## How Does Covid-19 Compare? Is it Extraordinary?

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Find this PDF <u>here</u> and lots more Global Coup related material on my <u>Quasar website</u>. Check out my eBook, <u>The Covid / Lockdown Crisis - Alternative Information & Sources</u>.

### Important Update!

Since I wrote this, over three years ago now, I have been exposed to information that has led me to change my beliefs about viruses in general. There are many learned and aware people, trained in medicine, who understand how the body functions (which most doctors don't), and who believe that there is no such thing as a contagious virus.

I, personally, have never feared viruses (didn't have any idea what they were supposed to be, before Covid) and though I believed in contagion I always viewed being "sick" as my body throwing something off in order to get better, as opposed to being under assault from a pathogen.

The concept that viruses don't exist might be challenging, as most of us have lived our whole lives with the idea, imparted culturally by osmosis, of "catching" things, but, at this point, I am quite convinced that contagious viruses don't exist and extremely convinced they have never been proven to exist.

But the most important central thing is the exposing of the fact that never has a virus been isolated. This is incredibly important because, if true, everything that hinges on fearing contagious disease - social distancing, lockdowns, monitoring, surveillance, and digital passes, the push to get people to exchange a real social life for a "virtual" one, etc. - are all downstream from this. And along with that goes the learning of how the *bad guy bug* and the *good guy drug* concept was a seminal feature of the psyop that was at the heart of the creation of Western Medicine's stranglehold on everything health related.

I have added a section at the very end of this PDF, <u>Virology Skepticism Links</u>, with links to some sources for exploring the exposing of virology and for alternative explanations for "outbreaks" other than viruses.

The upshot of this as far as this PDF goes is that while comparisons with preventable and treatable causes of death (the 3rd section) and especially the shenanigans about the death certificate protocols (4th section) are very important, the sections citing "official"

statistics for Covid and for previous "outbreaks" is meaningless. Except, perhaps, to note that the message of death by Covid was much more coordinated and ubiquitous.

So, below is the original PDF. I would recommend researching the links in the Virology Skepticism Links section and then get what one can from the information and sources presented in this paper.

Finally, as I always say, belief in information is nuanced. Very few things should be believed 100%. It's part of the learning process to mostly believe or sort of believe something. If it's a challenge to reject virology, consider the possibility and keep learning.

The original PDF's content below:

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All bullet pointed excerpts and statements are noted with numbers corresponding to footnotes with linked sources at the bottom of the page. Indented entries preceded by a dash (-) are quoted from the noted source.

The reader is urged to use the footnote links to further explore the material and to get context to what is stated in this PDF and to make up their own mind as to what is really going on.

Unless otherwise noted, all dates are the year 2020.

The CDC is the Center for Disease Control. The NVSS is the National Vital Statistics System, a part of the CDC. The WHO is the World Health Organization.

#### Preface

The response to the threat of Covid-19 has been dramatic. Have we had other outbreaks that were as deadly, more deadly, or nearly as deadly? Are there other diseases that have killed and do kill as many people? Is the response to Covid-19 proportional?

The idea of comparing Covid-19 to previous outbreaks and to preventable and treatable causes of death is that it behooves us to think about the amount of effort taken and resources used and the impact on people's day to day life in the response to Covid-19 and how many lives the same level of response could save if directed towards the prevention and treatment of other causes of death.

#### Sections

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Virology Skepticism Links

### Covid-19, Official Death Count, September 19, 2020

- Deaths from Covid-19 in the World: 959,405
  - World deaths per million population: 123
- Deaths from Covid-19 in the United States: **203,695** 
  - United States death per million population: 615

See The New Covid-19 Death Certificate Code and Protocols section to see how and why Covid-19 numbers are inflated.

March 23, 2021 Update - Note that even though the Covid death numbers are likely inflated, if using the official count for **March 23, 2021** (in the next statistic), Covid is still less deadly than the 1957 pandemic, as shown in the next section.

