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CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19)

LATEST FIGURES ON CORONAVIRUS

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WORRIED YOU MIGHT HAVE COVID-19?

Start a confidential COVID-19 self-assessment.

Click Here

LATEST ADVICE

Easter camping not permitted



British Airways flight info



Need support?



Stay home to Save Lives



Only leave for essentials



Six feet to save lives



Self-isolate



Take care of your emotional well being



Restrict travel



Get creative



POLICIES IN ACTION

Supermarket Provisions



Shelter in Place



Nightly Curfew



Social Distancing



Gatherings restricted



Non-essential operations closed



Restaurants take-out or delivery only



Public transport restricted



No international travel



► [All Policies in Action](#)

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BLOOD DONATIONS ARE URGENTLY REQUIRED

Contact the blood
bank at the Health
Services Authority
Monday-Saturday,
call [244-2674](tel:244-2674) or
email

info@bloodbank.ky

For more info visit

www.bloodbank.ky

[Read more.](#)

WHAT IS CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19)?

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?

This official website includes a lot of helpful information that is constantly being updated, including a detailed explanation of the [Daytime "Soft" Curfew and Nighttime "Hard" Curfew](#) that are in place, answers to [Frequently Asked Questions](#) and details of [Policies in Action](#). We also have a list of [Hotlines](#) for critical services.

If you have medical questions, many resources are available on this website and www.hsa.ky/coronavirus. If you can't find what you're looking for or have a question about your specific situation, contact your General Practitioner or the 24-hour Flu Hotline on 1-800-534-8600 or 947-3077 or email flu@hsa.ky. If you have a medical emergency dial 911.

If you have a non-medical question and can't find the answer on this website, contact the National Emergency Operations Centre hotline on 1-800-534-6555 or email NEOC@gov.ky.

REGIONAL TRACKER

Get updates from the Pan American Health Organization [here](#).

WHO SITUATION REPORTS

Get global updates from the World Health Organization [here](#).

► HOUSEHOLD GUIDANCE

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Stay at home guidance for households with possible coronavirus (COVID-19) infection. [Read more](#).

► VULNERABLE PEOPLE

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

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

► EDUCATION GUIDANCE

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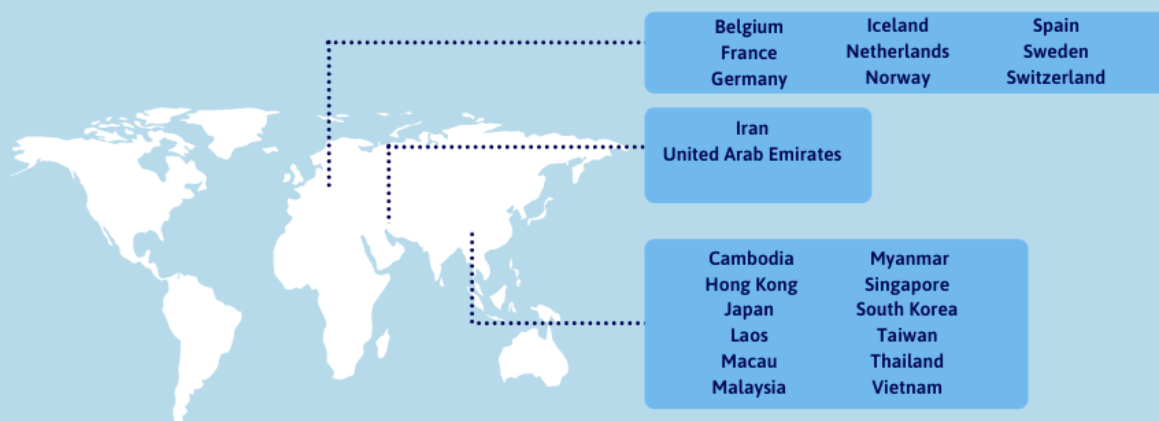


Information for schools and other educational settings in providing advice about the novel coronavirus (COVID-19). [Read more.](#)

► 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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CAYMAN ISLANDS GOVERNMENT



PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT
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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

RESOURCES



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

► FRONTLINE STAFF

FRONTLINE STAFF



Information for front-line and essential workers on coronavirus in Cayman Islands and information on policies. [Read more.](#)

► POLICIES IN ACTION



Information the public on coronavirus policies in Cayman Islands. [Read more.](#)

► HOTLINES

HOTLINES



Information the hotlines and contact details for various information on coronavirus in Cayman Islands. [Read more.](#)

CORONAVIRUS F.A.Q.S

What is coronavirus? How is it caught & spread?

The information and studies we are receiving on COVID-19 grow by the day, and so does the understanding. The advice from our Chief Medical Officer is that shared by national public health agencies such as the Centers for Disease Control in the USA, Public Health England and the World Health Organization. [Read more.](#)

What is Government doing to address COVID-19?

