



# COVID-19 VACCINATION & NIGERIAN CITIZENS

COVID-19 is contagious and can be lethal. **Nigeria's COVID-19 index case was confirmed on February 27, 2020, raising early concerns about Nigeria's capacity to handle the pandemic.** Since Nigeria recorded her first case, the virus has claimed many lives including the Chief of Staff to the President, federal and state lawmakers, a Chief Judge, a former governor, traditional rulers, clerics, celebrities and health practitioners.

## COVID-19 VACCINATION UPDATES

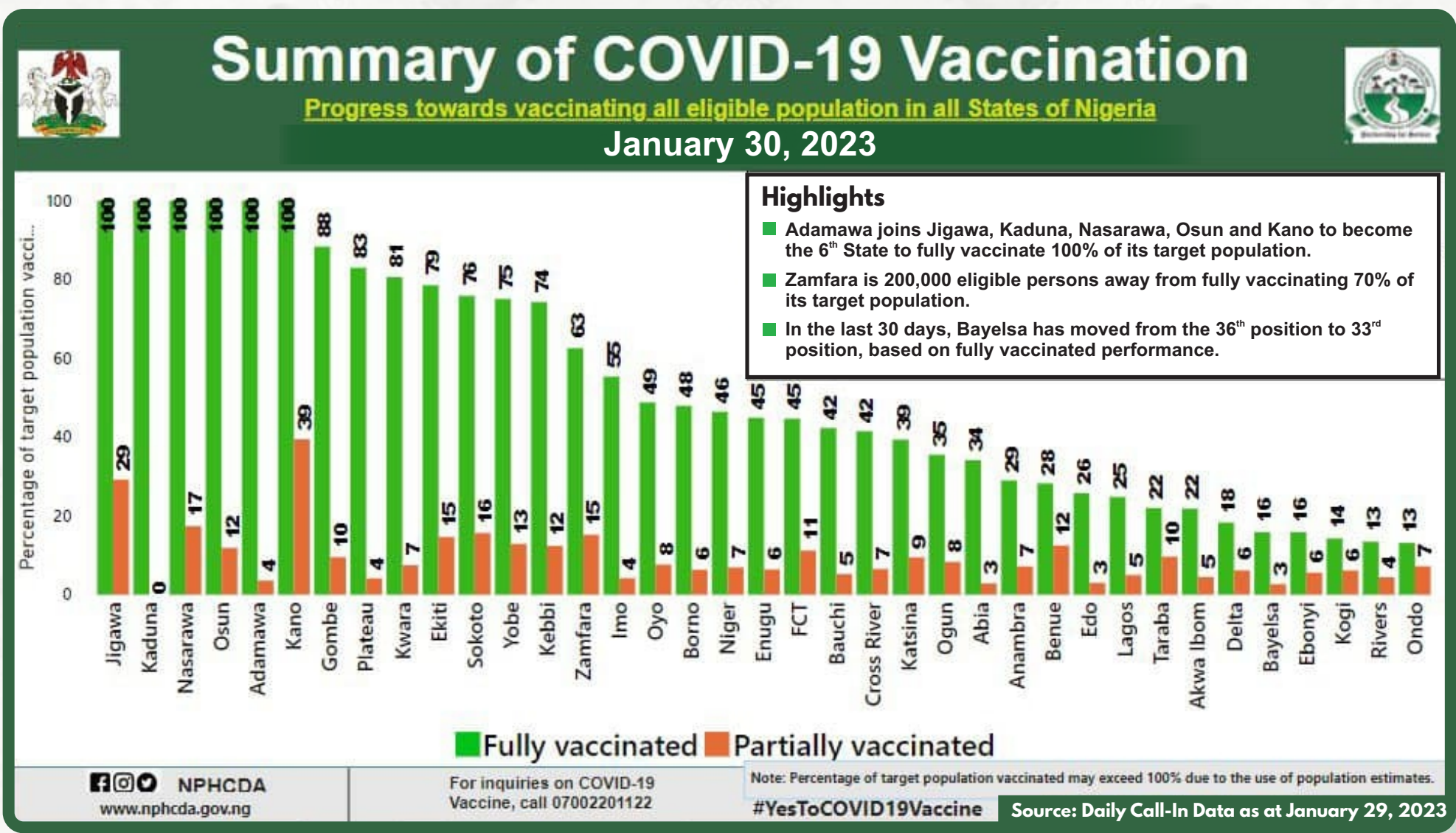
as of Tuesday, March 21, 2023

	FULLY VACCINATED	PARTIALLY VACCINATED
<b>Total Clients Vaccinated</b> <i>Total eligible population targeted for COVID-19 vaccination</i>	<b>70,520,181</b>	<b>11,865,815</b>
<b>Proportion Vaccinated*</b>	<b>60.8%</b>	<b>11.0%</b>

\* Percentage of target reached =  $\frac{\text{Total clients vaccinated (2<sup>nd</sup> dose)}}{\text{Total eligible population targeted for COVID-19 vaccination}} \times 100\%$

Source: National Daily Call-in Data

EiE's **#OfficeOfTheCitizen** radio program in Ekiti, Oyo, Gombe, Delta, Sokoto, Nassarawa and Imo focused on educating citizens on COVID-19 infection & vaccination; debunking misinformation & reiterating the dangers of fake news; tracking COVID-19 funds and palliatives and sharing business opportunities after the pandemic.



**COVID-19 has a vaccine, but no cure. It is therefore very important to follow the NCDC protocols to prevent spread of the disease.**

*"Better health is central to human happiness and well-being. It also makes an important contribution to economic progress, as healthy populations live longer, are more productive, and save more."*

- World Health Organization (WHO)

**#WashHands**

Source: EiE Research, NPHCDA, NCDC

**#MaskUp**