

INTELLIGENT RISK ALERT

IMPACT LEVEL

Moderate

Guangzhou, China - COVID-19 Infections - Surge in Cases Reported Due to New Variant

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- Guangzhou, the capital city of Guangdong province in southern China is a major center of research and innovation
 - COVID-19 surged as cases across China hit six-month high
 - Southern city, Guangzhou is facing a surge in COVID-19 cases
 - Guangdong province reported a total of 185 confirmed local cases and 1,882 asymptomatic cases on November 07, 2022
 - Guangzhou reported a total of 122 confirmed cases and 1,813 asymptomatic cases
 - Guangzhou has imposed restrictions on parts of the city and moved more than 30,000 people into centralized quarantine
 - Daily mass testing is also required for those who have visited high-risk areas
 - Guangzhou authorities said that 94% of the new cases had been in the densely populated district of Haizhu, Guangzhou
 - Guangzhou Centre for Disease Control and Prevention said that the new outbreak was mostly caused by the fast spread of the Omicron 'BA.5.2' variant
 - Supply Wisdom will continue to monitor the situation and will alert you to any relevant developments
- The event is an update to SW's previous alert [China - COVID-19 Infections - 3,871 Cases Reported, Highest Daily Count Since May 2022](#)*

Alert Graph(s) are displayed on the following pages

Sources

<https://www.scmp.com/news/china/politics/article/3198714/guangzhou-battles-covid-19-surge-cases-across-china-hit-six-month-high>
<https://www.rappler.com/world/guangzhou-covid-outbreak-deepens-lockdowns-loom-china-november-2022/>

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TARGET(S) AFFECTED

China

RISK DOMAIN(S)

ESG

EVENT TYPE(S)

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Incident(s)

GUIDANCE

Actions to Consider

- Be prepared for possible disruptions to businesses due to the reported incident
- Consider implementing suggested government and company-approved actions related to the current COVID-19 situation. The latest updated information is available at (<http://www.chinacdc.cn/en/>)

Related Alerts Impact Level Trend

This graph represents the impact level trend of Related Alerts published over the period of time from the first alert published to the most recent alert.

Alert Impact Level

■ Critical

■ High

■ Moderate

■ Low

■ Info

First Alert

Most Recent Alerts

Alerts by Event Type - Coronavirus (COVID-19) Incident(s)

This graph represents the number of **Coronavirus (COVID-19) Incident(s)** alerts for **China** - as compared to the overall monitoring portfolio over the period of time from the first alert published to the most recent alert.

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Impact Level Definitions

Impact Level	Definition
Critical	Anticipated disruption intensity is critical, and occurrence is imminent - Supply Wisdom recommends considering immediate review and action.
High	Anticipated disruption intensity is high and/or disruption is likely to occur within 3 months - Supply Wisdom recommends being in a heightened state of readiness to take quick action and confirm response plans/protocols.
Moderate	Anticipated disruption intensity is moderate and/or likely to occur within 3 to 6 months - Supply Wisdom recommends reviewing current mitigation steps and being prepared to take proactive action if and when situation deteriorates further.
Low	Anticipated disruption intensity is low and/or may occur after 6 months - Supply Wisdom recommends taking proactive action if situation does not resolve in approved timeframe.
Informational	The event is pertinent information but does not have a current risk element associated with it.