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 GLOBALY

- 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
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-