



Press Releases

Jamaica has 751 COVID-19 cases

The last 24 hours have seen Jamaica recording six new COVID-19 cases, bringing the total number of confirmed positives for the island to 751. The new cases consist of two (2) males and four (4) females with ages ranging from 19 to 48 years. All are imported cases, who recently...

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July 8th, 2020

COVID-19 Update: Eight More Recoveries, Eight New Cases

Eight more COVID-19 patients have recovered and have been released from isolation, bringing the total recoveries to 599 (80.4% Recovery rate). At the same time, eight new imported/import-related cases have been recorded in the last 24 hours. Jamaica now has on record 745 COVID-19 cases. The new cases consist of...

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July 7th, 2020

COVID-19 Update: Seven More Recoveries, Five New Imported Cases

Seven more COVID-19 patients have recovered and have been released from isolation, bringing the total recoveries to 591 (80.2% Recovery rate). At the same time, following the confirmation of five new cases, in the last 24 hours, Jamaica now has a total of 737 COVID-19 cases. The five new cases...

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July 6th, 2020

COVID-19 Update: 15 More Recoveries, Cases Increase by Four

In the last 24 hours, the number of recovered patients has increased by 15. The total number of patients now recovered and released from care stands at 584 (79.8% Recovery Rate). At the same time, Jamaica has seen an increase in COVID-19 cases by four. This brings the country's total...

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July 5th, 2020

Jamaica records 7 new COVID-19 cases, 4 more recoveries

Jamaica has recorded seven new COVID-19 cases and four additional recoveries in the last 24 hours. The island now has a total of 728 confirmed positives and 569 recoveries. There are 139 or 19% active cases currently under observation, including one moderately ill person. There are no critically ill persons...

COVID-19 Update: Six New Imported Cases Recorded Today

Category	Value
NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES WORLDWIDE +	10,710,005
NUMBER OF DEATHS WORLDWIDE +	517,877
NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES IN JAMAICA	721
NUMBER OF DEATHS IN JAMAICA	10
NUMBER OF PERSONS IN ISOLATION IN JAMAICA	137
NUMBER OF PERSONS RECOVERED AND RELEASED	565
NUMBER OF PERSONS IN GOVERNMENT QUARANTINE FACILITY	12

PROTECT YOURSELF AND OTHERS FROM GETTING SICK
wash your hands with soap and water:

- o after coughing or sneezing
- o when caring for the sick
- o before, during and after you prepare food
- o before eating
- o after toilet use
- o when hands are visibly dirty
- o after handling animals or animal waste

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+ Source: Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-2019)
WHO Situation Report 165, dated July 3, 2020

Jamaica now has 721 confirmed COVID-19 cases. This increase comes as six new samples have tested positive in the last 24 hours. At the same time, five more patients have recovered and have been released from care, bringing that total to 565. (78.4% Recovery Rate). All six cases are imported,...

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COVID-19 Update: Jamaica records Eight More Imported Cases

Eight new samples have tested positive for COVID-19 in the last 24 hours. The island now has 715 confirmed COVID-19 cases. In the meantime, five more patients have recovered and have been released from care, bringing the cumulative recoveries to 560. (78.3% Recovery rate). The new cases are all imported...

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COVID-19 Update: Five New Imported Cases Recorded Today

Two more recoveries The island now has on record 707 confirmed COVID-19 cases. This follows the confirmation of five new samples that have tested positive in the last 24 hours. In the meantime, two additional COVID-19 patients have recovered and have been released from care, bringing that total to 555....

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Jamaica records four new COVID-19 cases

Jamaica has recorded four new confirmed COVID-19 cases in the last 24 hours while recoveries remain at 553 or 78.8%. The new positives – which bring to 702 the total number of COVID-19 cases on the island – consist of 2 males and 2 females, who range in age from...

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June 30th, 2020

COVID-19 Update: Two New Imported Cases Recorded Today

The most recent data from the National Surveillance Unit in the Ministry of Health & Wellness indicates that two (2) new confirmed COVID-19 cases for Jamaica. The total number of confirmed COVID-19 cases in Jamaica is now 698. As the same time, one patient has recovered and has been released...

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June 29th, 2020

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



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DRUG MONITORING FORM

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Complete a COVID-19 self assessment.



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



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The Baby Friendly Hospital Initiative was launched in 1991 as a global campaign to prepare health systems and mobilize health care workers to protect, promote and support breastfeeding. The initiative aims to give every baby the best start in life by creating a health care environment that supports breastfeeding as the norm. It therefore provides...

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Wash Hands Regularly



Wash your hands as often as possible to prevent the spread of diseases. Germs can spread easily from person to person and make you sick. During the day, we may touch books, door knobs, tables, toys and other items that may contain germs. You must always wash your hands: Before...

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