



Press Releases

Six new COVID-19 cases, one additional recovery in Jamaica

Jamaica has recorded six new cases of COVID-19 in the last 24 hours. This brings the total number of confirmed cases to 611. The new cases were all imported – four (4) arriving on a flight from the United States and two (2) on a flight from the United Kingdom....

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June 11th, 2020

No New COVID-19 Cases, Two More Recoveries

Confirmed Cases remain at 605 There were no new confirmed COVID-19 cases recorded today for Jamaica. The total confirmed cases, therefore remain at 605. At the same time, two more patients have recovered and have been released from care, bringing the total recoveries to 407 (67.2% Recovery rate). Jamaica has 104...

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June 10th, 2020

Six new COVID-19 cases for Jamaica

Recoveries hold at 405 Jamaica has recorded another six confirmed COVID-19 cases in the last 24 hours. The total number of confirmed cases is now up to 605. Recoveries remain at 405. The six new cases are all imported. Three came in to the island on a flight from the...

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June 9th, 2020

COVID-19 Update: One New Case brings Jamaica's total to 599



NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES
WORLDWIDE +

6,931,000



NUMBER OF DEATHS WORLDWIDE +

400,857



NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES
IN JAMAICA

599



NUMBER OF DEATHS IN JAMAICA

10



NUMBER OF PERSONS IN ISOLATION IN
JAMAICA

208



NUMBER OF PERSONS RECOVERED AND
RELEASED

405

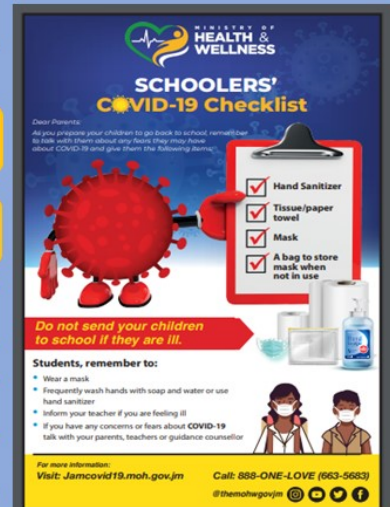


NUMBER OF PERSONS IN JAMAICA
CURRENTLY QUARANTINED AT FACILITY

46

+ Source: Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-2019)
WHO Situation Report – 140 dated June 8, 2020

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ON COVID-19



SCHOOLERS' COVID-19 Checklist

Dear Parents:
As you prepare your children to go back to school, remember to talk with them about any fears they may have about COVID-19 and give them the following items:

- Hand Sanitizer
- Tissue/paper towel
- Mask
- A bag to store mask when not in use

Do not send your children to school if they are ill.

Students, remember to:

- Wear a mask
- Frequently wash hands with soap and water or use hand sanitizer
- Inform your teacher if you are feeling ill
- If you have any concerns or fears about COVID-19 talk with your parents, teachers or guidance counsellor

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Jamaica has recorded one new case of COVID-19 today, bringing the island's count to 599. In the meantime, the number of patients who have recovered from COVID-19 remains at 405 (Recovery rate 67.6%). The new case is a 63 year old female of a St. Elizabeth address. This is an...

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June 8th, 2020

COVID-19 Update: 2 new Confirmed Cases, 1 more Recovery

The National Surveillance Unit in the Ministry of Health & Wellness has advised that two new samples have tested positive for COVID-19, bringing the country's total confirmed cases to 598. In the meantime, one more patient has been counted among the recoveries. A total of 405 patients have recovered from...

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June 7th, 2020

19 more COVID-19 recoveries, 1 new confirmed positive for Jamaica

Jamaica has recorded 19 new COVID-19 recoveries and one new confirmed positive in the last 24 hours. This gives the island a 68% recovery rate, as the total number of persons released from care moves to 404 and the number of confirmed cases to 596. The new confirmed case is...

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June 6th, 2020

COVID-19 Update: 17 More Recoveries, 4 New Imported Cases Recorded

Jamaica has recorded 17 more recoveries in the last 24 hours. This brings the total number of patients, who have recovered from COVID-19 and have been released from isolation to 385. The country's recovery rate now stands at 64.7%. In the meantime, four new samples have tested positive for COVID-19,...

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June 5th, 2020

COVID-19 Update: 5 More Recoveries; 1 new Death Recorded

Confirmed Cases now 591 Jamaica has recorded five more recoveries in the last 24 hours. This brings the total number of patients, who have recovered from COVID-19 and have been released from isolation to 361. The country's recovery rate now moves to 61%. Regrettably, the last 24 hours has also...

