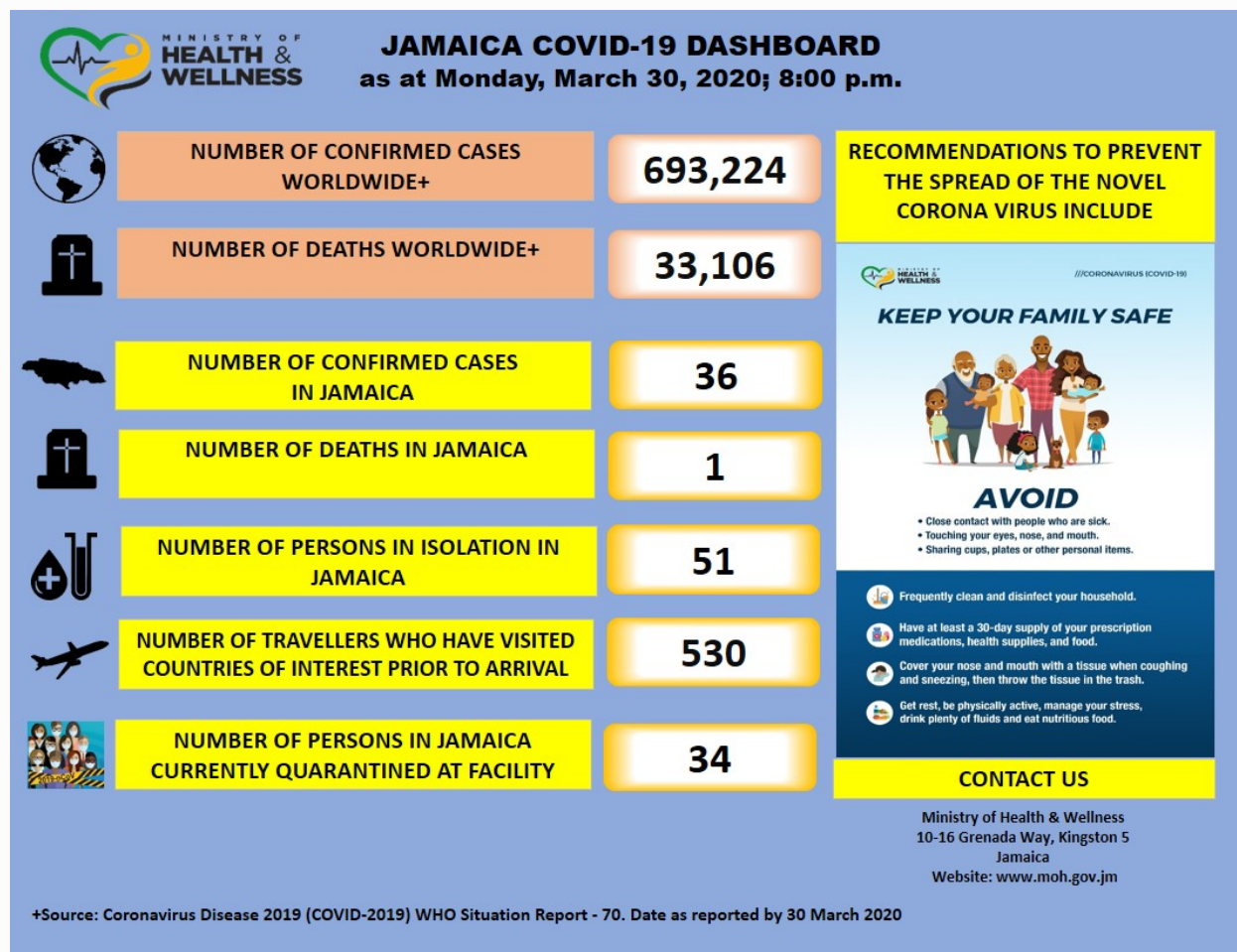


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COVID-19 Update – March 30, 2020



Here's a snapshot of Jamaica's situation as it relates to #COVID19 as well as the global data.

March 31st, 2020

36 Confirmed Cases of COVID-19 in Jamaica – Healthcare Worker tests positive

There are now 36 confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Jamaica. Additional results received at 9:00 p.m. from the National Influenza Centre, showed that of the five pending results from yesterday, three samples tested negative, while two were positive for COVID-19. The two new cases are: a 45 year old female,...

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March 29th, 2020

COVID-19 Update: Jamaica now has 34 cases

The total number of confirmed COVID-19 cases in Jamaica now stands at 34. The increase comes as the National Influenza Centre has reported two positive results from 5 tests that were pending. The two new cases are: a 34 year-old female from St. James with a travel history from New...

