

UPDATE April 19:

Number of confirmed coronavirus cases in Lithuania: 1298

Deaths: 33

Recovered: 242

Number of tests performed yesterday: 5 219

A total of samples tested in relation to the suspected coronavirus to date: 64 035

169 quarantine violations have been recorded in Lithuania over the past weekend. Under the Code of Administrative Offences, residents face fines ranging from 500 to 1,000 euros for flouting the quarantine restrictions, and executives of legal persons or other responsible persons face fines ranging from 1,500 to 6,000 euros. Half of the minimum fine is issued the first time.

All in all, police officers have already issued around 1,400 fines since given the power to do so. The largest number of protocols was produced during the three-day Easter weekend when it exceeded 200.

The Latvian government has allowed Lithuanians and Estonians to cross the border for work, and are no longer requiring to complete a 14-day quarantine.