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June 4th, 2020

Jamaica's COVID-19 recoveries reach 60 per cent

Jamaica's COVID-19 recovery numbers reached 356 in the last 24 hours as 34 additional persons were released from care. The island now has a recovery rate of 60 per cent. Also in the last day, Jamaica recorded two new confirmed positives, bringing the total number for the island to 590...

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June 2nd, 2020

Jamaica's confirmed COVID-19 cases up to 588

Jamaica has recorded two new confirmed COVID-19 cases in the last 24 hours. There are now 588 confirmed positives for the island. Recoveries are up by 11, bringing the total number of persons released from care to 322, also in the last 24 hours. The island now has a recovery...

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June 1st, 2020

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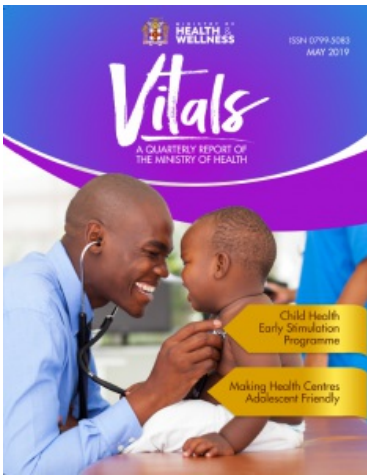
Speaking Notes of the Minister of Health and Wellness Dr. the Hon. Christopher Tufton, MP



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Vision for Health 2030 – Ten Year Strategic Plan 2019 – 2030



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Complete a COVID-19 self assessment.



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Zika – MOH Epidemiological Surveillance
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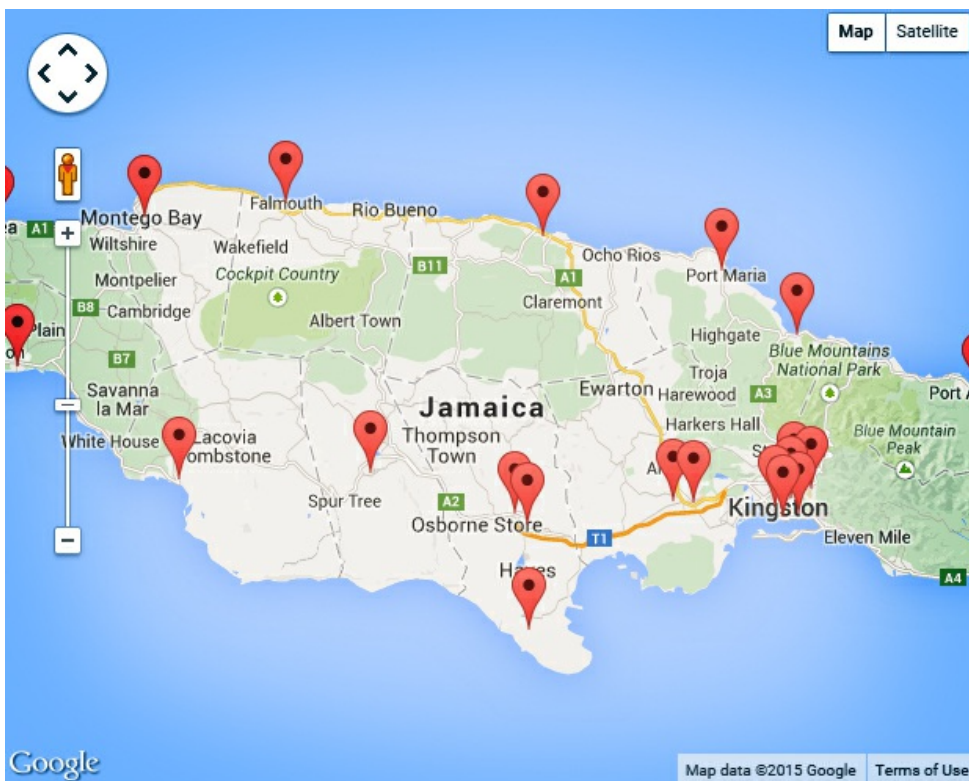
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PINK EYE AND YOU

Conjunctivitis other-wise known as "Pink Eye", is an infection of the eyes. It is caused mainly by a virus which enters the eyes 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 coming in contact 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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