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## WE WORK WITH



There have been 3 confirmed cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) in the Cayman Islands. There is no local transmission in the Cayman Islands.

<div>ADVICE FOR STUDENTS RETURNING TO THE CAYMAN ISLANDS</div> 	HOW & WHEN TO SELF ISOLATE	TEMPORARY BAN ON PUBLIC GATHERINGS	LATEST NEWS	FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS
<p><b>ADVICE FOR RETURNING STUDENTS</b></p> <p>The following support procedures are in place for students arriving from overseas between Thursday 19 March and Sunday 22 March. <a href="#">Read more.</a></p>	<p>More information on how and when to self-isolate. <a href="#">Read more.</a></p>	<p>More information on the temporary restrictions on public gatherings. <a href="#">Read more.</a></p>	<p>Get the latest news and updates from the Cayman Islands Government on Coronavirus (COVID-19). <a href="#">Read more.</a></p>	<p>Answers on the most common symptoms, how it spreads, and how we are prepared ahead of any case. <a href="#">Read More</a></p>

## WHAT IS CORONAVIRUS?

Coronavirus or COVID-19 is a new strain of the coronavirus, which was first identified in Wuhan City, China in 2019. COVID-19 is a member of the coronavirus family (a group of viruses) that has never been encountered before.

## WHAT ARE THE SYMPTOMS?

The virus most commonly causes:

- ✓ coughing
- ✓ fever
- ✓ tiredness
- ✓ breathing difficulties

These symptoms are usually mild and begin gradually but commonly occur within 1-10 days after a person has been exposed.

Some people become infected but don't develop any symptoms and don't feel unwell. Around 1 out of every 6 people who gets COVID-19 becomes seriously ill and develops difficulty breathing.

## HOW DO I GET MORE INFORMATION?

For further information read our [frequently asked questions page](#) or contact the Flu Hotline on 1 800 534 8600 or 947 3077 or email [flu@hsa.ky](mailto:flu@hsa.ky).

Download the self-isolation information sheet [here](#).

## REGIONAL TRACKER

Get updates [here](#).



## HOUSEHOLD GUIDANCE



Information for schools and other educational settings in providing advice about the novel coronavirus, COVID-19 [Read more.](#)

## VULNERABLE PEOPLE & THEIR FAMILIES



Information for vulnerable people such as older persons or chronic conditions that place them at high risk and their carers. [Read more.](#)

## BUSINESS GUIDANCE



Information on the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) including guidance for businesses. [Read more.](#)

### ► EDUCATION GUIDANCE

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Information for schools and other educational settings in providing advice about the novel coronavirus, COVID-19. [Read more.](#)

### ► TRAVEL ADVICE

## COVID-19 Countries on Watch

If you have returned from the below countries within the last 14 days, please contact the Public Health Department immediately if you have a cough, fever or shortness of breath on 244-2621 / 244-2561



People should avoid all but essential travel to countries where there appears to be extensive in country transmission of COVID-19. Please note, this list is subject to change as further updates are received.  
HSA.ky/Coronavirus



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Travel advice and restrictions from the Cayman Islands Government. [Read more.](#)

### ► MENTAL WELLBEING

## MENTAL WELLBEING



Information on maintaining your mental wellbeing and safety in the unlikely event of needing to self-isolate [Read more.](#)

### ► LATEST NEWS

## LATEST NEWS



Information for the public on the worldwide outbreak of coronavirus, including the current situation in the Cayman Islands and information about the virus and its symptoms. [Read more.](#)

### ► PUBLIC HEALTH INFO

**CATCH IT**

**WASH IT**

**TRASH IT**

**CORONAVIRUS**

Public health information about how coronavirus is spread and how to avoid catching or spreading germs [Read more.](#)

### ► RESOURCES

## USEFUL LINKS



Download our on the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) information, graphics and videos [Read more.](#)

## CORONAVIRUS

### F.A.Q.S

Read our frequently asked questions on the novel coronavirus [Read more.](#)

#### How is coronavirus caught & spread?

Information on how coronavirus is caught and can spread, as well as prevention tips [Read more.](#)

#### Is the airport closed?

From Sunday 22 March Owen Roberts International airport in Grand Cayman will be closed for 3 weeks to all passengers temporarily.

For all destinations except for the UK, inbound flights from Thursday, 19 March, 2020, will operate for returning residents only. All arriving passengers (and their households even if they did not travel with the passenger) will be required to self-isolate for 14 days effective immediately. [Read more.](#)

#### Should families of those arriving from overseas or those self-isolating also self-isolate?

Yes. All arriving passengers (and those in their households even if they did not travel with the passenger) will be required to self-isolate for 14 days effective immediately. [Read more.](#)

#### What should businesses do to prepare?

Advice on how businesses and commerce can prepare ahead of a potential in community case [Read more.](#)

## PREVENTION TIPS

Learn more about how to prevent the spread of coronavirus and other illnesses [here](#).

# Coronavirus Prevention Tips



frequently **cleanse hands**  
with soap and water or an  
alcohol-based hand sanitizer

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Mitigation, preparedness, response and recovery for hazards and threats in the Cayman Islands [Read more](#).



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- ▶ DVDL Introduces Additional Precautionary Measures, Encourages Online Renewals.[Read more.](#)
- ▶ DOA Implements Operational Changes, Reduced Hours.[Read more.](#)
- ▶ Centre for Business Development to Open 23 March, Focus on Business Continuity[Read more.](#)
- ▶ NAU Food Stipends for Caymanian Families Whose Children Received School Lunch Assistance.[Read more.](#)
- ▶ Education Minister Outlines Plans for Schools' Distance Learning.[Read more.](#)
- ▶ Thursday 19 March Government Update [Read more.](#)
- ▶ Two Test Positive in Preliminary Results of 40 More Local Tests. Patients Doing Well, Remain in Isolation[Read more.](#)
- ▶ DCFS to Implement Social Distancing, Maintain Client Contact by Phone, WhatsApp and Zoom[Read more.](#)
- ▶ Wednesday 18 March Government Update: No New Test Results. Additional Control Measures and Economic Support Announced. [Read More.](#)
- ▶ DLP Outlines COVID-19 Preparations and Implementation of Social Distancing.[Read more.](#)
- ▶ DVDL Suspends Road Testing, Will Reschedule Appointments.[Read more.](#)
- ▶ [Read all news.](#)

## MORE ON CORONAVIRUS IN THE CAYMAN ISLANDS

### YOUR QUESTIONS ANSWERED





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