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COVID-19 VACCINATION BULLETIN

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HIGHLIGHTS

- The Covid-19 vaccination campaign started in March, 2021 in accordance with the National Plan for the Introduction of Vaccination against COVID-19 published in the Official Bulletin No. 19, of February 18, 2021;
- As of April 17, approximately 318 299 (85.9% of the target population) were vaccinated with the first dose of the vaccine against COVID-19 and 274 495 (74.1%) of the eligible population were vaccinated with the second dose;
- By April 17, 90.9% (239 122) of the general eligible population (≥ 18 years of age who do not belong to the risk groups defined in the PNIV against COVID-19) had been vaccinated with the first dose;
- As of April 17, the country had administered 704 698 (67.4%) of the vaccines received through the COVAX mechanism and donations from partner countries;
- As of April 17, 45 649 adolescents (77.1% of the eligible population) were vaccinated with one dose against Covid-19 and 37 549 (63.3%) were fully vaccinated.
- As of April 17, a total of 61 413 (16.6%) booster doses had been administered in adults.

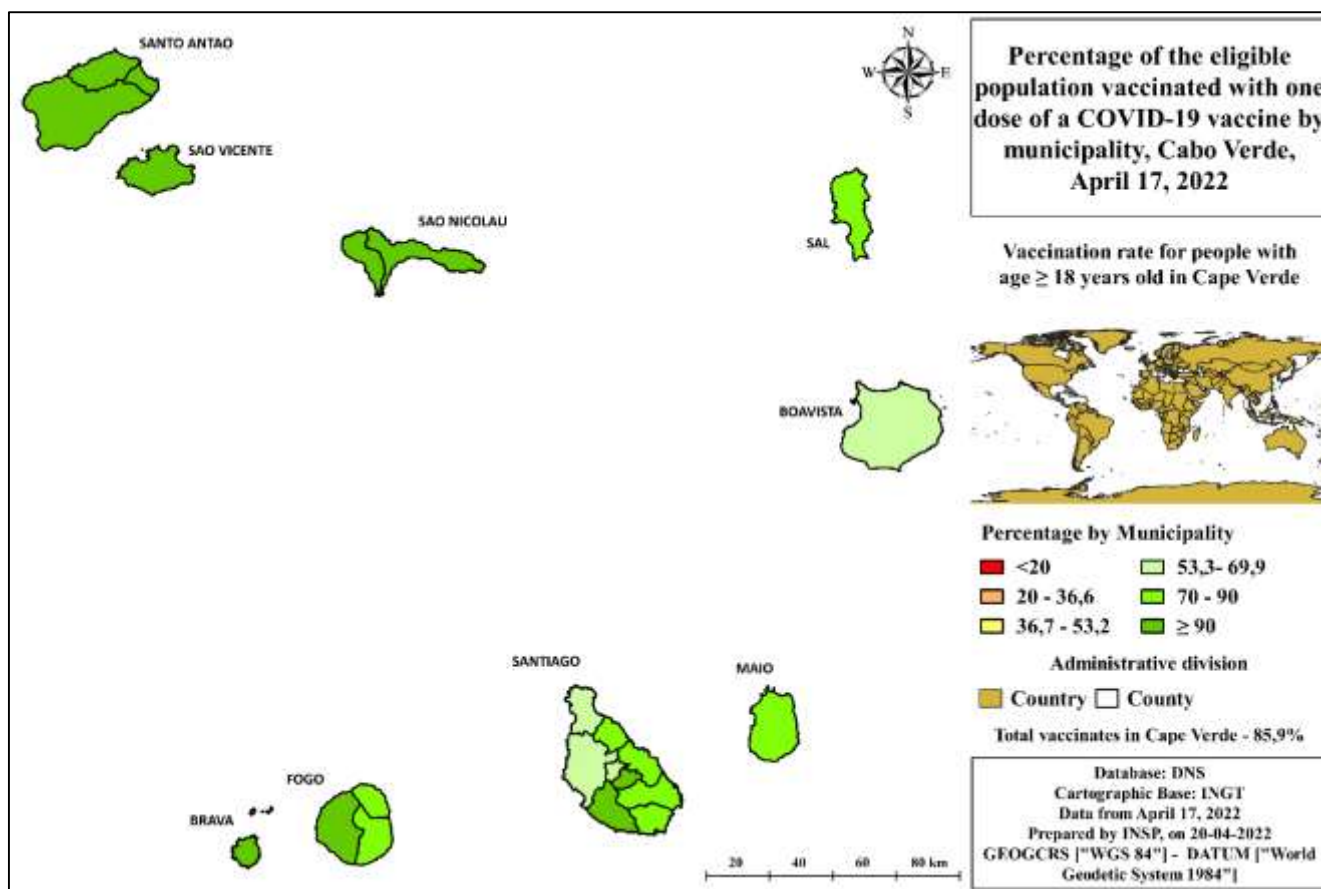
NATIONAL VACCINATION RATE – 1st dose

Table 1. The number of people vaccinated with one dose against COVID-19 by municipality, Cabo Verde, April 17, 2022

Municipality	Nº of Adults vaccinated with 1 doses	Eligible population (≥ 18 years)	% Vaccinated
Paúl	4170	3514	118,7
Tarrafal de São Nicolau	3738	3383	110,5
Ribeira Grande de Santo Antão	10978	10259	107,0
Ribeira Brava	4774	4728	101,0
São Filipe	12755	12616	101,1
Porto Novo	10822	10983	98,5
Ribeira Grande de Santiago	5416	5514	98,2
Brava	3305	3386	97,6
São Vicente	55632	60120	92,5
São Lourenço dos Órgãos	4074	4427	92,0
São Domingos	7915	8813	89,8
Praia	100645	113913	88,4
Santa Catarina do Fogo	2535	3045	83,3
Sal	22933	27755	82,6
Santa Cruz	12822	15791	81,2
Maio	4287	5384	79,6
São Miguel	6720	8591	78,2
Mosteiros	4175	5656	73,8
São Salvador do Mundo	3613	5339	67,7
Santa Catarina de Santiago	21094	31209	67,6
Tarrafal de Santiago	7641	11331	67,4
Boa Vista	8255	14605	56,5
Total	318299	370362	85,9