Here on our official website, you can find the most up to date news and information about Government's response to COVID-19. This includes [Policies in Action](#) to protect our community and save lives.

What should I do if I think I have COVID-19?

Unless you require emergency medical care, stay home. Call your General Practitioner or the Flu Hotline on 1 800 534 8600 or 947 3077 for advice if you are not managing. Depending on your symptoms and travel history you will most likely be advised to self-isolate at home. A member of the Health Services Authority will visit you at your home. [Read more.](#)

What should businesses do?

The Cayman Islands Government issued advice on how businesses and commerce can prepare ahead of a potential community case. We are also keeping this website updated to reflect the latest policies and advice. [Read more.](#)

View all of our frequently asked questions on the novel coronavirus [here](#).

PREVENTION TIPS

The best way to protect yourself and others from the spread of this virus is to practice these three tips:

- ✔ Catch it. Catch a cough or sneeze in a tissue. If you have nothing to use, use your elbow and not your hands.
- ✔ Bin it. Bin the tissues after use. Viruses can live for hours in tissues.
- ✔ Kill it. By avoiding close contact with those suffering from acute respiratory illness, avoiding travel if you have flu-like symptoms (or a cough or a fever) we can help kill the virus.

Coronavirus Prevention Tips

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

CAYMAN PREPARED

Hazard Management Cayman Islands has overall responsibility for the national Comprehensive Disaster Management programme, including preparedness, response, mitigation and recovery.

HMCI is responsible for the National Emergency Operations Centre (NEOC), which is activated to direct and coordinate the response to national threats. [Read more.](#)

PRESS ROOM

- ▶ Wednesday 1, April Government Update: Eight New Cases of COVID-19, Economic Well Being of the Nation, Further Information on the British Airways Flight and Call for Blood Donations. [Read more.](#)
- ▶ Important Advice on Homemade Face Masks From the Ministry of Health. April 1. [Read more.](#)
- ▶ The Offices of the Ministry of Education, Youth Sports, Agriculture and Land Operates Remotely

and is Accepting Email Inquires for Key Services. April 1. [Read more.](#)

▶ Postal Service Suspends Service to the Public, as such All Post Offices Are Closed. April 1. [Read more.](#)

▶ Tuesday 31, March Government Update: Community Transmission is Confirmed with Two New Positive Results and the Public is Asked to Strictly Follow Protocols Established. [Read more.](#)

▶ Dept of Vehicle and Drivers' License is closed to the Public, while online services are available. March 31. [Read more.](#)

▶ Application Form for Persons on Work Permit for One-time Food Voucher from Government. March 31. [Read more.](#)

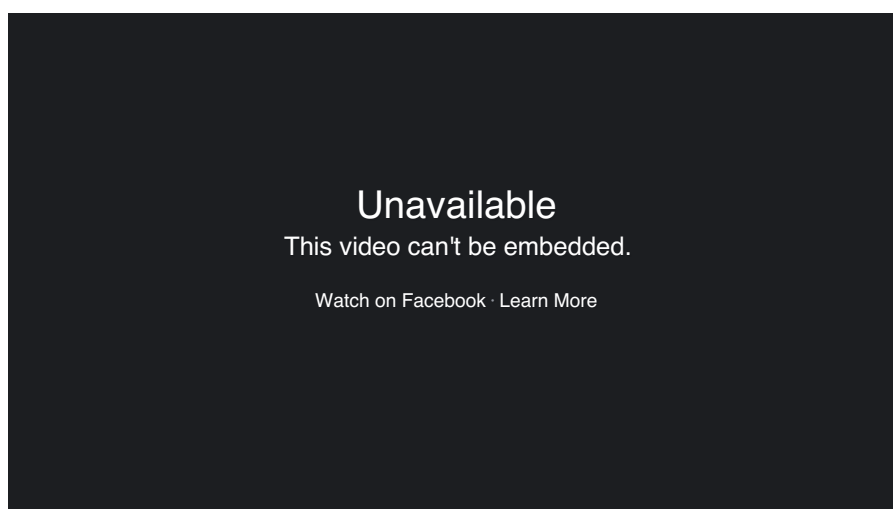
▶ Expat work Permit Holders Who Are Jobless Due to COVID-19 Are to Get Government Assistance. March 31. [Read more.](#)

▶ Minister Overviews Health Matters, Announces Call for Jingles from Local Musicians. [Read more.](#)

▶ The public can find out if their symptoms may be coronavirus related within five minutes. 30 March. [Read more.](#)

▶ [Read all news](#)

CORONAVIRUS LATEST LIVE UPDATES



NEWS FROM AROUND THE WEB



How A Little Island In The Caribbean Sea Is Standing Up To The Goliath Of Coronavirus
forbes.com

CAYMAN ISLANDS HEALTH SERVICES AUTHORITY (HSA)

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USA CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL & PROTECTION (CDC)

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PUBLIC HEALTH ENGLAND (PHE)

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