**MINISTRY OF HEALTH STATEMENT SUMMARY 11TH MAY 2020**

* This date marks exactly two months since our first recorded case of Covid-19 in the country
* Since then, National Testing capacities have been expanded from two laboratories to sixteen and there are plans to expand even further.
* County governments have taken measures to expand their testing and quarantine facilities across the country to help stop the spread of this disease.
* It has been noted with concern that Kenyans are turning to herbs to seek prevention or cure from Covid-19. Kenyans are advised to visit health facilities for consultation as these herbs have not been approved or certified by KEBS, KEMRI or the Pharmacy and Poisons Board.
* 841 samples have been tested and 28 people have tested positive for the virus. The distribution number is as follows:
1. 10 cases in Mombasa
2. 9 in Kajiado (Kenyan truck drivers at the KE-TZ Namanga Border point)
3. 7 in Nairobi
4. 2 in Wajir
* The total number of those who have tested positive now stands at 700.
* The total number of recoveries now stands at 251 with 12 people being discharged from hospital.
* One life has been lost and as a result the number of deaths stands now at 33
* There is a Whatsapp Number that has been provided to give more information on Covid-19. This will serve as a self-diagnostic tool. The number is **0110719719**