According to data, as of April 17, the municipalities of Santa Catarina and Tarrafal of Santiago Island, São Salvador do Mundo and Boa Vista registered vaccination rates with the first dose, below **70%**

As of April 17, **318 299 (85,9%)** individuals were vaccinated with the first dose, **195** more than in the previous week.



Source: MS

Map prepared by the National Health Observatory, INSP

Figure 1. Percentage of the eligible population vaccinated with one dose of a COVID-19 vaccine by municipality, Cabo Verde, April 17, 2022

Actions carried out

- Publication of the National Plan for the Introduction of Vaccination against Covid-19 https://Covid19.cv/wp-content/uploads/2021/02/bo_18-02-2021_19-ok.pdf
- Official publication of the establishment of the National Committee for the management of adverse events following immunization (AEFI). (https://www.incv.cv/images/legislacao/Resolucao-n-38_2021.pdf)
- Publication of Resolution No. 82/2021, which approved the requirement to present a valid negative RT-PCR or antigen test result, every fourteen days, or a COVID Vaccination Certificate, by public and private service providers that provide customer services or who have direct contact with the public, as well as those who share common spaces and means of transport with them, as a public health protection measure and to reinforce vaccination efforts, in view of the COVID-19 pandemic. https://Covid19.cv/wp-content/uploads/2021/08/bo_23-08-2021_81.pdf
- Approval of the COVID-19 Certificate, as a document proving the low risk of its holder being an active COVID-19 patient and as a measure to facilitate free movement and the carrying out of activities in the context of the Covid-19 pandemic. Approval of issuance, verification, and acceptance of COVID Certificates from Cabo Verde and recognition of COVID Certificates issued by other countries or multilateral institutions. https://Covid19.cv/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/bo_30-07-2021_75.pdf
- Start of Vaccination of Adolescents from 12 to 17 years old with the Pfizer vaccine. The vaccination strategy used was vaccination in schools and high schools in the country, requiring parental authorization by signing the consent form.

