










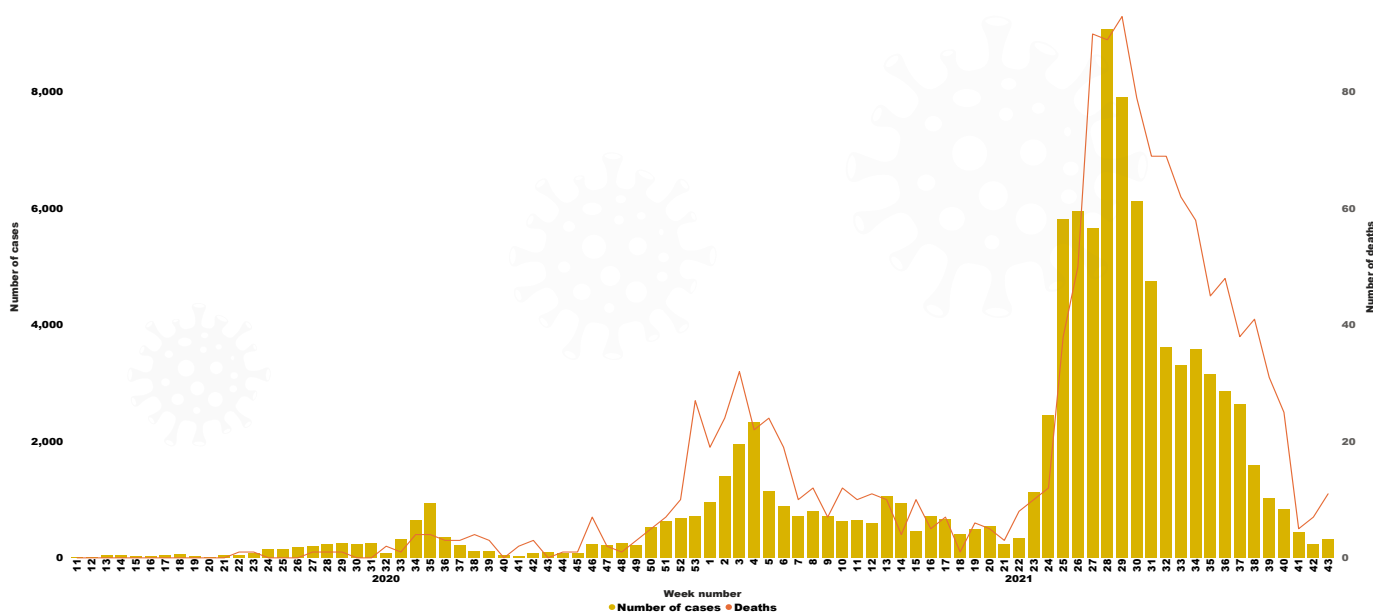
# COVID19 Weekly Epidemiological Bulletin

EPI WEEK 43: From 25<sup>th</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup> October ,2021

## 1. Epidemiological Summary as of 31<sup>st</sup> October 2021

	Number of tests: <b>3,143,258</b>		Active cases: <b>686</b>
	Average tests per day: <b>5,265</b>		Number of cases in critical condition: <b>3</b>
	Number of positive cases: <b>99,698</b>		Number of vaccinated people
	Positivity rate: <b>3.17%</b>		With at least one dose: <b>3,809,048</b>
	Number of deaths: <b>1,331</b>		With two doses: <b>1,990,105</b>
	Case fatality ratio: <b>1.3%</b>		
	Number of recoveries: <b>97,682</b>		
	Recovery rate: <b>97.97 %</b>		

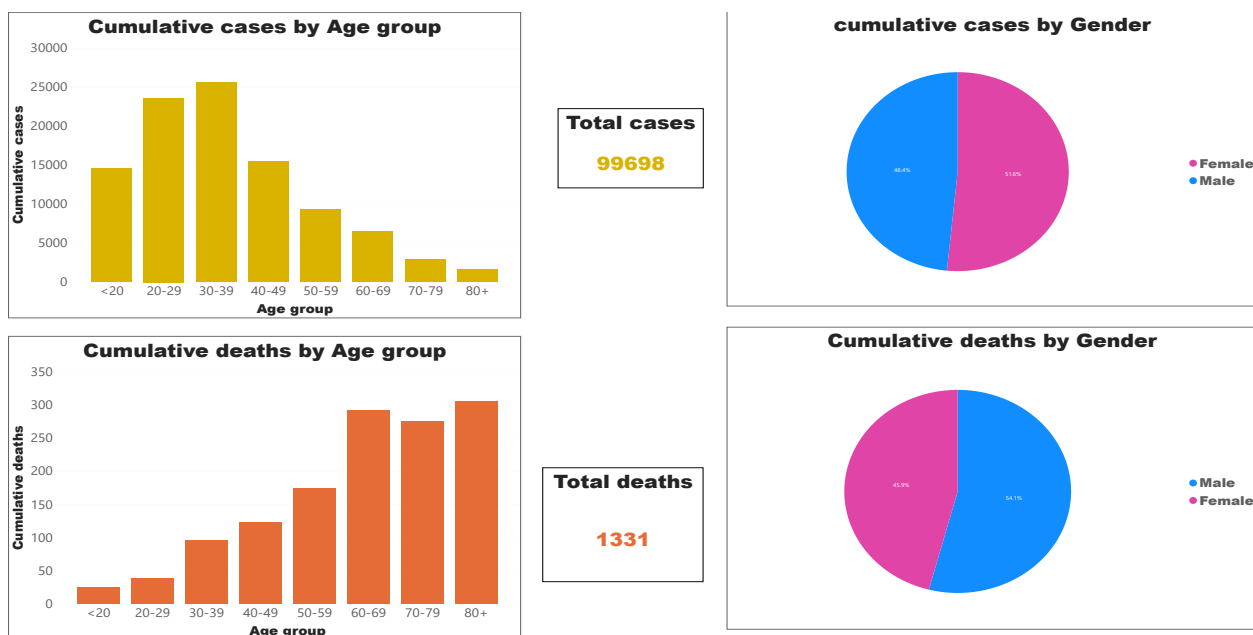
## 2. Weekly trend in number of new cases and deaths



