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COVID-19 Update: Jamaica now has 473 confirmed cases

2 new positives and 7 more recoveries The National Surveillance Unit of the Ministry of Health & Wellness has reported that in the last 24 hours, 2 samples have tested positive for COVID-19. This brings the total number of confirmed COVID-19 cases in Jamaica to 473. The 2 new cases...

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May 5th, 2020

COVID-19 Update: Jamaica now has 469 confirmed cases

6 new positives, 1 new death and 5 more recoveries The National Surveillance Unit of the Ministry of Health & Wellness has reported that in the last 24 hours, 6 samples have tested positive for COVID-19. This brings the total number of confirmed COVID-19 cases in Jamaica to 469. Regrettably,...

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May 3rd, 2020

463 Confirmed COVID-19 Cases in Jamaica

There are now 463 confirmed Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) cases in Jamaica, with the addition of 31 new positives in the last 24 hours. Of the 31 new cases, there are 11 males and 20 females, with ages ranging from eight (8) years to 72 years. Of the 31 cases, seven...

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May 2nd, 2020

Health Ministry spends \$2.5 Billion on COVID-19 response measures



KINGSTON, Jamaica. Friday, May 1, 2020. The Ministry of Health and Wellness has so far spent \$2.5 billion, of an initial \$2.8 billion allocation from the Ministry of Finance and the Public Service, on efforts to contain the spread of the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) and to ensure the best...

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COVID-19 Update: Jamaica now has 432 Confirmed Cases

10 new cases; 2 additional recoveries The National Surveillance Unit of the Ministry of Health & Wellness has reported that in the last 24 hours, 10 samples have tested positive for COVID-19. This brings the total number of confirmed COVID-19 cases in Jamaica to 432. Of the 10 new cases,...

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Mental health clinics remain open

The Ministry of Health and Wellness wishes to advise persons with appointments to access services at mental health clinics to keep them. The clinics remain open islandwide. "All persons are encouraged to keep their assigned dates. Older persons, who are to remain at home given the threat presented by the...

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Jamaica now has 422 Confirmed cases of COVID19

The Ministry of Health & Wellness' National Surveillance Unit has advised that 26 samples tested positive for COVID-19 in the last 24 hours. This has brought the total number of confirmed cases in the island to 422. Regrettably, Jamaica also recorded its 8th COVID-19-related death. The deceased is a 63...

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COVID-19 Update – 396 Cases

Jamaica now has 396 confirmed cases of the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19), with the addition of 32 new positives over the last 48 hours. Of the 32 new cases, there are 11 males and 21 females, with ages ranging from 1 to 71 years. Fifteen (15) are associated with the...

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Interim Guidance for COVID-19

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April 29th, 2020

Public Notice Re COVID-19 Quarantine

The Ministry of Health and Wellness wishes to advise that the quarantine orders for all employees of the Alorica Call Centre remain in effect. All employees must remain at home until they are contacted by the St. Catherine Health Department, even if the 14-day period of quarantine has expired. The...

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April 27th, 2020

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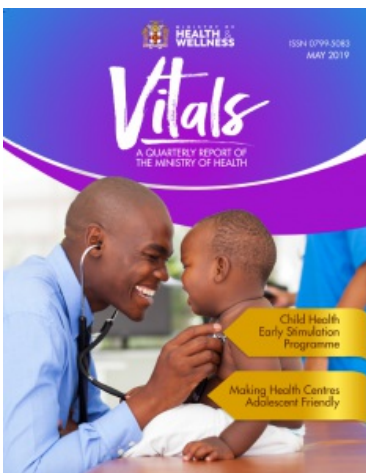
Speaking Notes of the Minister of Health and Wellness Dr. the Hon. Christopher Tufton, MP



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