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WHAT IS THE SITUATION IN ETHIOPIA

- ◆ No confirmed case of COVID-19 in the Country
- ◆ Over 5,000 travelers from COVID-19 affected countries screened at the Point of Entry
- ◆ A total of **84** alerts reported, **21** samples collected and all tested negative
- ◆ WHO shared a draft Inter-Agency contingency plan with other UN agencies for in-puts
- ◆ Orientation of Ethiopian airline crew members on going

Key upcoming activities

- ◆ Finalize Inter-Agency contingency plan and individual agency Business Continuity Plans (**Very urgent**)
- ◆ Conduct a simulation exercise
- ◆ Cascade regional Rapid Response Team training

WHAT IS THE SITUATION GLOBALLY

- ◆ **52 countries** affected
- ◆ **83,652** total confirmed cases
- ◆ **1,358** new confirmed cases in the last 24 hours

China

- ◆ **78,961** confirmed cases; **2,791** deaths
- ◆ **331** new confirmed cases in the last 24 hours

Outside of China

- ◆ **4,691** confirmed cases; **67** deaths
- ◆ **23** out of **51** countries reported confirmed cases (**1,027**) in the last 24 hours

WHO Risk Assessment

Ethiopia : **Very High**; Regional level: **Very High**

China : **Very High**; Global level : **Very High**

Fig.1: Map of Countries reporting COVID-19 cases as of February 28, 2020

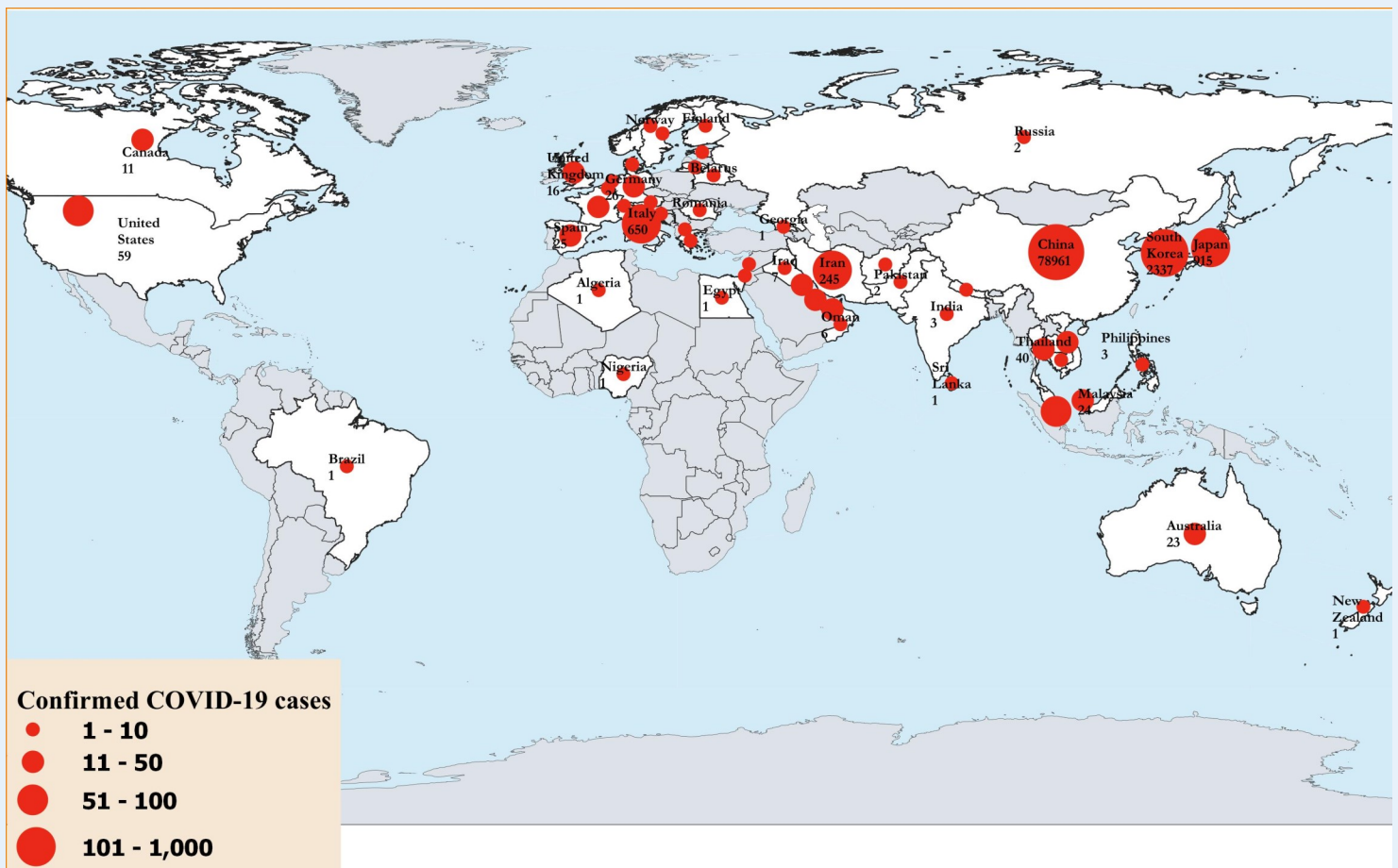
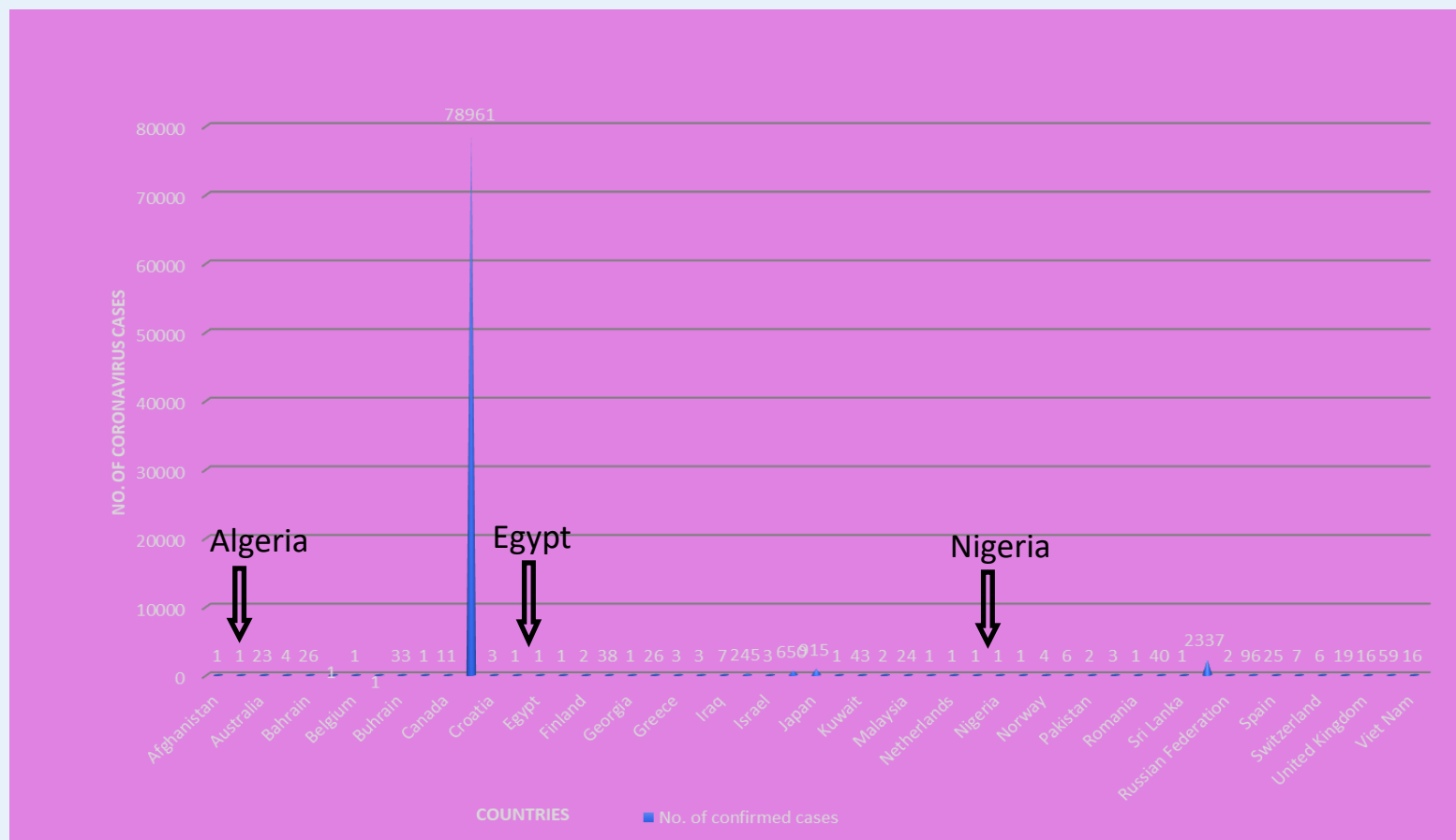


