



Case Investigation form for COVID-19

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Laboratory Numbers

EPID Number:	
REASONS FOR COVID TESTING	
URGENT <input type="checkbox"/> HOSPITALIZED PATIENT (SYMPTOMATIC) <input type="checkbox"/> TRUCK DRIVER (CROSS BORDER) <input type="checkbox"/> HEALTH WORKER (SYMPTOMATIC) <input type="checkbox"/> DECEASED	PRIORITY <input type="checkbox"/> SUSPECTED NEW CASE <input type="checkbox"/> QUARANTINE (2 nd SAMPLE) <input type="checkbox"/> TRAVEL (MEDICAL REASONS) <input type="checkbox"/> HOSPITAL ADMISSION / PRE-OP
ROUTINE <input type="checkbox"/> QUARANTINE (1 st SAMPLE) <input type="checkbox"/> CONTACT TRACING <input type="checkbox"/> 1 st SAMPLE <input type="checkbox"/> 2 nd SAMPLE / <input type="checkbox"/> ACTIVE CASE SEARCH <input type="checkbox"/> TRAVEL (NON-MEDICAL) <input type="checkbox"/> RETEST (CONFIRMED CASE) DATE OF PREVIOUS TEST:	
Laboratory results received Positive <input type="checkbox"/> Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate <input type="checkbox"/> Not done/rejected <input type="checkbox"/> Date lab results received:	
SPECIMEN TYPE	
<input type="checkbox"/> Nasopharyngeal (NP)swab <input type="checkbox"/> Sputum <input type="checkbox"/> Other - (Specify): <input type="checkbox"/> Oropharyngeal (OP) swab <input type="checkbox"/> NP&OP swabs	
Collection Date	Date of symptom onset
Date of consultation/admission	
PATIENT DETAILS	
First Name:	
Surname:	
DOB	Age
Sex	M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>
Current Address	
Residential Address	
Patient's contact number/s:	
Organization	Occupation:
Residency: Namibia resident <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Namibian resident <input type="checkbox"/>	
(specify)	
Patient hospital number (if available):	
Additional Information	
SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS (tick all that apply)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Fever (≥38 °C) <input type="checkbox"/> Sore throat <input type="checkbox"/> Diarrhea <input type="checkbox"/> Loss of smell <input type="checkbox"/> Chills <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify if other) <input type="checkbox"/> Cough <input type="checkbox"/> Shortness of breath <input type="checkbox"/> Myalgia/body pains <input type="checkbox"/> Vomiting <input type="checkbox"/> Loss of taste	
In the 14 days before onset of symptoms , did the patient (mark all that apply) have close physical contact with a known COVID-19 case? Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> if contact of a known case, first name and surname of case: • Have close physical contact with an ill traveller from an area within Namibia, other countries where COVID-19 is circulating or where human infections have recently occurred? Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unkn <input type="checkbox"/> (If yes, complete section below for countries and town/city visited) • Has the patient travelled to/from countries, or other areas in Namibia where COVID-19 is known to be circulating or where human infections have recently occurred? Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unkn <input type="checkbox"/> • If travelled outside and within Namibia in the last 14 days, please complete the section below:	
Country	Region
City/Town	Date of departure (travel to area)
	Date of return (travel from area)
UNDERLYING FACTORS / CO-MORBIDITIES	
Obesity <input type="checkbox"/> Tuberculosis <input type="checkbox"/> Chronic Kidney Disease <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes <input type="checkbox"/> Cardiovascular disease <input type="checkbox"/> Pregnancy <input type="checkbox"/> HIV <input type="checkbox"/> COPD / Chronic Pulmonary disease <input type="checkbox"/> Asthma <input type="checkbox"/> Chronic Liver Disease <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER Y <input type="checkbox"/> (specify)	
DIAGNOSES	
• Patient is a healthcare worker? Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unkn <input type="checkbox"/> • Patient is a healthcare worker who was exposed to patients with severe acute respiratory infections? Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unkn <input type="checkbox"/> • Patient has visited a health care facility (as a patient or visitor)? Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unkn <input type="checkbox"/> If yes, specify name of facility: • Is the patient part of a severe respiratory illness cluster of unknown diagnosis/etiology that occurred within a 14 day period? - Does the patient have clinical or radiological evidence of pneumonia? Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Were chest X rays (CXR) done: Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> - If yes, CXR Findings: - Does the patient have clinical or radiological evidence of acute respiratory distress syndrome (ARDS)? Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> - Does the patient have another diagnosis/etiology for their respiratory illness? Y <input type="checkbox"/> (specify) N <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/>	

¹Current address: if patient is currently housed in a supervised quarantine or isolation facility or home which is different from normal residence, may you please provide address of such facility or home here. Residential address: Address of usual placed of residence. For non-permanent residents, provide their current residential address while in Namibia. *Close contact is defined as: a) being within approximately 6 feet (2meters) or within the room or care area for a prolonged period of time (e.g. healthcare personnel, household members) while not wearing recommended personal protective equipment (i.e. gloves, respirator, eye protection); or b) having direct contact with infectious secretions (e.g., being coughed on) while not wearing recommended personal protective equipment. Currently brief interactions (walking by a person, are considered low risk and do not constitute close contact). *Check WHO website for countries with reported 2019-nCoV cases

TREATMENT / MANAGEMENT

Patient Hospitalised Y N Unkn Admitted to ICU Y N Unkn
Transferred Name of transferred facility _____

Ventilation Y N Unkn On ECMO Y N Unkn

Tamiflu / other antiviral drugs: Y N Unkn

Antibiotics Y N Unkn If yes, list: _____

White cell count total:	Differential neutrophils / lymphocytes %
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PATIENT OUTCOME

Active Recovered Recovered date: _____ Died Date of death: _____
Other (Specify) _____

FOR ADMITTED CASE

Discharge Discharge date: _____ Referred Referred date: _____
Referred to (Facility name): _____
Other (Specify) _____
Reason for referral _____