

UPDATE April 16:

Number of confirmed coronavirus cases in Lithuania: 1128

Deaths: 30

Recovered: 178

Number of tests performed yesterday: 3860

A total of samples tested in relation to the suspected coronavirus to date: 48 537

133 coronavirus-infected patients are currently undergoing treatment in hospitals in Lithuania.

Nemencine, a small town near Vilnius, has been placed on a lockdown starting Thursday after becoming a coronavirus hotspot. Only people who live or work in Nemencine are allowed to enter the town. Others have to get a special permit from the National Public Health Center.

No one is allowed to leave the town except those who work elsewhere and who need to leave because of health reasons. Car travel within the town remains unrestricted.

Police have set up three checkpoints for those entering or leaving Nemencine, closing all other roads leading into and out of the town.