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WHAT IS THE SITUATION IN ETHIOPIA

- ◆ No suspected case of COVID-19 in the isolation facility
- ◆ A total of 61 alerts reported, 17 samples collected and all tested negative
- ◆ Training of clinicians from major hospitals in Addis Ababa started today (Feb 19)
- ◆ Forty eight (48) representatives of Health Cluster partners in Ethiopia oriented on COVID-19
- ◆ On 17-Feb 2020, a total 122 travelers from COVID-19 affected countries were screened
- ◆ Continued provision of technical guidance for the layout of the second Isolation/Treatment center at Eka Kotebe General Hospital

Key upcoming activities

- ◆ Orientation of Ethiopia Medical Association members (Feb 21)
- ◆ Continue support the strengthening of PHEOC pillars

WHAT IS THE SITUATION GLOBALLY

- ◆ **73,332** total confirmed cases
- ◆ **1,901** new confirmed cases in the last 24 hours
- ◆ **4** out of **25** countries other than China reported new confirmed cases (**10**) in the last 24 hours

China

- ◆ **72,528** confirmed cases; **1,870** deaths
- ◆ **1,891** new confirmed cases in the last 24 hours

Outside of China

- ◆ **804** confirmed cases; **3** deaths

WHO Risk Assessment

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

Fig.1: Map of Countries reporting COVID-19 cases as of February ,18 2020

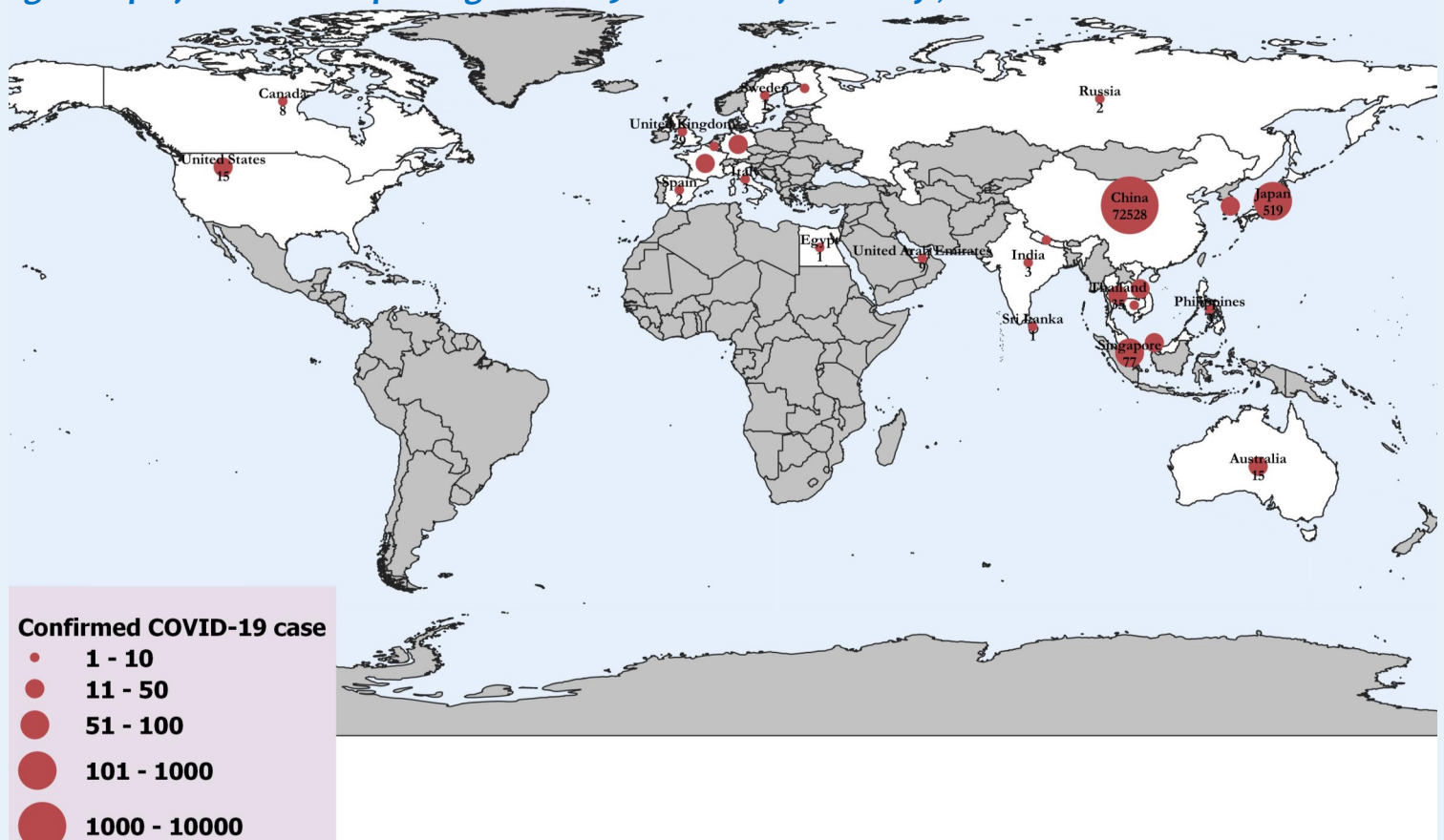
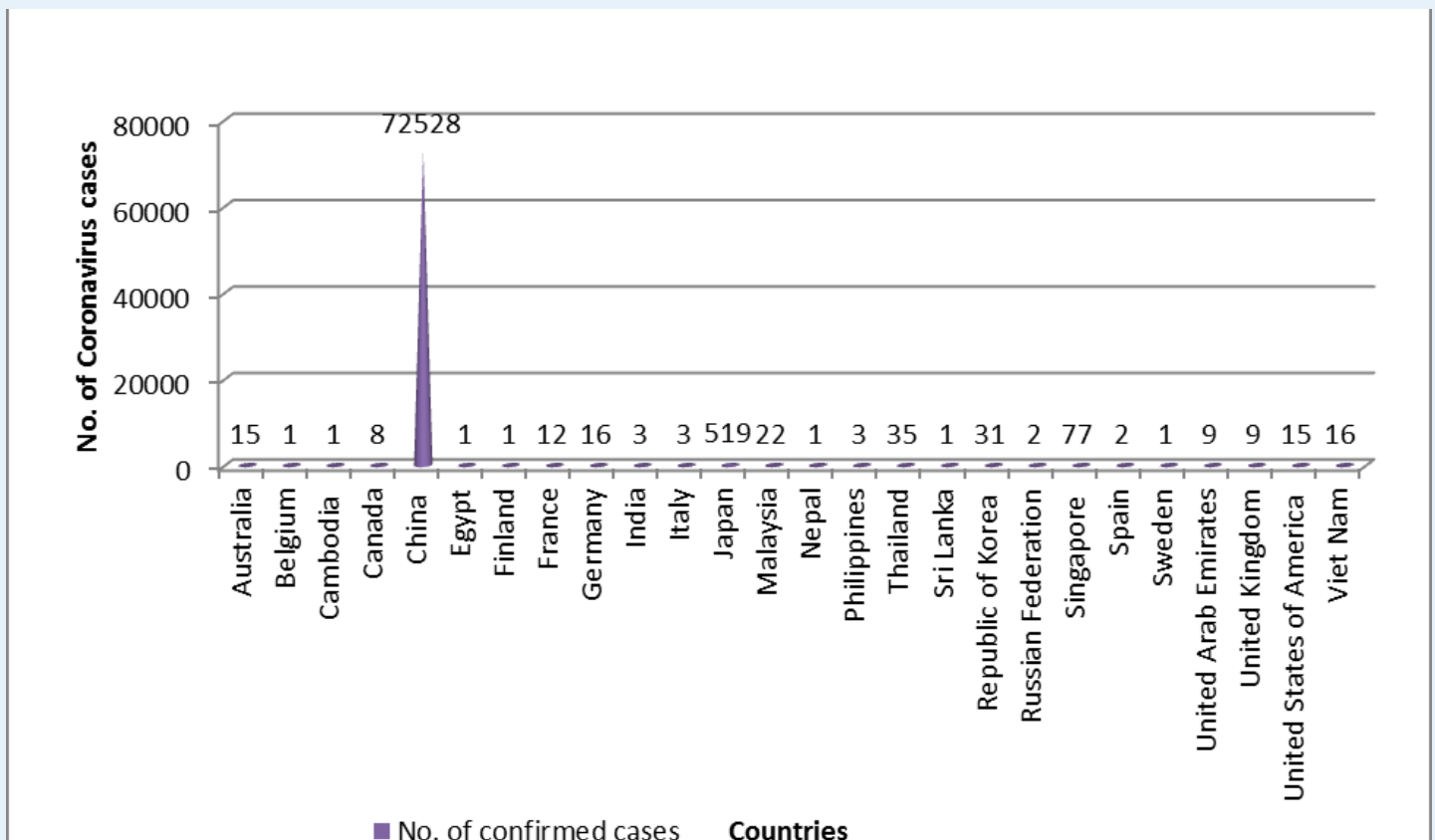


Fig. 2: Number of confirmed COVID-19 cases as of February 18, 2020



- ◆ As of February 17, 2020, a total of 73,332 confirmed cases were reported and 98.9% (72,528) of the confirmed cases are from China.
- ◆ The 519 confirmed cases in Japan include 454 cases on the International conveyance near Japan.
- ◆ Note: The reported cases are as of February 18, 2020

Recommendations and advice

- ✦ 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