**[COUNTRY] BRIEF: COVID-19 [UPDATED XX/XX]**

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| **Guidelines for filling in the brief**   * Do not exceed the 1 page limit extension for each of the 4 sections * Try to use bullet points, images or tables whenever possible * Indicate sources by using hyperlinks * Section 3 and others may need to adapt to your country’s context (eg. refugee camps, gender violence, etc.) * See examples on our [website](https://datapopalliance.org/c19observatory). * Resources: [OpenGovPartnership](https://www.opengovpartnership.org/collecting-open-government-approaches-to-covid-19/), [PrivacyInternational](https://privacyinternational.org/examples/tracking-global-response-covid-19?field_location_region_locale_target_id=guatemala&sort_by=field_date_value&sort_order=DESC), [Government Response Tracker](https://www.bsg.ox.ac.uk/research/research-projects/oxford-covid-19-government-response-tracker) |

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| Overview and latest data   * Community spread since [date]? * # of infected * # of deaths * # of recovered * Level of confinement and until when * % of cases treated in hospitals |

1. Response set up and capacity - Who is in charge of responding and coordinating response? What is the capacity in the public health system?

*Describe the set up and capacity of your country in order to respond to the pandemic in 3-4 sentences. Point out who's leading the response (local vs. national, and whether there is any dissonance between the two) and what this response has been. Briefly, map relevant national/governmental stakeholders and additional actors and their functions.*

**Stakeholder Mapping**

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| Entities / National Orgs  *Include any national organizations or relevant entities* | Additional Actors  *Public, private, civil society, international orgs.* |

* 1. Mitigating actions - What is being done? What are the policies regarding social isolation/movement? How are local and international actors responding to the crisis in the country?

*Briefly describe the measures taken to date (both in terms of public health and policies regarding social isolation, for example). If possible, develop a timeline including dates for this progression, thinking of the following measures your government may have taken: has there been any measures regarding mandatory quarantine? Closed borders? Travel restrictions? Restriction on imports? Declaration of a health emergency? Tax flexibility policies? Welfare credits? Food aid? Please add dates.*

1. Risks, vulnerabilities, obstacles? - What is the current projection for the growth of cases? Are there significant differences between projections from different sources? What are some of the weak points experts have identified for an effective nation-wide response to Covid-19? What are seen as the biggest threats for effective response? What are some of the underlying assumptions affecting public discourse on Covid-19 (i.e, migrants inflows)? To what extent has disinformation played into the public’s awareness of Covid-19?

*See above for a list of different questions you could answer. Think of your country’s specific context and change these according to what you deem to be the most relevant, risk, vulnerabilities and obstacles for an effective COVID-19 response.*

1. Potential actions and demands - Are additional actors asking for a different response? Any expressed demands? What else could be done?

*Here we aim to uncover some of the competing responses / ideas / lines of work from stakeholders across the country, as well as identify what additional stakeholders have suggested to make the response more effective.*

1. Key resources

*At the end of the brief, we want to point out to national or international organizations involved in the response, or producing good quality information regarding the situation in the country.*