

Philippine COVID - 19 Response

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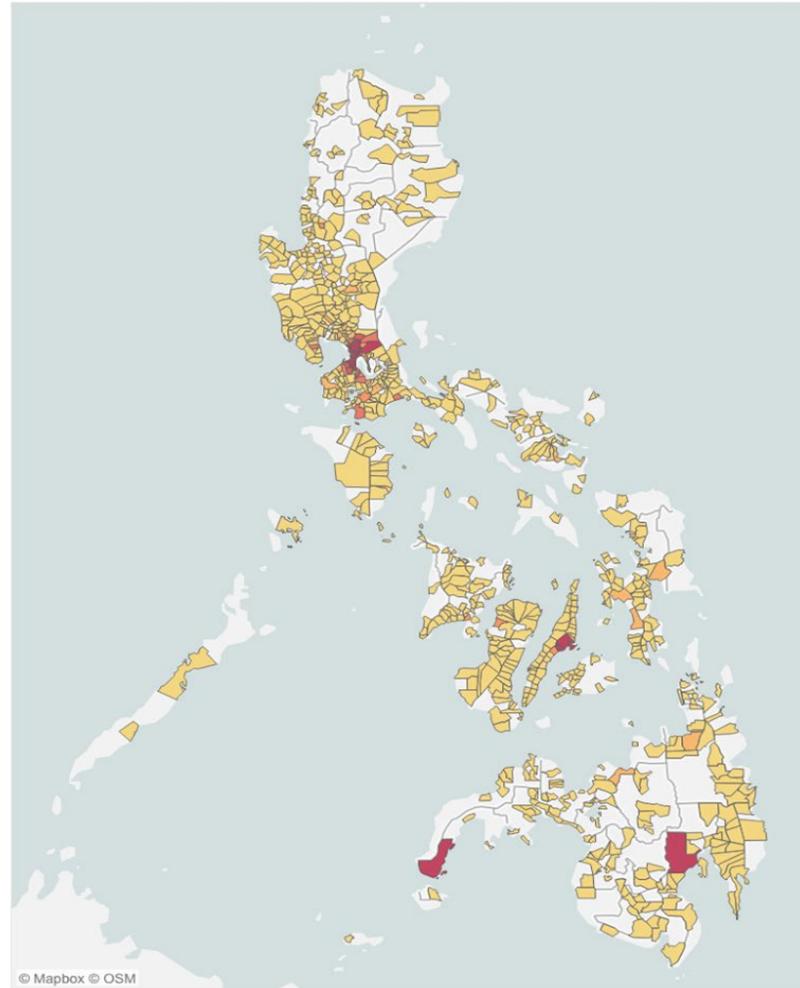
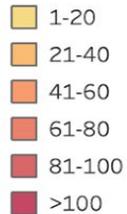
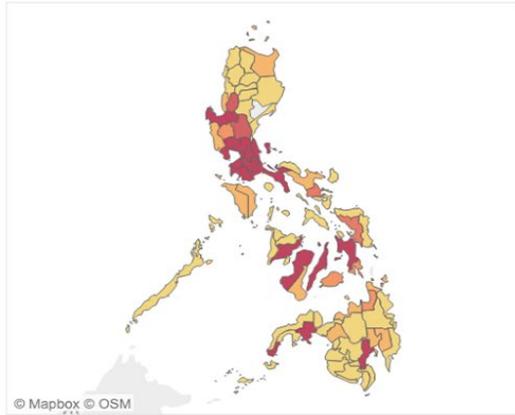
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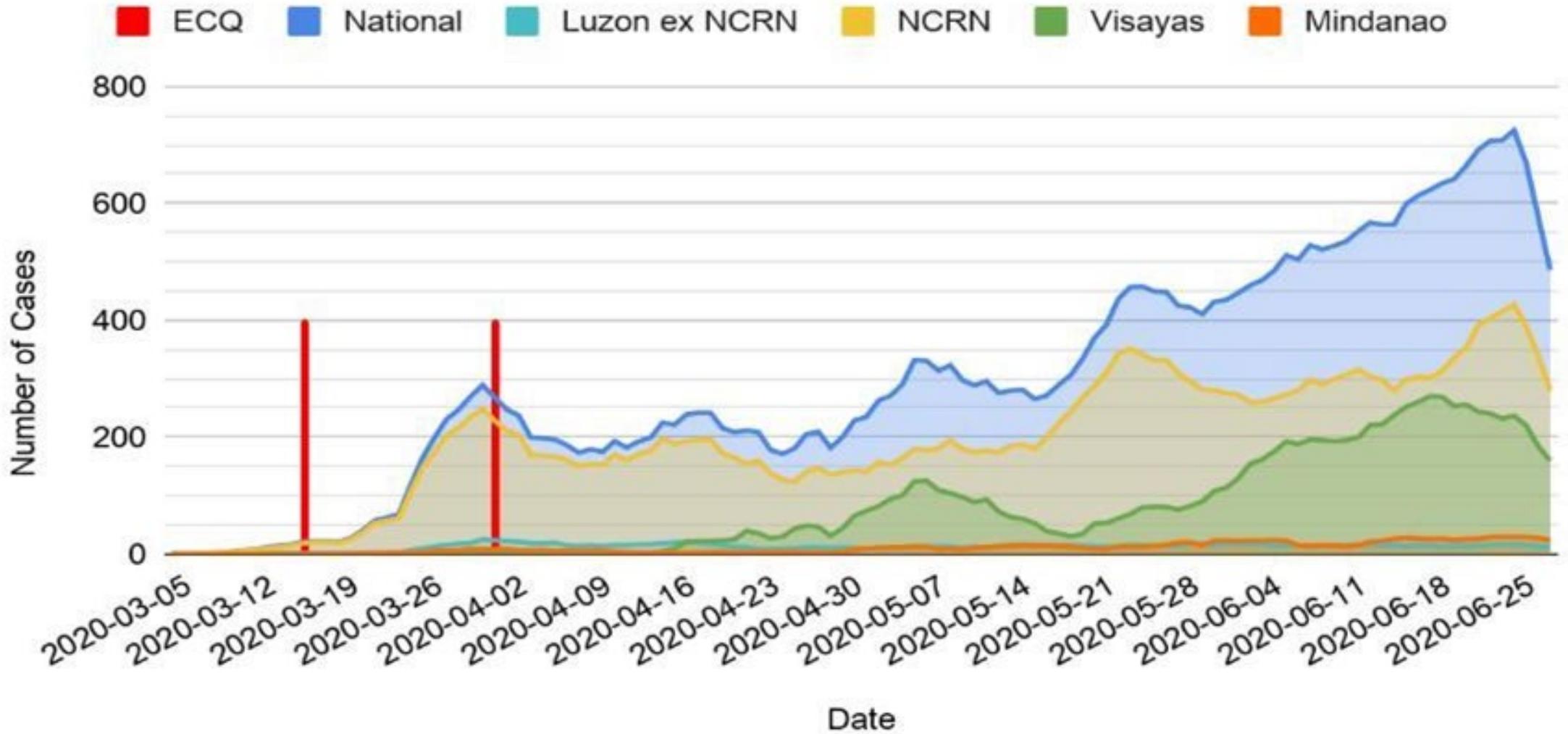
Current Situation



