



## Press Releases

### Four more COVID-19 recoveries for Jamaica

2 new positives put total number of confirmed cases at 490 Jamaica has seen four additional recoveries from COVID-19 and two new confirmed positive cases over the last 24 hours. This brings to 62 the total number of recoveries and to 490 the number of confirmed cases of COVID-19. The...

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May 8th, 2020

### Quarantine of Communities in St. Mary

The Ministry of Health and Wellness in collaboration with the National Emergency Operation Centre at the ODPEM has reviewed the situation in St. Mary this morning. In consultation with the Local Health Authority, North East Regional Health Authority (NERHA), the quarantining of areas in the parish of St. Mary comprising...

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May 7th, 2020

### 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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**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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May 2nd, 2020

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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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May 1st, 2020

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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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April 29th, 2020

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



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### COVID-19 SELF REPORT

Complete a COVID-19 self assessment.



### EPIDEMIOLOGICAL ALERTS

Zika – MOH Epidemiological Surveillance  
Plan – Final – Nov 16, 2015



### VECTOR CONTROL

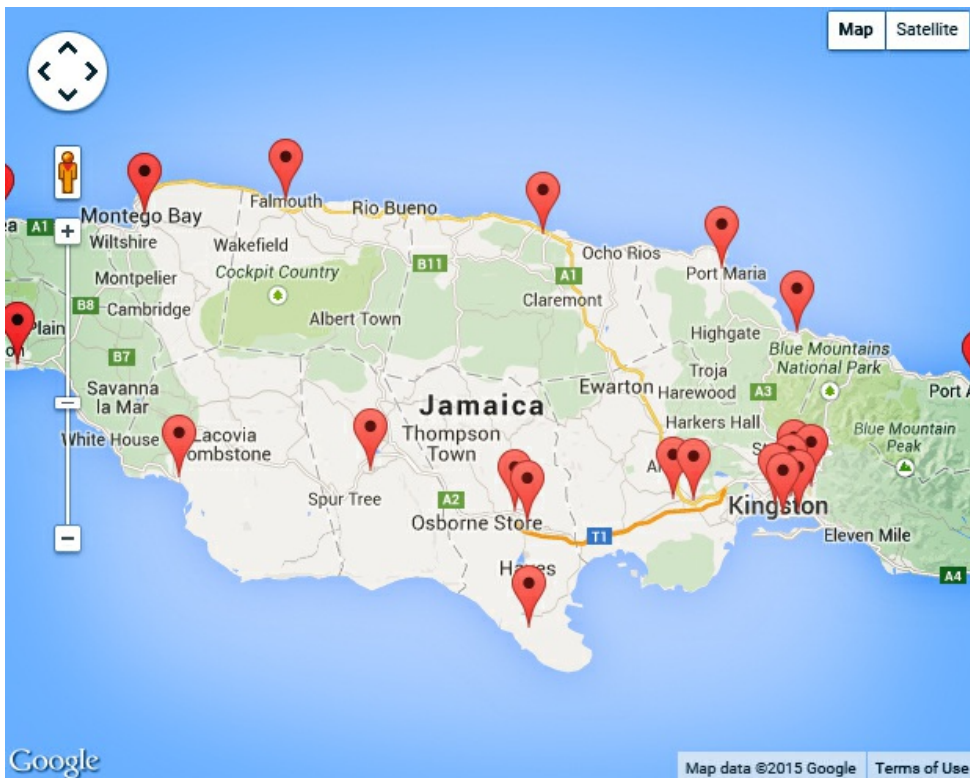
PCA Registered Mosquito Control Products  
Zika FAQs



**LIVE STREAM – COVID-19 UPDATE @ 5:30PM**

## VIDEO FEATURE

## LOCATION OF HOSPITALS AND HEALTH CENTRES



## PUBLIC EDUCATION RESOURCES

### Ebola Awareness February 2015

What is Ebola Virus Disease? Ebola Virus Disease (formerly known as Ebola Haemorrhagic Fever) is a severe, often fatal illness, with a



death rate of about 25% to 90%. Ebola is not a new disease, but appeared in 1976 in two simultaneous outbreaks in the Democratic Republic of Congo and in Sudan. What are...

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