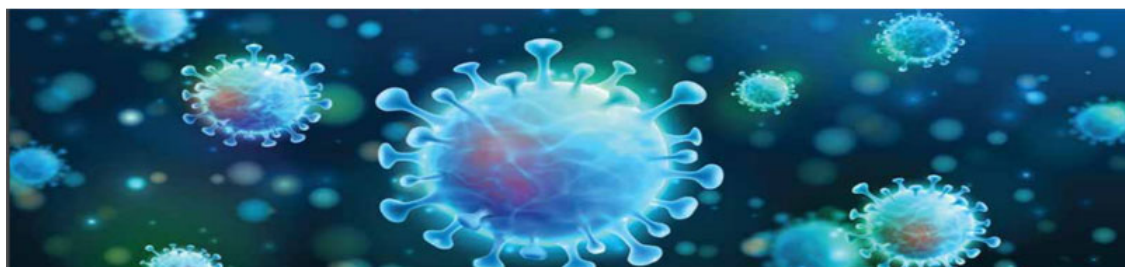




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- [Trade Policies for Africa to Tackle Covid-19](#) (April 2020)
- [Saving Africa's private sector job during the coronavirus pandemic](#) (15 April 2020)
- [Covid-19 in Africa: Protecting lives and economies](#) (Publication – 24 April 2020)

Resources

- [Africa UN Knowledge Hub for Covid-19](#)

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- [Innovative tech and connectivity key to fighting COVID-19 in Africa](#) (Press release– 23 April 2020)
- [African Union Commission, Afreximbank, AfroChampions and UNECA Joint Communique on the Need for A Holistic and Coordinated Trade and Investment Response to the COVID-19 Pandemic](#) (Joint press release – 18 April)
- [COVID-19: Data for a resilient Africa](#) (Joint press release – 18 April)

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- [Latin America and the Caribbean and the COVID-19 pandemic: Economic and social effects](#) (April 2020)
- [The 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development in the new global and regional context: Scenarios and projections in the current crisis](#) (April 2020)
- [ECLAC review](#) (April 2020)
- [Measuring the effects of COVID-19 to think about the reactivation](#) (21 April 2020)
- [Recommendations for the publication of official statistics from household surveys in the context of the coronavirus disease \(COVID-19\) pandemic](#) (Publication– April 2020)

Resources

- [COVID-19 Observatory for Latin America and the Caribbean](#)

News and press releases

- [COVID-19 Pandemic Puts Us at a Civilizing Crossroads: Either We Return to the Globalization of Concentration, or We Build a Different Future, Alicia Bárcena Indicates](#) (Press release - 22 April 2020)
- [Alicia Bárcena Encouraged Caribbean Countries to Advance Towards Less Unequal and More Caring Societies, Leaving No One Behind](#) (News– 21 April 2020)
- [COVID-19 Pandemic Will Lead to the Biggest Contraction in Economic Activity in the Region's History: A -5.3% Drop in 2020](#) (Press release – 21 April 2020)
- [ECLAC Will Release New Growth Projections for Latin American and Caribbean Countries in the Wake of the COVID-19 Crisis](#) (News – 18 April)

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Research and Analysis

- [The impact and policy responses for COVID-19 in Asia and the Pacific](#) (Policy brief, April 2020)
- [Policy Responses to Covid-19: Transport Connectivity in Asia and the Pacific](#) (Policy Brief - 24 April 2020)

Resources

- [Policy recommendations for supporting women owned micro small medium enterprises affected by COVID-19 pandemic in Cambodia](#) (23 April 2020)
- [Initiative on Model FTA Provisions for Trade in Times of Crisis and Pandemic](#) (20 April 2020)

News and Press Releases

- [Public support for international cooperation surges amid global upheaval](#) (Press Release - 21 April 2020)
- [Outpacing COVID-19: Key innovations prompt early warning for early actions](#) (Blog - 21 April 2020)
- [Modelling pathways for policymakers](#) (Blog - 17 April 2020)

ESCWA

Research and Analysis

- Policy brief on COVID-19 economic cost to the Arab region ([Press Release, video and the Policy Brief document](#))
- Policy brief on COVID-19 impact on poverty and food security ([Press Release, video and the Policy Brief document](#)).
- [The Impact of COVID-19 on Gender Equality in the Arab Region](#)
- [Socioeconomic Impact of COVID-19: Policy Briefs](#) (April 2020)

News and press releases

- ESCWA Executive Secretary call for a regional emergency response to mitigate the impact of COVID-19 ([ES Statement and the document](#))
- [ESCWA warns of a historic decline in foreign direct investment in the Arab region due to COVID-19](#) (News - 23 April 2020)

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- [Food Outlook](#)
- [Data Sources on Coronavirus impact on Transport](#)
- [Get the latest from the observatory on Border Crossings Status due to COVID-19](#)
- [COVID-19 and Official Statistics](#)

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- [UNECE Forum of Mayors 2020: building urban resilience in the face of COVID-19](#) (News - 21 April 2020)
- [UNECE tools for document dematerialization reduce human contact in global supply chains](#) (News - 20 April 2020)
- [Securing critical raw materials supply is key to the response to COVID-19](#) (Press release - 17 April 2020)

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