Graph 1: Weekly trends in number of new cases and deaths

### 3. Distribution of cases and deaths by age group and gender.

Distribution of cases and deaths by age group and gender as of October 31,2021



Graph 2 Distribution of cases and deaths by age group and gender

### 4. Weekly summary in numbers: Comparison with the previous week

Indicator	EPI WEEK 42:	EPI WEEK 43:
	From 18 <sup>th</sup> to 22 <sup>nd</sup> October, 2021	From 25 <sup>th</sup> to 31 <sup>st</sup> October, 2021
Number of new tests	59,504	94,286
New cases	229	326
Positivity rate	0.39	0.38
New deaths	7	11
New recoveries	715	354
New cases in Kigali	24	52
New cases outside Kigali	205	274
New deaths in Kigali	0	0
New deaths outside Kigali	7	11
Weekly Incidence rate (cases by 100,000 people)	2/100,000	2/100,000

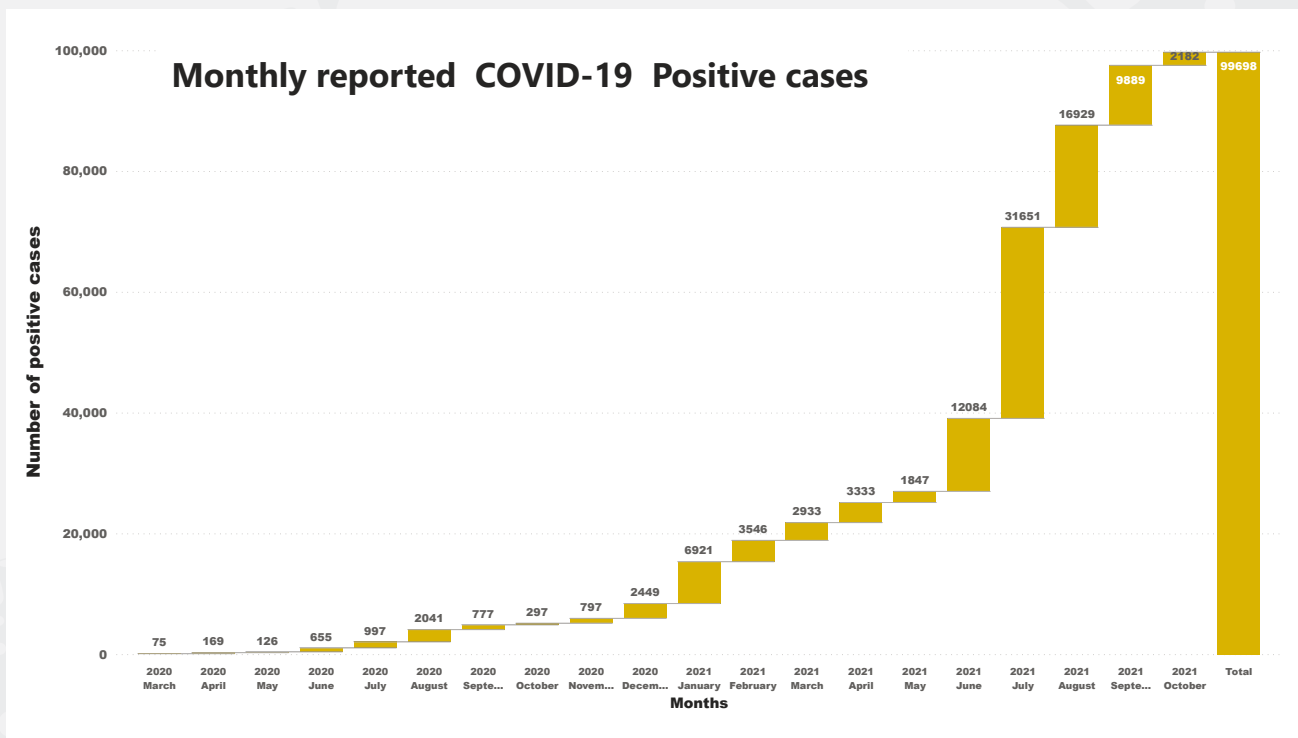
## 5. Weekly focus: October 2021 COVID-19 insight in Rwanda

Compared to four previous months the number of monthly cases and deaths have remarkably declined. The number cases have decreased to 2,182 from 9,889 cases in September. The number of deaths decreased from 183 in September to 58 deaths in October. This remarkable decrease in number of cases and deaths is due to increase in vaccination coverage.

The number of Rwandan who had received at least one dose of COVID-19 vaccine has increased from 2,122,645 at the end of September to 3,809,048 at the end of October 2021.

Considering COVID-19 epidemiological situation in Rwanda Public Health and Social Measures (PHSMs) have been loosened; in October the number of working hours have been increased, all business are working from 4 a.m. to 11 p.m. the curfew was set to 12 p.m.

The graph below shows the Monthly trend in number of COVID-19 cases in Rwanda



## 6. Cumulative cases and deaths by district

Cumulative number of cases and deaths by district as of October 31, 2021

