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TO: National Focal Points for Preparedness and Response
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Dear Colleague,

As described and discussed during the NFP webinar on Thursday 27 August, the ECDC would like to share with you the mapping of COVID-19 response measures for your country. As explained, ECDC has regularly been screening Member States' official websites and additional sources to map the control measures put in place over time during the COVID-19 pandemic. The aim of this mapping is to allow ECDC and partners to better understand the different measures being put in place within the EU/EEA, monitor their potential effectiveness and learn from the different experiences. This can further guide the optimisation of COVID-19 control measures and their tailoring to specific epidemiological situations.

As explained, ECDC has already presented the data as overviews in its "[weekly COVID-19 country overview](#)" as well as using the data to support and feed into ECDC rapid risk assessments, modelling exercises and ECDC guidance.

Kind request for your action:

- ECDC highly recognises your in depth expertise and active participation in your country's response to this Public Health Emergency and would therefore appreciate your review and validation of the data ECDC has mapped for your country.
- Here-attached you will find an excel file with a set of response measures identified for your country. We would kindly ask you to review the list, and consider whether the details provided are accurate (particularly the start and end dates of each measure and whether these are mandatory or voluntary measures). We also enclose a PDF of the visualisations of the measures to help your review. Please feel free to liaise with your partners and colleagues as needed.
- You will notice that some measures are marked as "Full" and others as "Partial"; the start date of a partial measure indicates the day the initially implemented measure has been scaled down (e.g. the full measure "closure of non-essential shops" becomes partial the day when a small part of those shops are allowed to re-open). For measures that have been scaled down several times, only the first time is recorded.
- In column O, you may provide any comments and/or details as you find necessary to bring forward. You are also welcome to give us feedback using the comment function directly in the pdf with the visualisations. Please do not hesitate to contact us at (10)(2e) [redacted] @ecdc.europa.eu and (10)(2e) [redacted] @ecdc.europa.eu should you need any support or have any question.
- We would kindly ask for your feedback by **latest Monday 7th September 12:00.**

Again, please do not hesitate to contact us were you to have any questions.

We thank you very much in advance for this valuable contribution and look forward to hearing from you.

Kind regards,

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