- Beginning of the application of the booster dose or 3rd dose to people over 60 years of age, people with chronic illnesses, Health Professionals, Firefighters, Civil Protection professionals, professionals at entry points, Police, Military personnel, teachers and support staff at schools, Civil Aviation and Maritime professionals as well as workers in the Tourism sector. This measure started from December 1st, 2021 according to directive nº 14/DN2021. <https://Covid19.cv/wp-content/uploads/2022/01/Diretiva-14-2021-sobre-dose-de-reforco-e-grupos-alvo.pdf>
- The application of booster doses is now available to all population over 18 years of age who have taken the 2nd dose of the vaccine for more than 3 months and the Moderna Vaccine is being used in accordance with DNS directive, from January 4, 2022.

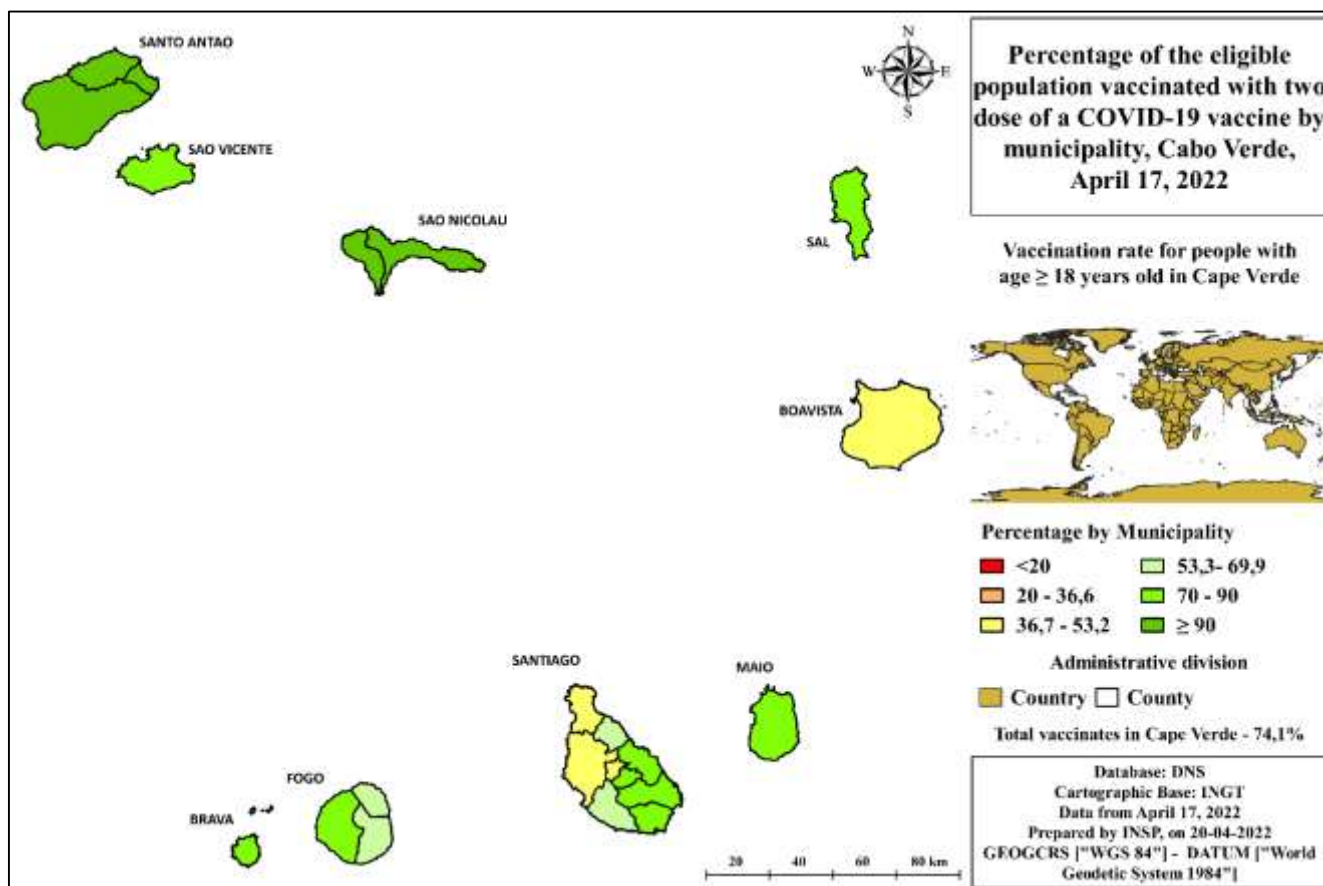
NATIONAL VACCINATION RATE – 2nd dose

Table 2. Percentage of people fully vaccinated against COVID-19 by municipality, Cabo Verde, April 17, 2022

Municipality	Nº of Adults vaccinated with 2 doses	Eligible population (≥ 18 years)	% Vaccinated
Paúl	3915	3514	111,4
Tarrafal de São Nicolau	3572	3383	105,6
Ribeira Grande de Santo Antão	10411	10259	101,5
Ribeira Brava	4475	4728	94,6
Porto Novo	10179	10983	92,7
São Filipe	11316	12616	89,7
Brava	3033	3386	89,6
São Vicente	52062	60120	86,6
São Domingos	7107	8813	80,6
São Lourenço dos Órgãos	3418	4427	77,2
Sal	20943	27755	75,5
Praia	85499	113913	75,1
Maio	3783	5384	70,3
Santa Cruz	11095	15791	70,3
Ribeira Grande de Santiago	3566	5514	64,7
Santa Catarina de Fogo	1909	3045	62,7
Mosteiros	3484	5656	61,6
São Miguel	4654	8591	54,2
São Salvador do Mundo	2682	5339	50,2
Boa Vista	7295	14605	49,9
