

INTELLIGENT RISK ALERT

IMPACT LEVEL

Moderate

Moderate

Mexico - COVID-19 New 'Omicron' Sub-Variant 'Xibalbá' Identified

12/03/2022, 12:48:41 PM

- Mexico is a country in southern North America. The major manufacturing industries in Mexico are automotive, aerospace, medical devices, electronics, and consumer products
- Mexico City is the capital of Mexico and plays a dominant role in the country's banking and finance industries. It is also the center of a manufacturing belt that includes textiles, chemicals and pharmaceuticals, electrical and electronic items, steel, and transportation equipment
- The Institute of Biotechnology of the National Autonomous University of Mexico (UNAM) warned about the presence of 'Xibalbá' subvariant in at least 75 percent of the samples tested
- 'Xibalbá' is a subvariant of 'Omicron' from the lineage 'BA.5.6.2'
- It is not deadly, but being a descendant of 'Omicron', it is widely contagious and can reproduce on a large scale through an infected person
- Some of the symptoms include fever, cough, muscle pain, throat pain, fatigue, runny nose, diarrhea, muscle pains, loss of smell and taste, loss of appetite, and aphonia
- Reported COVID-19 stats for Mexico:
 1. Confirmed Cases: 7,132,792
 2. Deaths: 330,525 (4.6%)
 3. Recoveries: 6,400,759 (89.7%)
 4. Vaccine Doses Administered: 237,896,030
 5. Fully Vaccinated: 81,849,962 (64.7%)
- Supply Wisdom will continue to monitor and issue alerts for any relevant developments
The event is an update to SW's previous alert [Mexico - COVID-19 Infections - Surge in Cases Reported](#)

Related Alerts and Alert Graphs are displayed on the following pages

Sources

- <https://247newsagency.com/healthcare/244379.html>
- https://en.as.com/latest_news/what-do-we-know-about-xibalba-the-new-covid-variant-from-mexico-n/
- <https://www.breakinglatest.news/health/current-vaccines-ineffective-increased-risk-of-infections-what-are-the-symptoms/>
- <https://www.worldometers.info/coronavirus/country/mexico/>
- https://news.google.com/covid19/map?hl=en-IN&gl=IN&ceid=IN%3Aen&state=6&mid=%2Fm%2F0b90_r

TARGET(S) AFFECTED

Mexico - Mexico City

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 (<https://www.insp.mx/>)

Related Alerts

Low

Nov 30, 2022

[Mexico - COVID-19 Infections - Surge in Cases Reported](#)

Moderate

Nov 17, 2022

[Mexico - COVID-19 New 'Omicron' Sub-Variants 'BQ.1' and 'BQ.1.1' Identified](#)

Low

Oct 12, 2022

[Mexico - COVID-19 Mask Mandate Lifted in Closed Places](#)

Moderate

Aug 08, 2022

[Mexico - COVID-19 Infections - Surge in New Cases Reported](#)

Moderate

Jul 18, 2022

[Mexico - COVID-19 Infections - Surge in New Cases Reported](#)

[Click here to see additional alerts](#)

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 **Mexico - Mexico City** - as compared to the overall monitoring portfolio over the period of time from the first alert published to the most recent alert.

First Alert

Most Recent Alerts

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.