- Deaths from Covid-19 in the World: **2,739,706** 
  - World deaths per million population: 349

### Other Outbreaks and Airborne Infectious Diseases Death Count

- 1957-1958 Pandemic (H2N2 virus):
  - The estimated number of deaths worldwide: 1.1 million
  - World population was about 2,900,000,000. Deaths per million population: 379 <sup>4</sup>
  - The estimated number of deaths in the United States: 116,000
  - United States population was ≈ 170 million. Deaths per million population: 682
- 1968 Pandemic (H3N2 virus):
  - The estimated number of deaths worldwide: 1 million <sup>3</sup>
- 1 Worldometer Covid-19 Statistics World (note this source show only the current count)
- 2 Worldometer Covid-19 Statistics United States (note this source show only the current count)
- 3 CDC Website Past Pandemics
- 4 Worldometer World Population Growth
- 5 Worldometer United States Population Growth

- World population was ≈ 3,500,000,000. Deaths per million population: 286
- The estimated number of deaths in the United States: **100,000**
- United States population was ≈ 195 million. Deaths per million population: 512
- Total of Z-score calculated excess deaths (all deaths) in Western Europe in 2018 Winter:
   233
- Total of Z-score calculated excess deaths (all deaths) in Western Europe during the 2020 Covid-19 spike: 289
- Covid-19 excess deaths were 1.24 times higher than deaths from Western Europe's 2018 flu season.
- Deaths in the United States from Covid-19 (February 1 September 16, 2020):
   182,095
- Deaths in the United States from Pneumonia (February 1 September 16, 2020):
   186,116
- Deaths worldwide from Tuberculosis (excluding people with HIV) in 2018: 1,250,000
- Deaths worldwide from Tuberculosis (excluding people with HIV) in 2018 per million population: 164

### Covid-19 Compared to Other Preventable / Treatable Causes of Death\*

- Deaths from starvation worldwide per year: **9,000,000**
- Deaths from starvation worldwide per year per million population: 1152
- Since the 1st recorded Covid-19 death, January 11th through September 19th, the approximate number of people who have starved to death worldwide: **6,325,000** 10
- Deaths from malaria in 2018: **405,000**
- Deaths from malaria in 2018 of children under 5 years old: **272,000**
- Deaths from malaria in 2017 in the WHO African Region per million population: 441 12
- Deaths in the years 2015 & 2019 from diarrheal diseases: 1.38 million, 1.5 million 13 14
- 6 Euromomo Graphs and Maps
- 7 Euromomo What is a z-score?
- 8 CDC Website Provisional COVID-19 Death Counts by Sex, Age, and State
- 9 WHO Website <u>Tuberculosis Key Facts</u>
- 10 United Nations Website Losing 25,000 to Hunger Every Day
- 11 WHO Website- The "World malaria report 2019" at a glance
- 12 WHO Website Number of malaria deaths
- 13 World Atlas Top Ten Leading Causes Of Death In The World
- 14 WHO Website Top 10 causes of death

\* The Preventable / Treatable Causes of Death category includes only deaths from issues that could be resolved very quickly with the application of the necessary effort and resources, as opposed to such things as deaths caused by long-term health issues or ingrained habits, such as car driving.

#### The New Covid-19 Death Certificate Code and Protocols

In March and April, the CDC and the WHO created new protocols as to what evidence was needed to record Covid as the cause of death, and how to record it on death certificates. These new protocols were published and alerts were sent out to health agencies.

What these new protocols do is make it much more likely that Covid will be listed as the cause of death than would be the case with any other flu-like illness, making it impossible to compare Covid with other diseases and increasing the likelihood that what would have been attributed to another cause in the past will from now on be attributed to Covid.

- The recording of data for causes of death in the United States (other than Covid-19)
  has been and is based upon the CDC's 2003 Physicians' Handbook on Medical
  Certification of Death. 15
- Regarding the priority listing of chronic conditions the 2003 Physicians' Handbook on Medical Certification of Death suggested listing them on Part 1 of the death certificate: <sup>15</sup>
  - For as many conditions as are involved, write the full sequence. If more than four lines are needed, add additional lines rather than using space in Part 2 to continue the sequence.
- On March 24th the CDC announced a new death certificate code and new guidelines for recording Covid-19 and Covid-19 suspected deaths. <sup>16</sup>
- Covid-19 Alert No. 2 instructed physicians, medical examiners, and coroners that: 16
  - The rules for coding and selection of the underlying cause of death are expected to result in Covid-19 being the underlying cause more often than not.
  - Covid-19 should be reported on the death certificate for all decedents where the disease caused or is assumed to have caused or contributed to death.
  - If the decedent had other chronic conditions such as COPD or asthma that may have also contributed, these conditions can be reported in Part 2.