Fig. 2: Number of confirmed COVID-19 cases as of February 28, 2020



- ◆ As of February 28, 2020, a total of 83,652 confirmed cases were reported and 94.4% (78,961) of the confirmed cases are from China.
- ◆ The 915 confirmed cases in Japan include 705 cases on the International conveyance (Diamond Princess).

Note: The reported cases are as of February 28, 2020

Challenges

- ◆ Inadequate Personal protective equipment
- ◆ Funding gap for COVID-19 contingency plan and scale up (approximately \$14)
- ◆ Equipping the isolation facilities to the required standards

Recommendations

- ✦ Frequently clean hands by using alcohol-based hand rub or soap and water
- ✦ When coughing and sneezing cover mouth and nose with flexed elbow or tissue and wash hands;
- ✦ Avoid close contact with anyone who has fever and cough
- ✦ The consumption of raw or undercooked animal products should be avoided.
- ✦ If you have fever, cough and difficulty breathing seek medical care early and share previous travel history with your health care provider
- ✦ When visiting live markets in areas currently experiencing cases of novel coronavirus, avoid direct unprotected contact with live animals and surfaces in contact with animals;
- ✦ Cook your food and especially meat thoroughly.
- ✦ Call the UN clinic on telephone number **+251929908433** If you have been in China within the past 14 days and you feel un-