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March 29th, 2020

Health Ministry urges end to COVID-19 misinformation

The Ministry of Health and Wellness is once again urging Jamaicans to refrain from sharing unsubstantiated information about the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) on the island. "Misinformation about COVID-19, whether it is shared deliberately or not, is a disservice to the national efforts to contain the spread of the virus..."

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March 28th, 2020

Jamaica records 32 COVID-19 cases

Jamaica, over the last 24 hours, recorded two new confirmed cases of the Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19), bringing the total number of confirmed cases on the island to thirty-two (32). The two new cases are: a 70-year-old female from St Catherine with no travel history; and a 67-year-old female from Kingston...

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March 28th, 2020

Jamaica records 30 COVID-19 cases

Jamaica now has 30 confirmed Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) cases. Included in that number are four new confirmed cases in the last 48 hours, notably: A 87-year-old female from Manchester with a travel history that includes New York; A 51-year-old male from St Catherine with a travel history that includes New...

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March 27th, 2020

COVID-19 Update – March 25, 2020



NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES
WORLDWIDE+

414,179



NUMBER OF DEATHS WORLDWIDE+

18,440



NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES
IN JAMAICA

26



NUMBER OF DEATHS IN JAMAICA

1



NUMBER OF PERSONS IN ISOLATION IN
JAMAICA

51



NUMBER OF TRAVELLERS WHO HAVE VISITED
COUNTRIES OF INTEREST PRIOR TO ARRIVAL

514



NUMBER OF PERSONS IN JAMAICA
CURRENTLY QUARANTINED AT HOME

254*



NUMBER OF PERSONS IN JAMAICA
CURRENTLY QUARANTINED AT FACILITY

17

RECOMMENDATIONS TO PREVENT
THE SPREAD OF THE NOVEL
CORONA VIRUS INCLUDE

//CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19)

WASH YOUR HANDS AS OFTEN AS POSSIBLE

Always wash before/after you:

1. Eat
2. Touch your eyes, nose or mouth
3. After using the restroom
4. Sneeze, cough, blow or wipe your nose
5. Touch animals or pets



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Jamaica
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*This does not include persons in 7 & 8 Miles, Bull Bay and Corn Piece Settlement.

+Source: Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-2019) WHO Situation Report - 65. Date as reported by 25 March 2020

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March 26th, 2020

COVID-19 Update – March 24, 2020



NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES
WORLDWIDE+

372,757



NUMBER OF DEATHS WORLDWIDE+

16,231



NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES
IN JAMAICA

25



NUMBER OF DEATHS IN JAMAICA

1



NUMBER OF PERSONS IN ISOLATION IN
JAMAICA

48



NUMBER OF TRAVELLERS WHO HAVE VISITED
COUNTRIES OF INTEREST PRIOR TO ARRIVAL

503



NUMBER OF PERSONS IN JAMAICA
CURRENTLY QUARANTINED AT HOME

254*



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+Source: Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-2019) WHO Situation Report - 64. Date as reported by 24 March 2020

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March 25th, 2020

Jamaica records 25 cases of COVID-19

Jamaica now has 25 confirmed cases of the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19), following the return of six additional positive tests over the last two days. The six new cases are: Two males, both 61 years old, with a travel history that includes Trinidad, London, Egypt, and Dubai. They arrived in...

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March 24th, 2020

COVID-19 Update – March 23, 2020



NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES
WORLDWIDE+

332,930



NUMBER OF DEATHS WORLDWIDE+

14,510



NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES
IN JAMAICA

21



NUMBER OF DEATHS IN JAMAICA

1



NUMBER OF PERSONS IN ISOLATION IN
JAMAICA

51



NUMBER OF TRAVELLERS WHO HAVE VISITED
COUNTRIES OF INTEREST PRIOR TO ARRIVAL

503



NUMBER OF PERSONS IN JAMAICA
CURRENTLY QUARANTINED AT HOME

232*



NUMBER OF PERSONS IN JAMAICA
CURRENTLY QUARANTINED AT FACILITY

18

RECOMMENDATIONS TO PREVENT
THE SPREAD OF THE NOVEL
CORONA VIRUS INCLUDE



Cover mouth and
nose with, tissue,
sleeve or elbow
when coughing
or sneezing

Throw tissue
into closed bin
after use



Clean hands
after coughing
or sneezing
when caring for
the sick

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March 24th, 2020

MINISTER'S PRESENTATIONS

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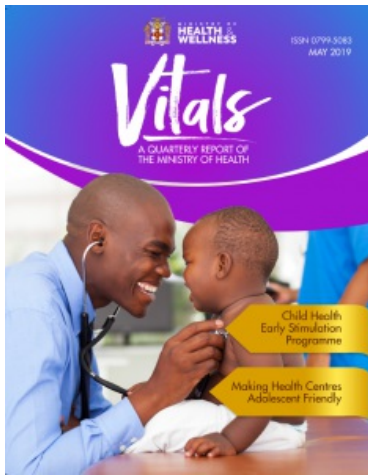
National Statement: COVID-19 Delivered by Dr. the Hon. Christopher Tufton Minister of Health and Wellness