- On April 20th the WHO also announced the new death certificate code and new guidelines for recording Covid-19 and Covid-19 suspected deaths: <sup>17</sup>
  - A death due to Covid-19 is defined for surveillance purposes as a death resulting from a clinically compatible illness, in a probable or confirmed Covid-19 case, unless there is a clear alternative cause of death that can't be related to Covid disease (e.g. trauma). There should be no period of complete recovery from Covid-19 between illness and death.
  - Covid-19 should be recorded on the medical certificate of cause of death for ALL decedents where the disease caused, or is assumed to have caused, or contributed to death.
  - If the decedent had existing chronic conditions they should be reported in Part 2 of the medical certificate of cause of death.
- A Children's Health Defense website article explains why this change of protocol matters: 18
  - Why does this matter? This matters because the Part I [on the death certificate] causes of death are statistically recorded for public health reporting, while Part II does not hold nearly the same statistical significance in reporting. This March 24th NVSS guideline essentially allows COVID-19 to be the cause of death when the actual cause of death should be the comorbidity according to the industry-standard 2003 CDC Handbook.

Ultimately this means that almost from the onset the scales were tipped in such a way that would make Covid-19 appear more deadly than any other flu like illnesses which have been recorded using the previous long standing accepted protocols.

## Final Thoughts

Even if one believes the official statistics regarding Covid, the information in the *Covid-19 Compared to Other Preventable / Treatable Causes of Death* section exposes the insanity of the response to Covid. It was treated as if it were so extraordinary that unprecedented measures including an overhaul of society was necessary.

The statistic that the approximate number of people who had starved to death worldwide, during just the first 7 months of Covid, was 6,325,000, is a reality check.

<sup>18</sup> Children's Health Defense - <u>If COVID Fatalities Were 90.2% Lower, How Would You Feel About Schools Reopening?</u>

If the same amount of energy, as ostensibly was used to combat Covid, had been used in a worldwide concerted effort to address hunger, far more lives would have been saved. And it would have been done improving the quality of lives instead negatively impacting lives, enforcing draconian rules telling people what they were and weren't allowed to do.

Covid was not extraordinary. The response was.

## Virology Skepticism Links

Videos

The End of Germ Theory

Toxicology vs Virology - Rockefeller Institute and the Criminal Polio Fraud

Will I Be Struck Off?

Dr. Sam Bailey - The Truth About Virus Isolation / Bioweapon BS

Reiner Fuellmich's Coronaviruses - Sam Bailey

#### **PDFs**

- Virology Debunked

The End of Germ Theory - PDFs of Sources for the Video (video linked to above)

Covid-19 Fraud and War on Humanity, November 11, 2021 - Dr Mark Bailey and Dr John Bevan-Smith

<u>Settling The Virus Debate</u> - Tom Cowan, Andrew Kaufman, et al

Dismantling the Virus Theory - Dr. Stefan Lanka, 2015

COVID-19 - The virus does not exist - it is confirmed! - Saeed A. Qureshi, Ph.D, January, 2021

FOIs Reveal That Health/Science Institutions Around the World (220 and Counting!) Have
No Record of Sars-Cov-2 Isolation/Purification, Anywhere, Ever - Christine Massey

- Poisons not Viruses

20 Things You Don't Know About Polio, The History of Polio - Jason Christoff

Pesticides and Polio: A Critique of Scientific Literature

The Poison Cause of Poliomyelitis and Obstructions to its Investigation

The SARS Epidemic- Are Viruses Taking the Rap for Industrial Poisons?

<u>Deaths from Bacterial Pneumonia during 1918–19 Influenza Pandemic</u>, August, 2008 - John F. Brundage, G. Dennis Shanks