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CORONAVIRUS PANDEMIC AND ITS EFFECT OF THE LOCKDOWN AND RESTRICTION OF MOVEMENT ON NIGERIANS

The worldwide pandemic known as the covid-19 is a virus pandemic of the corona family which has affected countries worldwide and still going. The pandemic started on november 2019 in china and since then has affected escalated to other countries. There has been no known cure to this virus pandemic which has destroyed alot of lives. The pandemic which has destroyed affected up to 2,499,723 people worldwide and killed almost 200,000 people with an increasing number of infected increasing every day.

In our country nigeria, Almost 700 people have been recorded to be infected with 188 recovery cases and 22 deaths. This pandemic is not only affecting humans but also the economy and businesses, worldwide which has resulted in a continental recession.

Due to the increased rate of infection, a worldwide lockdown was induced for the purpose of reducing the ease of contamination especially in places where human to human interaction is required such as certain workplaces, churches, schools, etc.

The lockdown has its negative side effect on the ~~Niger~~ vulnerable part of the population which include individuals who can only survive on the money they earn on a daily basis

The Federal Government has recognised this problem and has taken upon themselves to provide for them by distributing food, money and relief items to this vulnerable groups. Despite all this efforts by the Federal Government, most of these vulnerable groups have not been able to gain access to most of these items, which is a major problem, irrespective of the situation, efforts are being made to find solution.

The virus has become a major worldwide problem and has affected a large percentage of individuals

worldwide with only destruction in its path and
a cure that is yet to be found.