



## Press Releases

### **COVID-19 Cases Now Total 816 – Six New Cases; One More Recovery**

The record of COVID-19 cases for Jamaica now stands at 816. This increase comes as six new cases were confirmed positive in the last 24 hours. Over the same period, Jamaica recorded one more recovery, bringing the total number persons recovered and released from care to 710 (87% recovery rate)....

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July 22nd, 2020

### **Chronicle of Activities related to MarketMe Consultancy**

Based on the heightened public discourse on the matter of the Ministry's engagement of the firm Market Me Consulting Limited (hereinafter referred to as "the firm") the Ministry now provides for the information to the general public the chronicle of activities: On July 12, 2016 the Firm made presentation of...

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July 21st, 2020

### **COVID-19 Update: One New Case, Three More Recoveries**

One new COVID-19 case was recorded in the island in the last 24 hours. The total number of COVID-19 cases for Jamaica now stands at 810. Meanwhile, three more patients have recovered and have been released from care. This brings the cumulative number of recoveries to 709 (87.5% recovery rate)....

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July 21st, 2020

### **19 new COVID-19 cases, 13 more recoveries**

Jamaica has recorded 19 new COVID-19 cases and 13 more recoveries in the last 24 hours. The total number of confirmed positives is now 809 while recoveries have moved to 706. The newly confirmed cases are comprised of 11 females and 8 males, with ages ranging from three (3) to...

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July 20th, 2020

### **COVID-19 Update: 16 New Cases, 14 More Recoveries**

Jamaica recorded, in the last 24 hours, 16 new COVID-19 cases. The total number of confirmed COVID-19 cases for the island is now 790. At the same time, 14 more patients have recovered and have been released from care. This brings the total recoveries to 693. (87.7% Recovery rate). The...

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July 19th, 2020

### Jamaica records six new COVID-19 cases

Jamaica now has 774 confirmed cases of COVID-19, following the addition of six new cases over the last 24 hours. The newly confirmed cases consist of two females and four males, with ages ranging from three (3) to 53 years and with addresses in Trelawny (2), St. James (1), Westmoreland...

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July 18th, 2020

### Jamaica records 3 new COVID-19 cases, 3 more recoveries








Jamaica recorded three new COVID-19 cases and 3 additional recoveries in the last 24 hours. The total number of confirmed positives for island is now 768 while recoveries have moved to 678. Two of the newly confirmed cases are females while the third is a male. They range in age...

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July 17th, 2020

### COVID-19 Update: 28 More Recoveries, Two New Cases

**MINISTRY OF HEALTH & WELLNESS**  
**JAMAICA COVID-19 DASHBOARD**  
as at Thursday, July 16, 2020; 7:00 p.m.

	NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES WORLDWIDE +	13,378,853
	NUMBER OF DEATHS WORLDWIDE +	580,045
	NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES IN JAMAICA	765
	NUMBER OF DEATHS IN JAMAICA	10
	NUMBER OF PERSONS IN ISOLATION IN JAMAICA	56
	NUMBER OF PERSONS RECOVERED AND RELEASED	675
	NUMBER OF PERSONS IN GOVERNMENT QUARANTINE FACILITY	3

**VISIT [jamcovid19.moh.gov.jm](http://jamcovid19.moh.gov.jm) FOR THE LATEST INFO ON COVID-19**

**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 178, dated July 16, 2020

Jamaica recorded two new confirmed COVID-19 cases today. This brings the total number of confirmed COVID-19 cases in Jamaica to 765. At the same time, 28 more patients have recovered and have been released from care. This brings the total recoveries to 675. (88.2% Recovery rate). The newly confirmed cases...

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July 16th, 2020

## COVID19 Update: Four More Recoveries, One New Case

Four more COVID-19 patients have recovered and have been released from care in the last 24 hours. Recoveries now stand at 647 (84.8% Recovery Rate). At the same time, one new case of COVID-19 was recorded today. The island's case count now totals 763. The newly confirmed case is...

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July 15th, 2020

## 3 new COVID-19 cases, 15 additional recoveries for Jamaica

Jamaica has recorded three new COVID-19 cases and 15 more recoveries in the last 24 hours. This brings to 762 the total number of positives and to 643 the number of recoveries. The newly confirmed cases are all imported and are comprised of two females and one male. Their ages...

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July 14th, 2020

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🕒 Tuesday July 7, 2020

**Sectoral Presentation – Public Investment in Public Health**



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## PUBLICATIONS

**Aedes Attack**



## Vitals – A Quarterly Report of the Ministry of Health (May 2019)



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



## Green Paper on National Health Insurance Plan for Jamaica



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# BEVERAGE FOR SCHOOLS REGISTRATION

**“PHARMWATCH”**

**DRUG MONITORING FORM**

## COVID-19 SELF REPORT

Complete a COVID-19 self assessment.



## VIDEO FEATURE

## LOCATION OF HOSPITALS AND HEALTH CENTRES



View Interactive Map

## PUBLIC EDUCATION RESOURCES

### Influenza A (H1N1)

**Ministry of Health**

# Influenza A (H1N1)

Influenza A (H1N1) is a highly contagious respiratory infection caused by a virus which is easily spread from person-to-person.

**How is Influenza A (H1N1) spread?**

- Breathing in the virus when an infected person coughs or sneezes
- Contact with objects that have been recently touched by an infected person e.g. door knob and telephone

**SYMPTOMS:**

- Fever (but not always)
- Sore throat
- Watery, red eyes
- Headache
- Diarrhoea
- Cough
- Runny and stuffy nose
- Stuffy aches
- Extreme tiredness
- Nausea and vomiting

**PREVENTION:**

**COVER COUGH & SNEEZE**

**CLEAN HANDS WITH SOAP & WATER**

**CONTROL SPREAD OF GERMS**

- Avoid touching eyes, nose and mouth with dirty hands
- Avoid close contact with persons who have flu like symptoms e.g. hand shaking, hugging, kissing

**If you are sick:**

- Stay home until you are well
- Drink lots of fluid
- Rest
- If you have SEVERE flu like symptoms, contact your doctor immediately.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:** 1-888-ONE LOVE (1-888-663-6666) or 633-7914  
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### Baby Friendly Hospital Initiative (BFHI)



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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Public Sector Customer Service Satisfaction Assessment Report

COVID-19 Resources and Protocols

Protocol for the Nutritional Management of Non-communicable Diseases in Jamaica

MOHW Guidelines for the importation of Human Remains

Guide for the Promotion of Healthy Eating in Workplaces

Tool for Assessing the Nutrition Environment in Workplaces

Interim Guidelines For Beverages In Schools

MOHW Islandwide Schedule – Adolescent Health Clinic

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