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En hier de laatste ProMed info over het profiel van de dodelijke slachtoffers. Het zijn vooral mannen (66%), ouder dan 60 jaar (80%) en met een andere aandoening (75%), zie onderstaande tekst. Dus vooral oudere mannen met een andere onderliggende aandoening.

Groeten,

[REDACTED]  
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[3] China, fatalities, research agenda - National Health Services press conference 4 Feb 2020  
 Date: 4 Feb 2020  
 Source: China National Health Commission press conference, 4 Feb 2020 [in Chinese, mach. trans. edited/excerpted]  
<http://www.nhc.gov.cn/xcs/yqflkt/202002/35990d56cfcb43f4a70d7f9703b113c0.shtml>

**Key points:**

As of 24:00 3 Feb 2020, the cumulative number of cases nationwide was 20 438, with cumulative deaths at 425. National mortality rate calculated at 2.1%.

In Hubei, there were 414 reported deaths, representing 97% of the country's fatalities. Calculated mortality rate in Hubei Province is 3.1%.

In Wuhan, there were 313 reported deaths, representing 74% of the country's fatalities. Calculated mortality rate in Wuhan is 4.9%.

The calculated fatality rate in other provinces is 0.16%. While the number of cases is not small in other provinces, the case fatality rate is quite low. This may reflect that most cases have mild presentations.

Most fatal cases are male (2/3), with females representing 1/3. Most cases are elderly with more than 80% over 60 years old. More than 75% have one or more pre-existing co-morbidities including cardiovascular diseases, diabetes and malignancies in some of the patients. [It was emphasized that elderly individuals [defined as 60 years of age or older] with pre-existing disease are at high risk from any type of pneumonia, not just the 2019-nCoV pneumonia.]

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Misschien ook even doorzetten aan [REDACTED] (10)(2e) ? (RIVM). Hij zal het wel weten/vinden, maar toch.  
 Wachten we ook nog even op de reactie van [REDACTED] voordat we final antwoorden.

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Bij deze de tekst van de website van het ECDC;

## 2019-nCoV and animals and food products

### 1. What about animals or animal products imported from China?

Due to the animal health situation in China, notably the presence of contagious animal diseases, only a few live animals and unprocessed animal products from China are authorised for import into the European Union. There is no evidence that any of the animals or animal products authorised for entry into the European Union pose a risk to the health of EU citizens as a result of the presence of 2019-nCoV in China.

### 2. What about food products imported from China?

As with the imports of animals and animal products, due to the animal health situation in China, only a few products of animal origin are authorised for import into the EU from China, on the condition that they meet strict health requirements and have been subjected to controls. For the same reasons, travellers entering the EU customs territory are not allowed to carry any meat, meat products, milk or dairy products in their luggage.

There has been no report of transmission of the 2019-nCoV via food and therefore there is no evidence that food items imported into the European Union in accordance with the applicable animal and public health regulations governing imports from China pose a risk for the health of EU citizens in relation to 2019-nCoV. The main mode of transmission is from one person to another.

### 3. What about contact with pets and other animals in the EU?

Current research links 2019-nCoV to certain types of bat, but does not exclude the involvement of other animals. Several types of coronaviruses can infect animals and be transmitted to other animals and people. There is no evidence that companion animals (e.g. dogs or cats) pose a greater risk of infection than humans. As a general precaution, observe basic principles of hygiene when in contact with animals.

Groeten,

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[REDACTED] heeft contact gehad met het RIVM. Ze komen met een geruststellende reactie. Volgt.  
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Ho [REDACTED]

Goede vraag. Er staan veel Q&A's op de website van het RIVM over pakketjes uit China, maar ik kan zo geen Q&A's vinden over risico's i.r.t. voedsel.





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