38,511 confirmed COVID-19 cases, **10,438** recoveries and **1,270** deaths

737,321 total tests conducted with **680,788** unique individuals tested and **7.1%** positivity rate

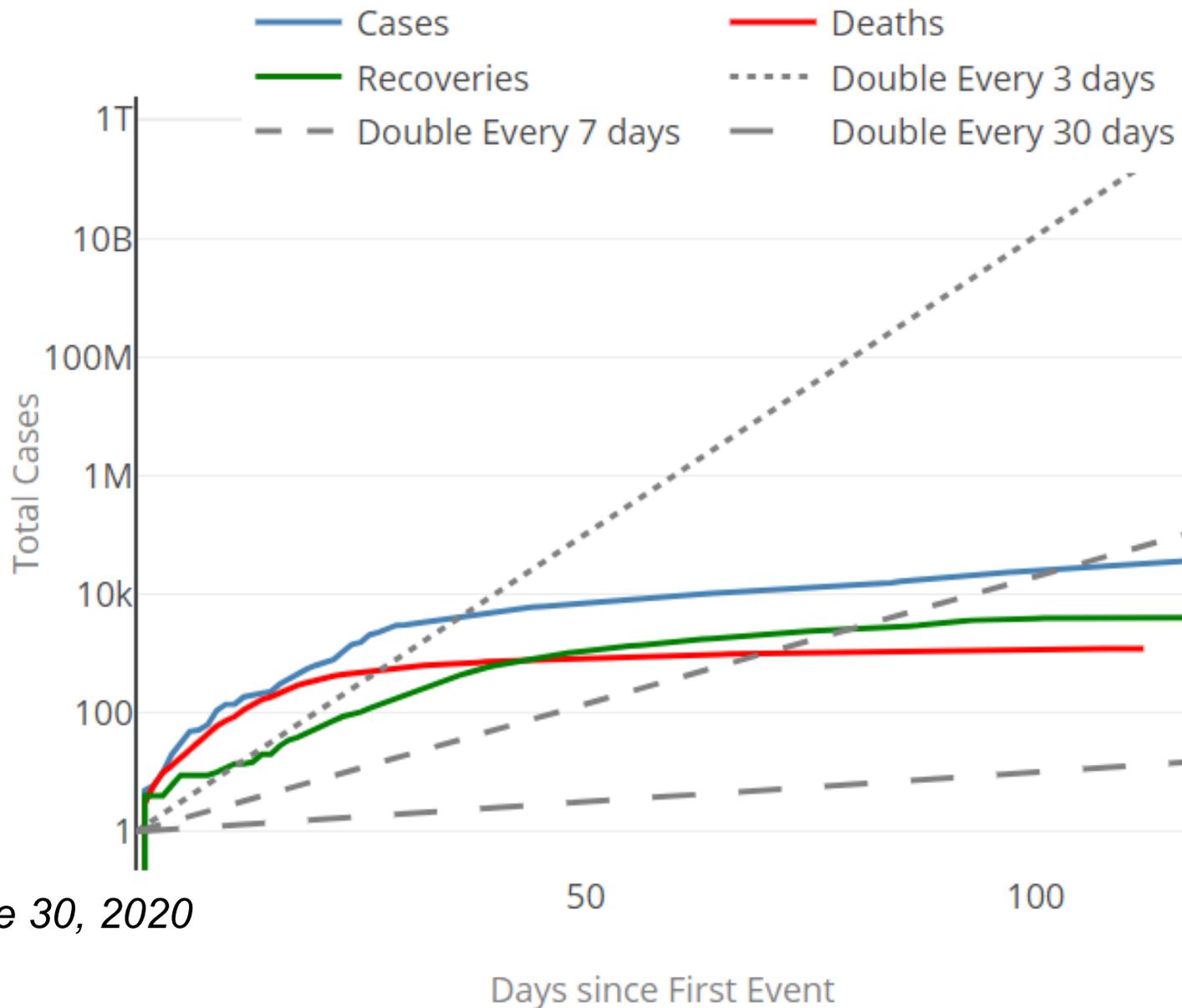
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Classification	Deceleration
CDT	7.70 days
ICU Utilization	37.17%
Isolation Bed Utilization	38.56%
Mechanical Ventilator Utilization	24.30%

