## Africa Has 17.46% of World's Population, Only 3% of World's COVID Deaths. Scientists Want to Know Why.

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Story at-a-glance:

Scientists appear stymied by the low number of infections and deaths in sub-Saharan Africa where the vaccination rate is less than 6%.

Africa has 17.46% of the world's population and 3% of the <u>COVID-19</u> global death toll while countries with better health care have higher death rates, including the Americas with 46% and Europe with 29%.

Nigeria, with the highest population, has had 3,000 deaths in 200 million people, which is what is recorded in the U.S. every two or three days. Yet, Nigeria has announced an all-out vaccination program to "prepare for the next wave."

Factors that may have influenced the low infection and death rate are outdoor living that raises vitamin D levels, a younger population and access to medications and herbs used for other local conditions, but which is also known to reduce the severity of COVID.

Whether or not lockdowns, shutdowns and other restrictive measures can work to lower the number of <u>COVID-19</u> infections and deaths has been a topic of great debate since early 2020.

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Across the world, countries have taken different approaches to address the spread of SARS-CoV-2. In one short <u>documentary</u> released by CAN films, a comparison is made between the COVID-19 outcomes in Scotland and Sweden.

By March 2020, <u>Scotland</u> had implemented strict lockdowns and closed schools and other social venues. People were threatened with police fines if they went outside other than to exercise once a day, go to work or buy food.

On the other hand, <u>Sweden</u> handled the pandemic differently than most of the globe and was initially vilified for looser restrictions and a lack of severe lockdown measures.

In October 2020, TIME called the response a "<u>disaster</u>," but data have shown that the death rate in Sweden was <u>in line with other years</u>. In other words, excess deaths that may have been attributed to COVID-19 were minimal.

Information compiled by CAN films showed the response in Sweden, which has nearly double the population of Scotland, had significantly <u>less impact</u> on the economy and health of their population, as well as nearly half the percentage of excess deaths as did Scotland.

Scotland had three lockdowns, 64 school closures and a 54% increase in weight gain, while Sweden had no lockdowns, no school closures and zero weight gain.

Sub-Saharan African continent has avoided COVID-19.

Over the Thanksgiving 2021 break, media outlets broke the news of a new COVID-19 variant, dubbed <u>Omicron</u>, that was <u>identified</u> in South Africa.

This variant is different in that doctors are reporting "unusual," but mild symptoms, with fatigue being the most common complaint. In response, the rest of the world immediately instituted travel bans to and from South Africa.

Interestingly, the steps taken in Africa throughout the pandemic have varied depending on the country, yet the infection and death rates were <u>relatively stable and low</u> across the continent.

Over the last year, there have been reports of small areas in the world where the number of infections, deaths or case fatality rates have been significantly lower than the rest of the world.

For example, India's Uttar Pradesh State <u>reported</u> a recovery rate of 98.6% and no further infections. On the other hand, the entire continent of Africa appears to have sidestepped the massive number of infections and deaths predicted for these poorly funded countries with overcrowded cities.

Early estimations were that millions would die when the pandemic swept across Africa. However, that scenario has not materialized. <u>According to AP News</u>, less than 6% of the continent is vaccinated and for months, the World Health Organization (WHO) has called Africa "one of the least affected regions in the world."

In a busy crowded market outside Harare, AP News spoke with Nyasha Ndou, who carries a mask in his pocket. Hundreds of other people, mostly unmasked, were in the marketplace. <u>Ndou explained</u> the mask in his pocket:

"COVID-19 is gone, when did you last hear of anyone who has died of COVID-19? The mask is to protect my pocket. The police demand bribes so I lose money if I don't move around with a mask."

According to <u>data from WorldoMeter</u>, the population of Africa makes up 17.46% of the <u>world's population</u>. Yet, <u>AP News reports</u> that the WHO data reveal deaths in Africa are 3% of the global total, while deaths in countries with better health care are much higher, such as 46% in the Americas and 29% in Europe.

Nigeria has the highest population in Africa and the government has recorded just 3,000 deaths in the 200 million people who live in the country. In the U.S., <u>AP News reports</u> there are that many deaths every two or three days.

Some credit early lockdowns with low number of infections.

Across the world, countries and communities went into lockdown to supposedly help "flatten the curve" and slow the spread of the virus. <u>Lesotho</u>, the southernmost landlocked country in the world and surrounded by South Africa, locked down their country and their borders before a single person got sick.

In March 2020, the country declared an emergency, closed the schools and went into a three-week lockdown. In early May, the lockdown was lifted, and the country recorded its first confirmed cases.

The <u>BBC reported</u> in October 2020 that in a country of 2 million people they recorded 40 deaths in five months and approximately 1,700 cases.

That number rose to 4,137 cases by January 2021 as citizens from South Africa were crossing the border during the holiday season. In addition to border crossings, the government had been releasing people early from quarantine over cost concerns.

Could it be **5G**!

From the very beginning of this scam hoax, Africa has largely been unaffected by the Covid-19 alleged virus. With the exception of South Africa, the rest of the continent has almost nothing in the way of **5G** EMF wireless communications. From March, 2020 until the current period, Africa as a whole has lagged with what are considered "hot spots" for **5G** and Covid-19.

It has been from my analysis since October 31, 2019, that the Coronavirus renamed WuHan or China virus, then renamed Covid-19 as a way of covering up for **5G** EMF wireless energy. The "Petri Dish" case has always been the cruise ship *"Diamond Princess";* and the diagnosed cases/deaths, that grew steadily during the month of being sequestered and quarantined at sea.

Blessings,

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