Santa Catarina de Santiago	14905	31209	47,8
Tarrafal de Santiago	5192	11331	45,8
Total	274495	370362	74,1

According to data, as of April 17, the municipalities of Boa Vista, Santa Catarina and Tarrafal of Santiago Island, registered vaccination rates of completely vaccinated individuals below **50%**, relative to the respective eligible population.

By April 17, **274 495 (74,1%)** people had been vaccinated with the two doses, **352** more people than in the previous week.



Source: MS

Figure 2. Percentage of the eligible population vaccinated with two dose of a COVID-19 vaccine by municipality, Cabo Verde, April 17, 2022

Table 3. Number of vaccine doses received by Cabo Verde, April 17, 2022

Vacina/Fabricante	Number of vaccine doses	Date received	Mecanismo
AstraZeneca/SII	24 000	12/03/2021	COVAX
Pfizer	5 850	14/03/2021	COVAX
AstraZeneca	24 000	14/05/2021	Donation by Portugal
AstraZeneca	31 200	04/06/2021	COVAX/ Donation by – France
AstraZeneca	100 000	07/06/2021	Donation by Hungary
Sinopharm	50000	11/06/2021	Donation by China
AstraZeneca	150 000	05/07/2021	Donation by Holland
AstraZeneca	24 000	16/07/2021	Donation by Portugal
AstraZeneca	150 000	03/09/2021	Donation by Eslovénia
AstraZeneca	56000	13/09/2021	Donation by Luxemburg
Moderna	100100	03/10/2021	COVAX/ Donation by USA
AstraZeneca	30 000	29/11/2021	Donation by Portugal
Pfizer	64350	07/12/2021	COVAX/ Donation by – EUA
Pfizer	70200	10/12/2021	COVAX/ Donation by – EUA
Pfizer	65520	13/12/2021	COVAX/ Donation by – EUA
Pfizer	100 620	02/03/2022	COVAX/ Donation by – EUA
Total	1 045 840	Doses administered 704698 (67,4%)	

As of the April 17, Cabo Verde had administered **704 698 (67,4%)** doses of the available vaccines.

