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WHAT IS THE SITUATION IN ETHIOPIA		GLOBALY HIGHLIGHTS	
New cases	0	♦ As of 24-March-2020, there were 372757 total confirmed cases and 16231 total deaths with a resultant increase of 10.7% and	

- 27% respectively in the last 24 hours
- 172 countries/Regions are affected of which 45 are in Africa region including Ethiopia



- The public is advised to report any suspected cases to the nearest health facility or call 8335 or +251929908433
- Take preventive measures extremely seriously
- Avoid hand-shake and hugging at all times
- Wash hands frequently with soap and water or use an alcohol base hand rub
- Get information from reliable sources only

In Africa, there is cumulative total of 1,792 confirmed cases and 64 deaths with a case fatality rate of 3.6%. •The deaths were reported by Egypt (20), Algeria (19), Morocco (05) Burkina Faso (04), Tunisia (04), Ghana (2), DRC (02), Mauritius (02), Cameroon (01), Niger (01), Gambia (01), Sudan (01), Gabon (01) and Nigeria (01)

New cases	0
Total confirmed	12
Total suspect cases	204
Total contacts	292
Total deaths	0

NDRMC activated the National Emergency Operation Centre

UNCT meeting today with key action points:

- One UN multisectorial response plan should be finalized
- Programme criticality assessment should be completed
- A plan for maintaining Essential services