Source: DOH Daily Summary Report, June 30, 2020



REDUCE COVID-19 RELATED & NONCOVID DEATHS

PREVENT CASES

MANAGE CONTACTS AND CASES EARLY AND WITHOUT FINANCIAL HARDSHIP

INCREASE RESILIENCE

STOP TRANSMISSION

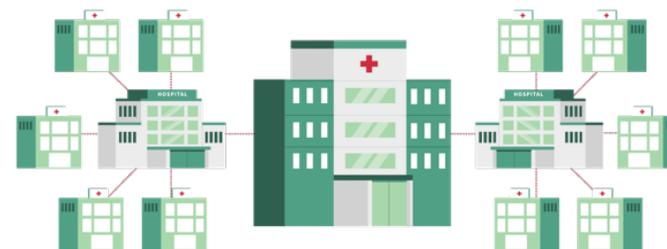
REDUCE CONTACT RATE

SHORTEN DURATION OF INFECTIOUSNESS

ENHANCE QUALITY, CONSISTENCY & AFFORDABILITY OF CARE PROVISION



PROMOTING THE “NEW NORMAL” THROUGH MINIMUM PUBLIC HEALTH STANDARDS



SECURING SURGE CAPACITY THROUGH MINIMUM HEALTH SYSTEM CAPACITY STANDARDS

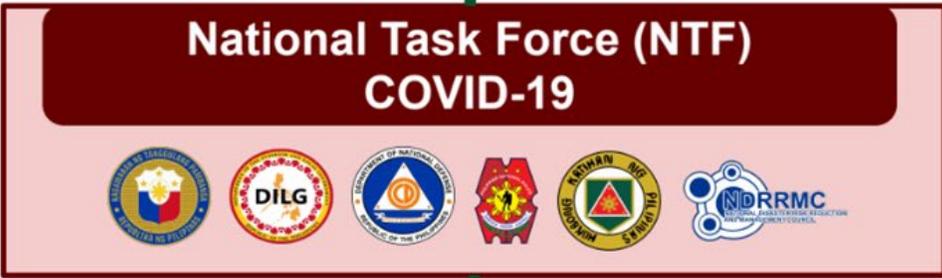
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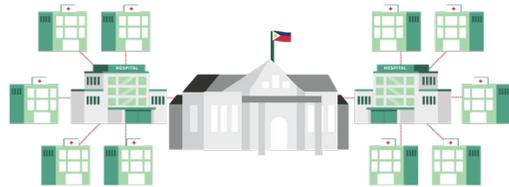
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Strengthening Interagency Collaboration



Springboarding the Health Care Provider Network and Province - and City -Wide Health Systems



Embedding COVID-19 response in the existing local health system structure



Telemedicine as first-contact and gatekeeper



BHERTS as the navigator of local health systems



PhilHealth Identification Number as main patient identifier



Interim Reimbursement Method (IRM)

Forward Plans in the New Normal

Creating High-Impact Interventions through Universal Health Care

- Primary care
- Integration of Province and City-wide Health Systems
- Predictable, precise fees (PhilHealth)

Increasing Health Service Delivery Capacities

- Implement the Philippine Health Facility Development Plan
- Expand the National Health Resource Master Plan

Establishing the Philippine Centers for Disease Control

- Design systems for disease surveillance, control and prevention

Perfecting Vaccine Delivery

- Institutionalize the logistics and delivery arm for vaccines for preventable diseases



Maraming salamat po!