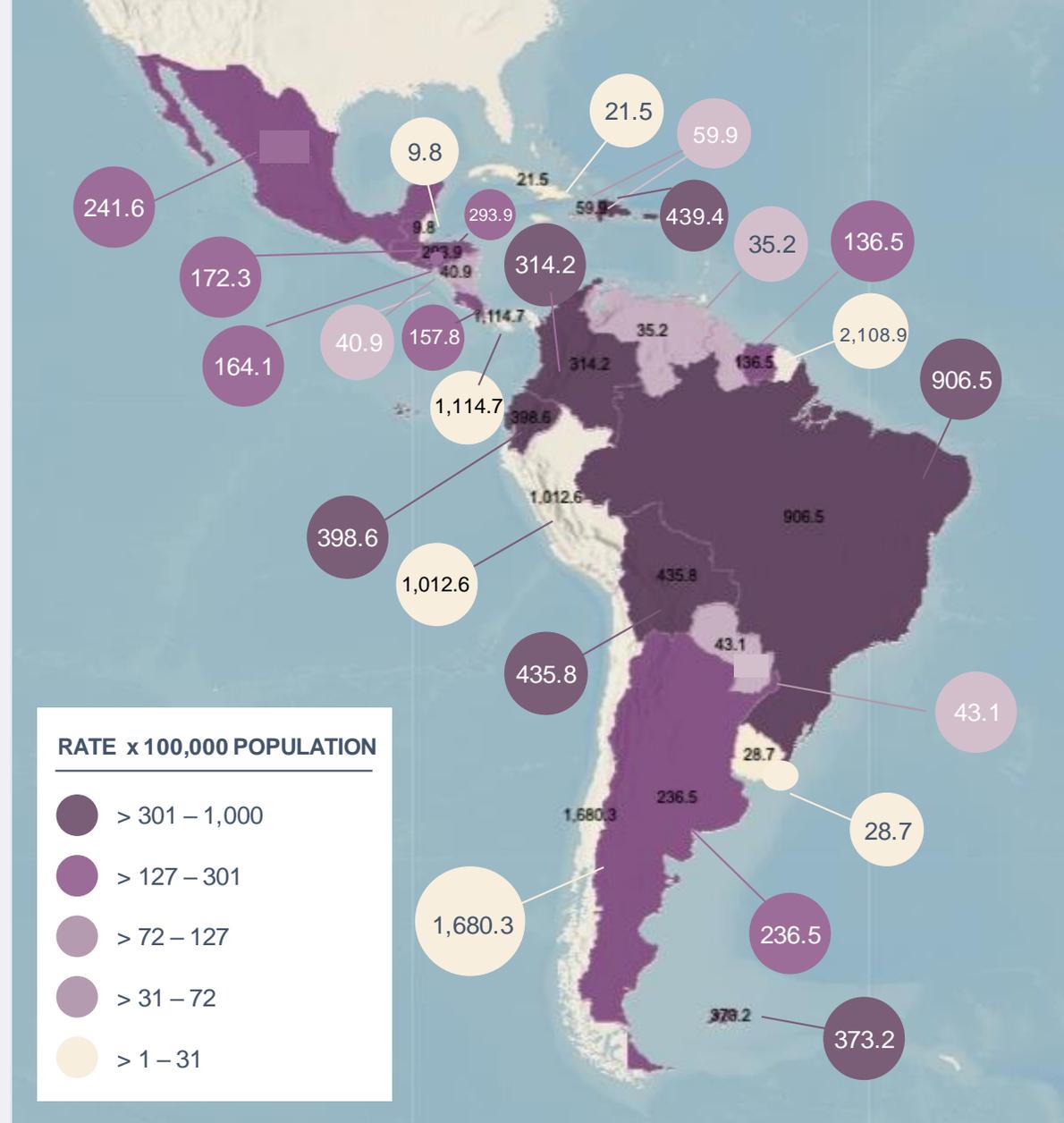
Situation in Latin America

HOTSPOTS

- Argentina
- Columbia
- Costa Rica
- Dominican Republic
- Paraguay
- Venezuela

HIGH-LEVEL TRENDS

- ▶ Latin America remains a driver of global growth
- ▶ **Latin America and the Caribbean now account for 50% of virus cases in the Americas**



Source: [PAHO COVID-19 Information System](#)