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Complete a COVID-19 self assessment.



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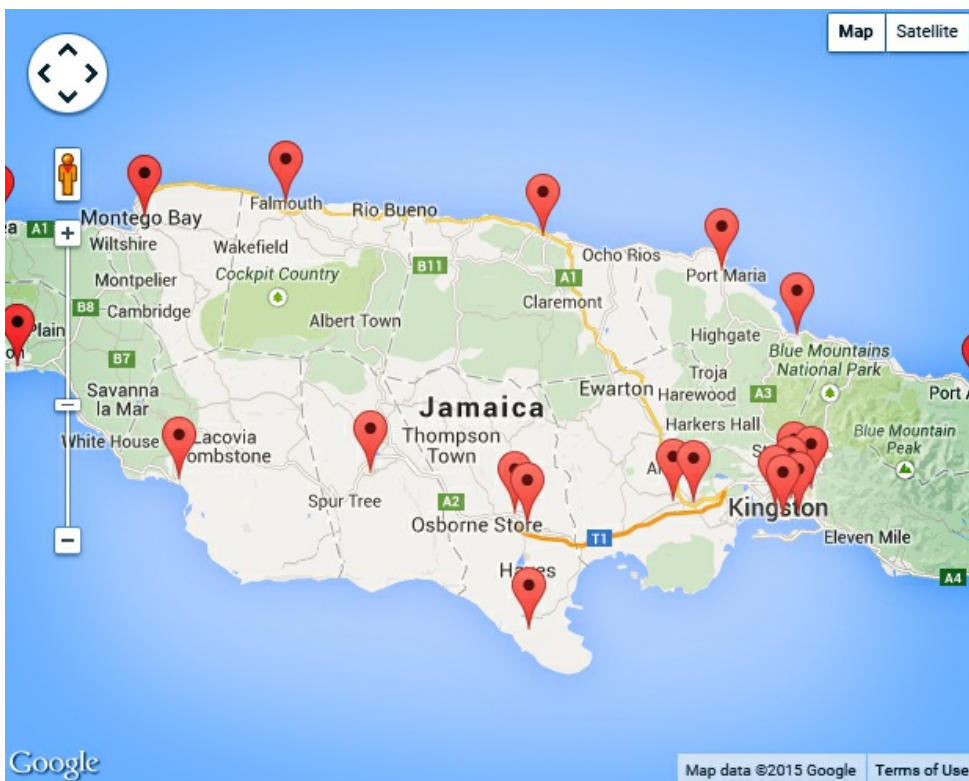
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PINK EYE AND YOU

Conjunctivitis otherwise known as "Pink Eye", is an infection of the eye. It is caused mainly by a virus which enters the eye by contaminated:

- o HANDS
- o WASH RAGS
- o COSMETICS
- o HANDKERCHIEFS
- o CONTACT LENS
- o OTHER PERSONAL ITEMS

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS

Redness of the eyes
Itchy or burning eyes
Grainy feeling in eyes
Sensitivity to light
Watery eyes

PREVENTION

Do not share make-up eye drops, wash rags etc.
Avoid shaking hands with infected persons.
WASH HANDS OFTEN after lending to persons with pink eye.

TREATMENT & CARE:

- Pour boiled water that has been cooled on to clean tissue/cotton and wipe eyes at least 3 times for the day.
- Throw tissue/cotton in garbage after each use.
- Avoid rubbing eyes.
- Do not attend school/work/other crowded places until infection clears.

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Flu Prevention



Things To Do To Prevent The Flu

- Avoid close contact:** to prevent others from getting sick too.
- Stay home when sick.**
- Cover your nose and mouth:** with a tissue or sleeve when coughing or sneezing.
- Wash your hands often:** which helps to protect you from germs.
- Avoid touching your eyes, mouth and nose.**
- Practice good health habits:** exercise, eat healthy, manage stress, drink plenty of fluids.

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