



## Press Releases

### COVID-19 Update: Jamaica Records Five New Cases

The number of COVID-19 cases on record for Jamaica increased by five in the last 24 hours. The total number of confirmed COVID-19 cases now stands at 821. Additionally, one more patient has been numbered among the recovered and released, bringing total recoveries to 711 (86.6% recovery rate). Four of...

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July 23rd, 2020

### 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

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### **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

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### **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

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### **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

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



NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES  
WORLDWIDE +

13,378,853

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FOR THE LATEST INFO  
ON COVID-19



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



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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

## MINISTER'S PRESENTATIONS

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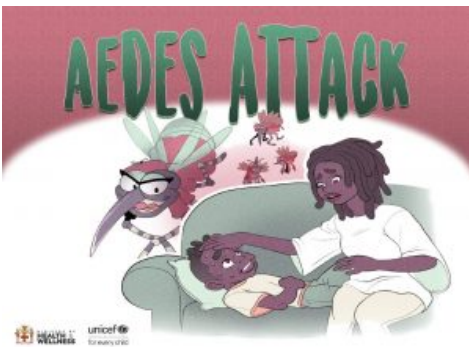
[Sectoral Presentation – Public Investment in Public Health](#)



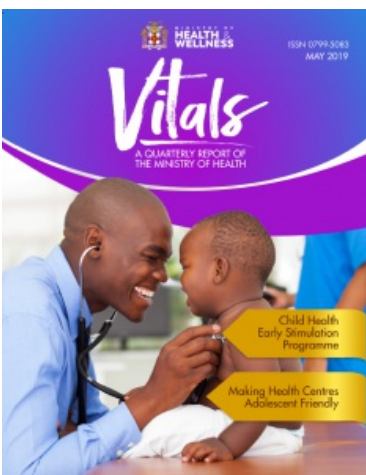
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## PUBLICATIONS

### 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

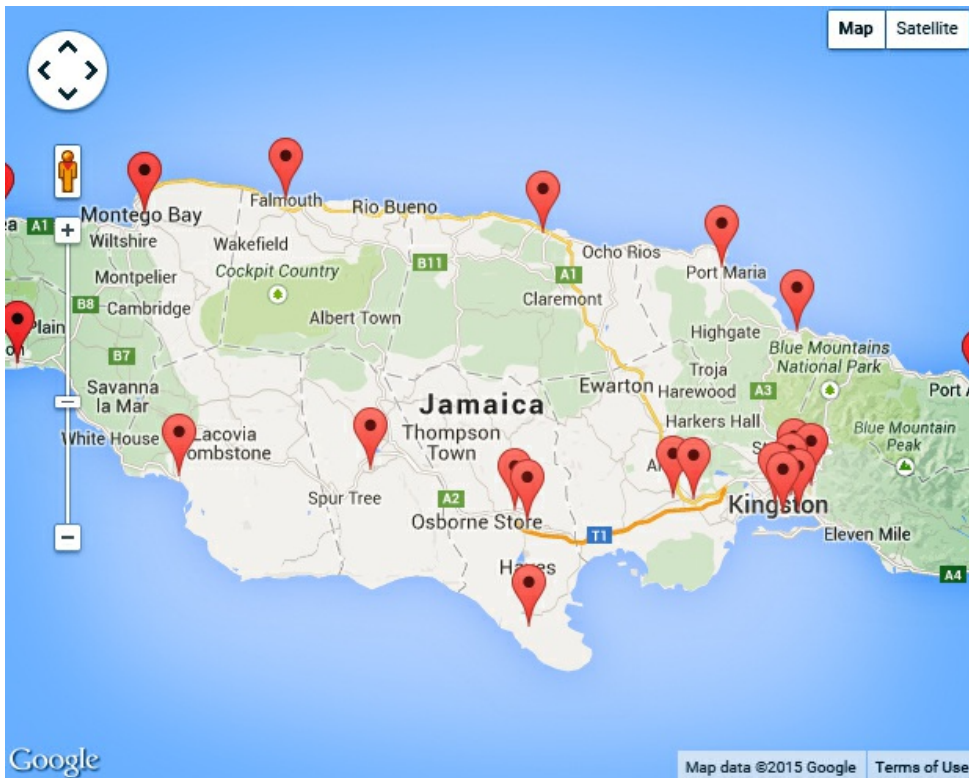
### COVID-19 SELF REPORT

Complete a COVID-19 self assessment.



VIDEO FEATURE

## LOCATION OF HOSPITALS AND HEALTH CENTRES



Port Antonio 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 knobs and telephone

**SYMPTOMS:**

- Fever (but not always)
- Sore throat
- Staring red eyes
- Headache
- Chills
- Cough
- Runny and stuffy nose
- Body aches
- Extreme tiredness
- Nausea and vomiting

**PREVENTION:**

**COVER COUGH & SNEEZE**

**CLEAN HANDS WITH SOAP & WATER**

**CONTROL SPREAD OF GERMS**

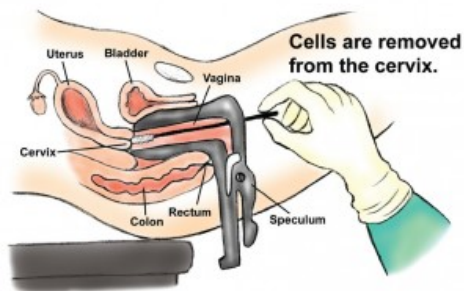
- Avoid touching eyes, nose and mouth with dirty hands
- Avoid close contact with persons who have flu like symptoms e.g. hand shaking, hugging, kissing

**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: 1-800-ONE LOVE | 800-463-3685 or 833-7914  
 -Jamaica Health Department  
 #JamaicaMinistryofHealth

Do Your Pap Smear Today – It Can Save Your Life



What is a Pap smear? A Pap smear is a screening test which is an easy way to check the cervix for abnormal cell changes. It detects early changes in the cells of the cervix. The cervix is the lower part of the uterus (womb), which opens into the vagina...

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Ministry of Health's Strategic Business Plan (2015-2018)

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List of Vital Drugs and Medical Sundries for Public Health Institutions

Regional Health Authorities' Conformance Reports

Regional Health Authorities' Audit Reports

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

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