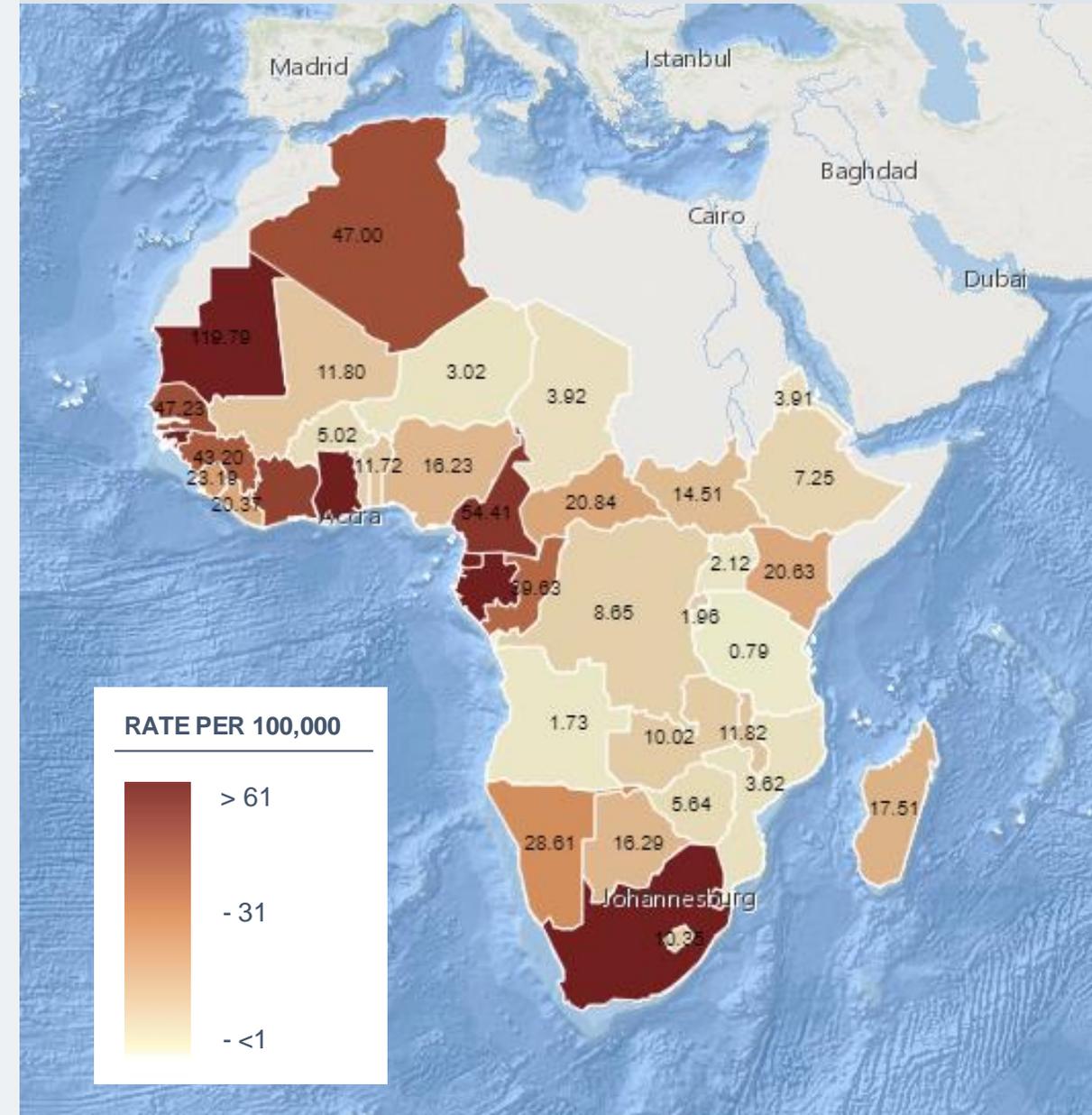
Situation in Africa

HOTSPOTS

- Angola
- Benin
- Burundi
- Congo
- Mozambique
- Tunisia

HIGH-LEVEL TRENDS

- ▶ Consistent growth in cases and deaths across the region
- ▶ South Africa has over 50% of all cases in the WHO AFRO region



Source:

<https://who.maps.arcgis.com/apps/opsdashboard/index.html#/0c9b3a8b68d0437a8cf28581e9c063a9>

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What's New This Week in **Latin America**

COVID-19 Cases Continue to **Rise**



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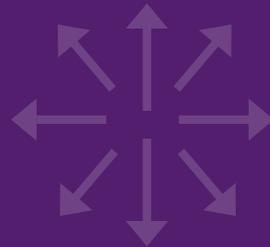
Mayors **Can:**



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- Follow the data and promote evidenced based action such as:
 - Managing essential services
 - Promoting shelter in place
 - Scaling up testing & contact tracing
 - Communicate often to build trust and mobilize residents

What's New This Week in Africa

Expanding Community Transmission



The case trend is starting to look like other parts of the world

Mayors Can:



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- Promote public health and social measures (PHSMs), including frequent hand washing, social distancing and wearing masks
 - Provide accurate information about the pandemic to fight “infodemic” of misinformation

Adaptive Response

CASES OVER TIME →



Effective and coordinated response

- Establish a functional, adequately funded and interconnected incident management system
- Clearly communicate evidence-based information through the multiple means
- Daily briefings from a trusted source

Box the virus in (disease control)

- Implement individual (hand/cough/illness) and environmental hygiene
- Test widely
- Isolate infected people
- Trace and quarantine contacts

Case management

- Protect healthcare workers
- Manage COVID-19 cases
- Provide social, economic, and emotional support for patients
- Facilitate the development of diagnostics, therapeutics and vaccines

