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Group C leaders Iraq take on Hong Kong while Iran face off with Cambodia this evening in a pair of crucial games, as Bahrain watch intently from the sidelines | P12

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On the path to recovery: King



The health situation is stable and Bahrain is well on its path to recovery, said His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa yesterday, who also thanked the people of Bahrain for their commitment to the national vaccination drive. (Full story on page 2) P2

Public Awareness Campaign to Combat Coronavirus (COVID-19)

Last update - 9:00 pm
10 June 2021

Individuals vaccinated

(First dose)

1

0

1

7

7

5

7

(Second dose)

8

5

2

1

3

1

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BAHRAIN COVID-19

TOTAL TESTED
4780224

ACTIVE CASES
16226

DEATHS
1188

DISCHARGED
238540

NEW CASES
1034

CRITICAL
300

Sputnik starts with a bang

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Bahrain data shows 94.3% efficacy

Bahrain trials of Russia's Sputnik V COVID-19 vaccine returned a 94.3% efficacy fourteen days after the second dose.

The data also confirms that 98.6% of those infected 14 days after receiving the second dose of Sputnik V experienced only mild symptoms.

Besides, there were no serious adverse events, deaths or cerebral vein thrombosis cases after vaccination.

"This confirms the safety and high efficacy of the Russian Sputnik V COVID-19 vaccine," said the Russian Direct Investment Fund, who recently sealed a deal with Mumtalakat Holding Company to set up a facility for manufacturing the vaccine for the GCC and MENA region.

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Sputnik V continues to play an important role in the Kingdom's ongoing and successful vaccination campaign, with 81% of the eligible population vaccinated so far

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Use of Sputnik V is making a significant contribution in mitigating the spread of coronavirus, resuming normal life and economic activity.

KIRILL DMITRIEV, THE CEO OF RDIF



Named after the first space satellite of the erstwhile Soviet Union, Sputnik V was approved by the regulators in Russia back in August 2020. The vaccine is based on a weakened COVID-19 virus delivering parts of a pathogen that triggers an immune response in the body.

Sputnik V is one of the three vaccines in the world with efficacy of over 90%. The Vaccine's efficacy is confirmed at 91.6% based on the analysis of data on 19,866 volunteers, who received both the first and second doses of the Sputnik V vaccine or placebo at the final control point of 78 confirmed COVID-19 cases.



The cost of Sputnik V, in the international market, is \$10 per shot. The vaccine is required to be taken in two doses. It can be stored in dry form at temperature ranging from 2 to 8 degrees.