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HEALTH INFORMATION AND RESEARCH DIRECTORATE  
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## Case Investigation form for COVID-19

For lab use:  
CRDM CIF no: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Today's date: DD/MM/YYYY Form completed by (Name, Surname): Contact number:.....

Is this a: New clinical query  Contact of a known case  If contact of a known case, Known case first name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Known case surname: \_\_\_\_\_ Known case DOB: DD/MM/YYYY

## PATIENT DETAILS

## DOCTOR'S DETAILS

Patient hospital number (if available):

Name:

First name:

Surname:

Surname:

DOB: DD/MM/YYYY

Gender:

Contact number/s:

Residency: Namibia resident  Non-Namibia resident  (specify) \_\_\_\_\_Current residential Address<sup>1</sup>:

Patient's contact number/s:

## NEXT OF KIN CONTACT DETAILS

Relationship to the patient:

Contact number: .....

Facility name:

Email address:

Date collected: DD/MM/YYYY

Date of symptom onset: DD/MM/YYYY

Date of consultation/admission: DD/MM/YYYY

Symptoms (tick all that apply) : Fever ( $\geq 38^{\circ}\text{C}$ )  Cough  Chills  Sore throat  Shortness of breath  Vomiting  Diarrhoea   
Myalgia/body pains  Other  (specify if other) \_\_\_\_\_

- **Diagnosis:** Did the patient have clinical or radiological evidence of pneumonia? Y  N
- Were chest X-rays (CXR) done: Y  N  If yes, CXR Findings: \_\_\_\_\_
- Did the patient have clinical or radiological evidence of acute respiratory distress syndrome (ARDS)? Y  N
- Does the patient have another diagnosis/etiology for their respiratory illness? Y  (specify) \_\_\_\_\_ N  Unknown

**This section is a prerequisite for testing, therefore, please fill out the below section to the best of your ability. Laboratory testing will be delayed if forms are incomplete or were filled in incorrectly.**

**In the 14 days before symptom onset did the patient (mark all that apply):**

- Have close physical contact<sup>2</sup> with a **known** COVID-19 case? Y  N  Unkn
- Have close physical contact<sup>2</sup> with an ill traveler from China<sup>3</sup> or other countries where 2019-nCoV is circulating or where human infections have recently occurred? Y  N  Unkn  (if yes, complete section below for countries visited)
- Patient is a healthcare worker? Y  N  Unkn
- Patient is a healthcare worker who was exposed to patients with severe acute respiratory infections? Y  N  Unkn
- Patient has visited a health care facility (as a patient or visitor) in China<sup>3</sup> or in other countries where COVID-19 is circulating or where human infections have recently occurred? Y  N  (if yes, complete section below for countries visited)
- Is the patient part of a severe respiratory illness cluster of unknown aetiology that occurred within a 14-day period? Y  N  Unkn
- Has the patient travelled to/from China or in countries where COVID-19 is known to be circulating or where human infections have recently occurred? Y  N  Unkn  (if any travel outside Namibia in the last 14-days, please complete section below for countries visited)

Countries visited (Please specify the city travelled to)

Date of departure (travel to area)

Date of return (travel from area)

1.

DD/MM/YYYY

DD/MM/YYYY

<sup>1</sup> If patient is a not a permanent resident, may you please provide their current residential address while residing in Namibia. <sup>2</sup>Close contact is defined as: a) being within approximately 6 feet (2 meters) 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). <sup>3</sup> Check who website for countries with reported 2019-nCoV cases <https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novelcoronavirus-2019/situation-reports>

2.		DD/MM/YYYY	DD/MM/YYYY
<b>Underlying factors/Co-morbid conditions</b>		<b>Treatment/management</b>	
Asthma: Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unkn <input type="checkbox"/> Cardiac disease: Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unkn <input type="checkbox"/>		Patient hospitalised: Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unkn <input type="checkbox"/> Admitted to ICU: Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unkn <input type="checkbox"/>	
Chronic kidney disease: Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unkn <input type="checkbox"/> Chronic liver disease: Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unkn <input type="checkbox"/>		Ventilation: Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unkn <input type="checkbox"/> On ECMO: Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unkn <input type="checkbox"/>	
COPD/Chronic pulmonary disease: Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unkn <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes: Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unkn <input type="checkbox"/>		Tamiflu/other antiviral drugs: Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unkn <input type="checkbox"/>	
HIV: Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unkn <input type="checkbox"/> Obesity: Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unkn <input type="checkbox"/> Pregnancy: Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unkn <input type="checkbox"/>		Antibiotics: Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unkn <input type="checkbox"/> if Yes, list:	
Tuberculosis: Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unkn <input type="checkbox"/> Other: Y <input type="checkbox"/> (specify): _____ Unknown: <input type="checkbox"/>		White cell count total:	Differential neutrophils/lymphocytes%:
<b>Type of sample:</b> Sputum <input type="checkbox"/> Bronchoalveolar lavage <input type="checkbox"/> Tracheal aspirate <input type="checkbox"/> Nasopharyngeal aspirate <input type="checkbox"/> Nasopharyngeal (NP)swab <input type="checkbox"/> Oropharyngeal (OP) swab <input type="checkbox"/> NP&OP swabs <input type="checkbox"/> Serum <input type="checkbox"/> Pleural fluid <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> (specify if other) _____			
Patient outcome	Discharged <input type="checkbox"/> Discharge date: <u>DD/MM/YYYY</u> Currently hospitalised: <input type="checkbox"/> Transferred <input type="checkbox"/> Name of facility _____ Died <input type="checkbox"/> Date of death: <u>DD/MM/YYYY</u> Other <input type="checkbox"/> (specify) _____		