Physical distancing

- Make informed decisions based on potential impact, surveys and objective assessments
- Implement and assess adherence to physical distancing and hygiene measures
- Monitor for violence, social disruption and other negative impacts of physical distancing
- Assess and implement as indicated quarantine of travelers and restrictions on travel

Essential health services

Maintain vaccination, maternal and child health, behavioral health and care of chronic conditions

Essential societal services

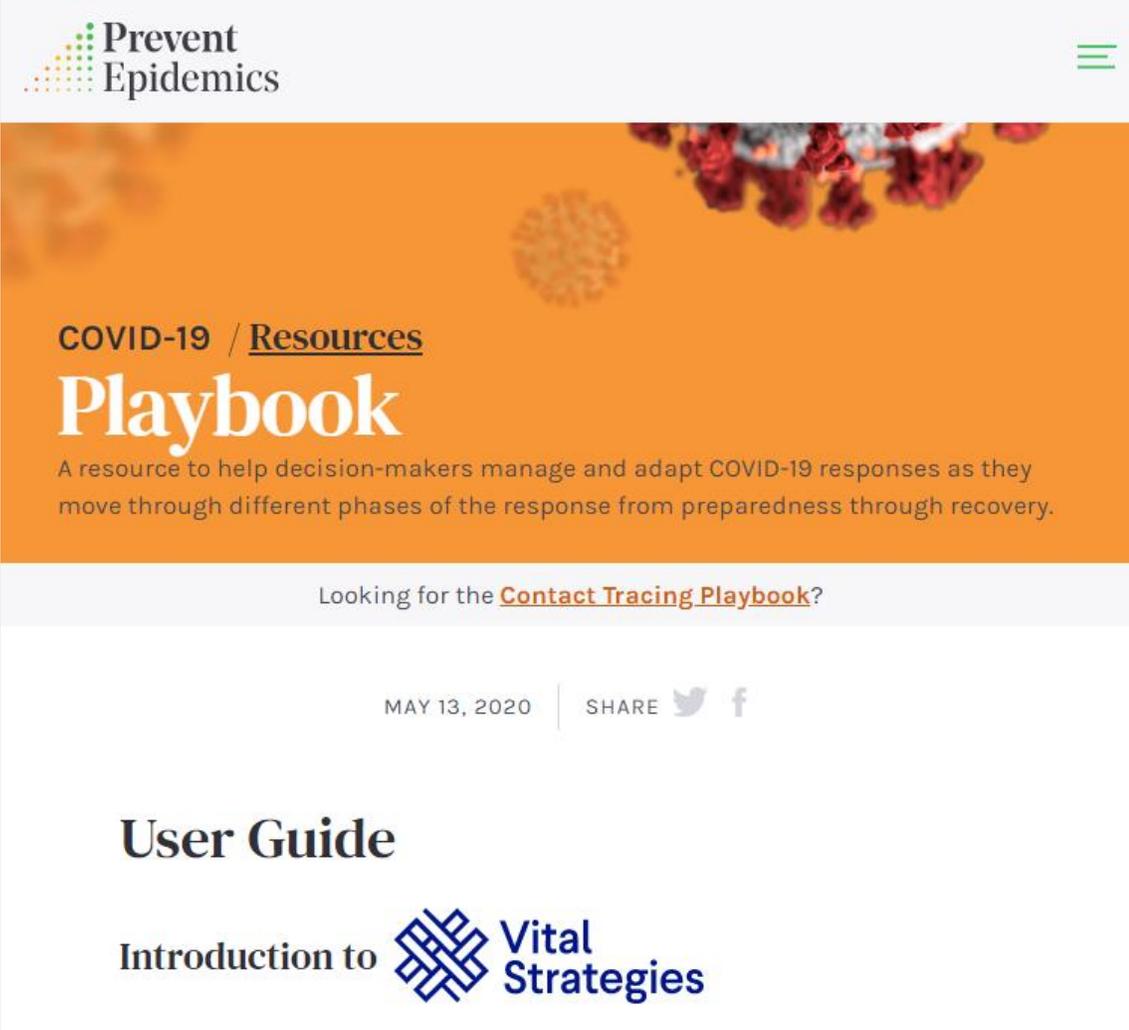
Ensure security and access to basic provisions, power, water, internet, media, and financial services

Pharmaceutical interventions

- Treatments
- Vaccines

The COVID-19 Playbook

- ▶ Provides quick, practical access to key principles and high-yield tools
- ▶ Describes the **adaptive response** approach for dynamically adapting epidemic response activities
- ▶ Uses data to understand:
 - Sources of transmission
 - Risk to community
 - Response measures to implement



Prevent Epidemics

COVID-19 / Resources
Playbook

A resource to help decision-makers manage and adapt COVID-19 responses as they move through different phases of the response from preparedness through recovery.

Looking for the [Contact Tracing Playbook?](#)

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User Guide

Introduction to  **Vital Strategies**

<https://preventepidemics.org/covid19/resources/playbook/>

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