

Covid-19 (July 4): 6,045 new cases, surge in Perak ahead of Phase 2

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COVID-19 | The Health Ministry today reported 6,045 new Covid-19 cases.

Perak saw a surge in fresh infections with 384 new cases. The seven-day average is 220.

The seven-day average for the state must be under 307 cases for it to transition to Phase 2, which will see some easing of restrictions.

Perak, along with Kelantan, Terengganu, Pahang and Perlis will transition to Phase 2 tomorrow.

All other states and federal territories will remain under Phase 1.

The new locally transmitted infections comprised 77.13 percent Malaysians and 22.87 percent non-citizens.

The Klang Valley accounted for 48.03 percent (2,894 cases) of the new local infections while East Malaysia made up 11.09 percent (668 cases).

A total of 5,271 Covid-19 patients recovered today but they were still outpaced by new infections, contributing to a rise in active cases.

- Active cases: 67,669
- Patients in ICUs: 917
- Intubated: 443

Deaths

There were 63 fatalities today, bringing the death toll to 5,497.

The new deaths were recorded in Selangor (25), Negeri Sembilan (15), Kuala Lumpur (10), Johor (3), Kedah (3), Pahang (2), Penang (2), Sarawak (1), Malacca (1) and Terengganu (1).

The youngest victim was a 13-year-old Malaysian girl who also suffered from epilepsy. She died at Tuanku Jaafar Hospital in Seremban.

The remaining deaths were aged between 33 and 94.

For a detailed breakdown of the reported deaths today, please refer to our Covid-19 tracker site.

New cases by states

Selangor (2,262)

Kuala Lumpur (616)

Negeri Sembilan (531)

Johor (500)

Perak (384)

Sarawak (365)

Kedah (332)

Malacca (290)

Sabah (228)

Penang (173)

Kelantan (124)

Pahang (95)

Labuan (75)

Terengganu (54)

Putrajaya (16)

Perlis (0)

Clusters

A total of 869 out of 2,918 clusters are still active. This includes the 17 new clusters reported today.

It was a slight reduction compared to the 874 active clusters exactly a week ago.

A total of 11 out of the 17 new clusters today were related to workplaces.

Details of the new clusters are as follows:

Jalan Wira Lapan

Category: Workplace

State(s): Johor

District(s): Johor Bahru

Total infected: 12 out of 129 screened

Industri Parit Jamil

Category: Workplace

State(s): Johor

District(s): Muar

Total infected: 127 out of 138 screened

Industri Parit Hulu

Category: Workplace

State(s): Johor

District(s): Muar

Total infected: 40 out of 100 screened

Jalan Perindustrian Agas 11

Category: Workplace

State(s): Johor

District(s): Tangkak

Total infected: 104 out of 109 screened

Kilometer 22 Jalan Gambang

Category: Workplace

State(s): Pahang

District(s): Kuantan

Total infected: 11 out of 254 screened

Industri Bypass Gebeng

Category: Workplace

State(s): Pahang

District(s): Kuantan

Total infected: 52 out of 1,248 screened

Industri Jalan Bangi Lama

Category: Workplace

State(s): Selangor

District(s): Hulu Langat

Total infected: 79 out of 180 screened

Pengkalan Batu

Category: Workplace

State(s): Kelantan

District(s): Pasir Mas

Total infected: 9 out of 21 screened

Lorong Sungai Tiram

Category: Workplace

State(s): Penang

District(s): Barat Daya, Timur Laut and Seberang Perai Utara

Total infected: 25 out of 457 screened

Bahtera Barat

Category: Workplace

State(s): Sabah

District(s): Kota Kinabalu

Total infected: 18 out of 301 screened

35 Bintulu

Category: Workplace

State(s): Sarawak

District(s): Bintulu

Total infected: 21 out of 83 screened

Sungai Pelepak

Category: Community

State(s): Sarawak

District(s): Meradong

Total infected: 26 out of 163 screened

Sungai Entajum

Category: Community

State(s): Sarawak

District(s): Tatau

Total infected: 41 out of 112 screened

Kampung Jeram Perdah

Category: Community

State(s): Kelantan

District(s): Pasir Mas

Total infected: 8 out of 17 screened

Lorong Empat Sekinchan

Category: Community

State(s): Selangor

District(s): Sabak Bernam, Gombak and Hulu Selangor

Total infected: 41 out of 53 screened

Gong Pasir

Category: Community

State(s): Terengganu

District(s): Dungun

Total infected: 29 out of 110 screened

Persiaran Kempas Jernih

Category: High-risk group

State(s): Johor

District(s): Johor Bahru

Total infected: 14 out of 92 screened

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