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THE CORONA VIRUS PANDEMIC AND EFFECTS OF THE LOCKDOWN AND RESTRICTION OF MOVEMENT ON NIGERIANS .

The corona virus pandemic which we also know as COVID -19 affect people in different ways while most people have mild to moderate symptoms . Common symptoms some victims have are fever , tiredness , dry cough . while some people may experience aches , pains , nasal congestions etc. it takes about 5 – 6 days or 14 days generally for the system to show . it can be prevented through social distancing and washing the hands or making use of hand sanitizers.

The virus which some people call ‘’Chinese virus ‘’started when trump made an international speech .this is because it started in Chinese specifically in Wuhan. The virus caused the whole world to be in lockdown and restricted movement of Nigerians. The effect of these are closure of schools, social distancing and reduction in entrepreneurship activities.

Firstly, closure of schools. These are one of the effects of lockdown and restrictions of movements. This hinders full and proper education because although online classes, some things are not properly taught due some problems with network and the internet. Some students also learn and tend to forget things which were taught in school. So closure of school is not really okay because that students and teachers bond won’t also be that effective.

Secondly, social distancing. These has really affected the mentality of some people socially that they won’t know how to react with their or socialize with their teachers, family members etc. this is really bad because people won’t know how to socialize with others and also their environment again. It can cause depression and can make people to be mentally insecure, unstable and it makes it difficult to trust people .

Lastly, jobs and employments are put on hold. Entrepreneurs, civil workers etc who may likely be the bread winner of the family will likely be affected because money does not come into their account anymore. this is bad because people to buy what they want to use and eat , and things to keep the house going for petrol for the generator etc. it has also caused some peoples goods to have a reduced value while some has been expired and thrown away because it is out of season , therefore the goods has been “WASTED”.

In conclusion,(COVID -19) the corona virus pandemic has really caused lockdown and restrictions of movement of Nigerians . it has caused closure of schools , social distancing , pause in working places and also led to increase In price of essential goods been sold today like masks (face masks) that we buy normally for 50 naira or 100 naira , is now been sold for 400 naira . so , it has greatly affected Nigeria and its economy.