

More than one million coronavirus deaths in Europe

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Health authorities across Europe have recorded more than a million coronavirus deaths as of 1830 GMT on Monday, according to a tally compiled by AFP from official sources.

In the region's 52 countries and territories, stretching as far east as Azerbaijan and Russia, the [death toll](#) stands at least 1,000,288 dead, the highest of any global region.

According to the latest figures available, nearly 60 percent of the deaths in Europe happened in just six countries: the United Kingdom, with 127,100 deaths; Italy, with 114,612; Russia, with 103,263; France, with 99,163; Germany, with 78,452; and Spain with 76,525.

But the United Kingdom's infection rate is falling as its massive vaccination campaign leads the way in Europe, with around 60 percent of the [adult population](#) having already received a first dose of a vaccine.

France, Italy and Russia meanwhile are facing a third wave of coronavirus infections and are vaccinating their populations at a slower pace.

These figures are based on daily tolls provided by [health authorities](#) in each country and exclude later re-evaluations by statistical organisations, as has happened in Russia, Spain and Britain.

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