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Postponement of Weekly Press Briefing on Coronavirus Disease Outbreak

In continuation of its efforts to support countries put up an effective response to the COVID-19 outbreak, Dr John Nkengasong, Director of Africa CDC, is out on field visit to member states to assess the situation of COVID-19 on the continent.

In view of the aforementioned, Africa CDC's weekly engagement with members of the media to share updates on COVID-19 response activities in Africa will **not hold** for this week.

The weekly press briefing will resume later this month when the director has ended his tour, and you are encouraged to join us then.

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About Africa CDC

Africa CDC is a specialized technical institution of the African Union which supports Member States in their efforts to strengthen health systems and improve surveillance, emergency response, prevention and control of diseases.

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