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Kyrgyzstan records 1st COVID-19 death - Xinhua

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BISHKEK, April 3 (Xinhua) -- A 60-year-old patient has died from COVID-19 in Kyrgyzstan, becoming the first death case in the country, authorities said Friday,

The victim arrived in the central Asian country from abroad and received treatment in a hospital in Kyrgyzstan's southern region of Osh, said the Republican Headquarters on coronavirus prevention and control in a report, adding that he also suffered from other serious diseases.

Kyrgyzstan has reported 125 COVID-19 cases. "Of all those infected, 4 are in serious condition, and one patient is on mechanical ventilation," the agency said.

The number of COVID-19 cases worldwide has risen above 1 million with a death toll of over 51,000, according to the latest tally from Johns Hopkins University.