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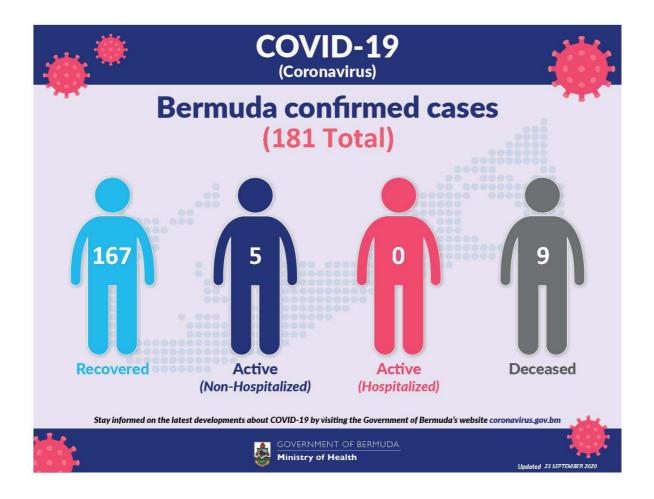


## Coronavirus (COVID-19) update

The current World Health Organization risk assessment for novel coronavirus (COVID-19) is very high risk globally. It is advised that all countries prepare for the possibility of COVID-19 in their communities. Everyone has a role to play in getting ready and staying healthy by practicing everyday prevention measures like frequent hand washing, staying home when sick and covering coughs and sneezes. The World Health Organization has declared the current coronavirus situation as a pandemic. A pandemic is the increased and sustained transmission of a disease across many countries.

Surveillance for respiratory illness has been enhanced in collaboration with local public health partners. Persons with respiratory illness including fever and cough should <u>call ahead</u> and inform their health care provider of their travel history prior to attending for medical care.

This is a rapidly changing situation. Please regularly check this page for updates.



#### Data as of 3:00 pm 26 September 2020

COVID-19 Testing	Total
Total	62408
Results negative	62227
Results positive	181
Transmission Status of Confirmed Cases	
Imported	70
Local Transmission [Known contact/source]	90
Local Transmission [Unknown contact/source]	21
Under Investigation	0
Status of Confirmed Cases	
Recovered	167
Active (non-hospitalized)	5
Active (hospitalized)	0

Imported: Cases acquired outside of Bermuda.

Local transmission: Cases acquired within Bermuda

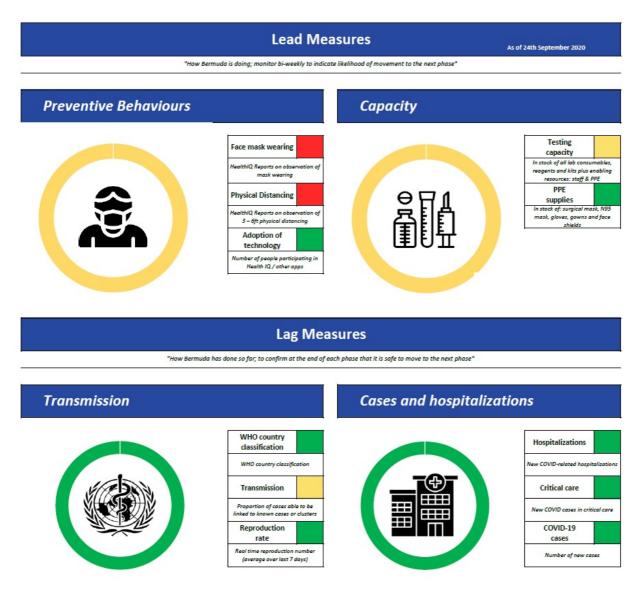
**Under investigation:** Type of transmission has not yet been determined. These cases are not imported and are likely the result of local transmission.

**Recovered:** Person has had no fever for at least 72 hours (3 days) without the use of fever-reducing medication, other symptoms have improved and at least 14 days have passed since onset of symptoms or testing date. Laboratory confirmation of at least one negative result may also be used as evidence of recovery.

Country status: Sporadic Cases

### **COVID-19 Reopening Indicators**

Bermuda is monitoring critical indicators to see how we are doing in managing COVID-19 and assess our readiness to move to the next phase of our reopening plan. These indicators are updated on Mondays and Thursday.



.ead measures:	Lag measures:	
1. Face mask wearing: HealthIQ Reports on observation of	6. Classification: WHO Country classification	
mask wearing –	Green: Sporadic cases	
<ul> <li>&gt;95% report public wearing masks</li> </ul>	Amber: Local transmission	
<ul> <li>&lt;80% report public wearing masks</li> </ul>	Red:Community transmission	
2. Physical distancing: HealthIQ Reports on observation of 3	7. Transmission: Proportion of cases able to be linked to	
– 6ft physical distancing -	known cases or clusters	
• >95% report public maintaining distance	• <10% unknown transmission	
• <80% report public maintaining distance	• >20% unknown transmission	
3. Adoption of Technology: Number of people participating	8. Reproduction rate: Real time reproduction number	
in HealthIQ or Apps (public) -	average over last 7 days	
<ul> <li>&gt;10,000 unique respondents (All time)</li> </ul>	• Rt <1.0	
• <5,000 unique respondents	• Rt >1.4	
4. Testing capacity: In stock of all lab consumables, reagents	9. Hospitalizations: New COVID-related hospitalizations	
and kits plus enabling resources: staff & PPE		
	<ul> <li>&lt;7 over last 7 days</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>&gt;3 months' supply</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>&gt;21 over last 7 days</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>&lt;1 months' supply</li> </ul>	10. Critical care: COVID-related ICU cases	
5. PPE supplies (critical): In stock of: surgical mask, N95		
mask, gloves, gowns and face shields	<ul> <li>&lt;4 concurrent per week</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>&gt;7 concurrent per week</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>&gt;5 months' supply</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>&gt;3 months' supply</li> </ul>	11. COVID-19 cases: Number of new cases per week	

- <12 over last 7 days</p>
- >35 over last 7 days

#### Modelling Parameters 13 August, 2020 🕌

#### **COVID-SIM**

COVID-SIM is a planning tool for those who are concerned about the spread of the new coronavirus SARS-CoV-2 which causes the disease called COVID-19. It is NOT a tool to predict the exact course of the pandemic within a country.

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## **Contact Information**

Ministry of Health Department of Health Headquarters

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