Table 4. Number of people vaccinated against COVID-19 by risk groups, Cabo Verde, April 17, 2022

Groups	Estimated population in the National Vaccination Plan (≥ 18 years)	Number of people vaccinated with the 1st dose	Percentage (%)
Health professionals	4272	5094	119,2
People with and over 60 years	50174	43530	86,8
People with chronic illness (diabetes, cardiovascular disease, etc.)	24500	13147	53,7
Personnel of the tourism industry	11280	4848	43,0
Personnel of International Points of Entry (ports and airports)	1500	1447	96,5
Teachers and support staff in schools	10000	6670	66,7
Police	1943	1739	89,5
Military	1775	1382	77,9
Fire Department and Civil Protection Personnel	320	299	93,4
Civil Aviation and Maritime Personnel*	1500	1021	68,1
General eligible population (people ≥ 18 years not belonging to any of the groups mentioned above)	263098	239122	90,9
Total of the eligible population	370362	318299	85,9

* Following the guidelines of WHO/ICAO/ILO/IMO/ IOM (Joint Statement on prioritization of COVID-19 vaccination for seafarers and aircrew, 25 march, 2021)

From the June 28 to April 17, 2022, **130 369** young people aged between 18 and 39 years had received the one (1) dose of the vaccine against COVID-19, this represents **60%** of the estimated population in this age group for the current year, (data from Census 2010 by INE).

In relation to the booster dose, a total of **61 413** doses have been administered in adults (**16,6%** of the eligible adult population).

Adolescent vaccination rates

Table 5. Percentage of eligible adolescents vaccinated with one dose against COVID-19, April 17, 2022.

Municipality	Estimated population between 12 and 17 years	Number of adolescents vaccinated with the 1st dose	%
Tarrafal de São Nicolau	580	569	98,1
Ribeira Brava	723	707	97,8
São Lourenço do Órgãos	856	783	91,5
Paúl	616	535	86,9
São Domingos	1814	1547	85,3
São Vicente	7895	6642	84,1
Porto Novo	1932	1612	83,4
Praia	16925	14181	83,8
Ribeira Grande de Santo Antão	1793	1478	82,4
Maio	837	684	81,7
Brava	660	519	78,6
São Filipe	2593	1926	74,3
São Miguel	1711	1266	74,0
Santa Catarina de Santiago	5097	3692	72,4
Sal	3873	2665	68,8
Santa Catarina de Fogo	712	484	68,0
Ribeira Grande de Santiago	1027	688	67,0
Santa Cruz	3433	2247	65,5
Boa Vista	1599	918	57,4
Mosteiros	1245	707	56,8
São Salvador do Mundo	1022	574	56,2
Tarrafal de Santiago	2274	1225	53,9
Total	59217	45649	77,1

As of April 17, 2022, **77,1% (45 649)** of the estimated eligible adolescent population was vaccinated with one against Covid-19 and **37 506 (63,3%)** were fully vaccinated.

Recommendations from health authorities

- Registration for vaccination against COVID-19 can be done through the following links: <https://Covid19.cv/vacinas/> https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScaezUyd73yphCBOHG6FcW_avhOSJ_kaErTwf6rSaH2zJbpZQ/viewform or through the hotline 800 20 08.
- People who have already registered and have not yet been contacted should contact the nearest health centre for further information.
- Vaccinated people must comply with the recommended preventive measures: social distancing, use of masks, hand hygiene, and other recommendations to prevent the spread of COVID-19.
- If you experience any symptoms after vaccination, contact the nearest health centre or call the free hotline 800 11 12 for guidance or through the website <https://Covid19.cv/vacinas/> and fill in the form to report adverse effects following immunization to the Independent Health Regulatory Authority (ERIS).
- Keep the vaccination card that serves as proof of vaccination against the COVID-19.
- The booster dose is available for the entire population over 18 years of age who have completed their vaccination schedule for more than 3 months, in two doses.
- The **Nha Card** platform that issues the Covid19 certificate with a booster dose. Request or renew your certificate on the website: <https://nhacard.gov.cv>
- People vaccinated with the first dose and who have already completed 2 months, should look for the vaccination posts to take their second dose of vaccine. To take the booster dose the person must have completed 3 months after taking their 2nd dose.

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