



GOVERNMENT OF THE BAHAMAS
MINISTRY OF HEALTH & WELLNESS

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COVID-19 REPORT
Update #566
CONFIRMED CASES OF COVID-19

Island	Total Confirmed Cases	Breakdown of Newly Confirmed Cases¹
New Providence	16,681	42
Grand Bahama	2,517	2
Abaco	644	0
Bimini & Cat Cay	237	0
Eleuthera	652	2
Berry Islands	107	0
Exuma	352	0
Inagua	49	0
Andros	271	1
Long Island	94	0
Cat Island	93	0
Acklins	12	0
Crooked Island	19	0
Mayaguana	18	0
Ragged Island	0	0
San Salvador	16	0
Locations Pending	100	0
TOTAL	21,862	47

¹ Results of newly confirmed cases were reported within twenty-four (24) to forty-eight (48) hours after the swabbing date.

TRAVEL WATCH: CONFIRMED IMPORTED COVID-19 CASES

Island	Newly Confirmed Cases with History of Travel Within 14 Days²
New Providence	3
TOTAL	3

GENDER OF NEWLY CONFIRMED CASES

Gender of Newly Confirmed Cases	# of Cases
Males	20
Females	27
Unknown	0
TOTAL	47

² Results of newly confirmed cases were reported within twenty-four (24) to forty-eight (48) hours after the swabbing date.

HOSPITALIZATIONS

Healthcare Institution	# of Cases Hospitalized	# of Cases Moderately Ill	# of Cases in the Intensive Care Unit (ICU)
<u>New Providence</u>			
Doctor's Hospital	34	27	7
South Beach Acute Care and Referral Centre	5	3	2
Princess Margaret Hospital	77	76	1
Sandilands Rehabilitation Centre	0	0	0
<u>Grand Bahama</u>			
Grand Bahama Health Services	11	9	2
TOTAL	127	115	12

ACTIVE CASES & RECOVERIES

Active Cases	1225
Total # of Recovered Cases	# of Cases Recovered Today
19,849	58

DEATHS

Total COVID-19 Deaths	Total Non-COVID-19 Deaths	Total Deaths Under Investigation
622	123	43

The Ministry of Health and Wellness reports fourteen (14) unfortunate COVID-19 related deaths as follows:

Age	Gender	Island of Residence	Date of Death
74	Male	New Providence	2nd October, 2021
81	Male	Grand Bahama	3rd October, 2021
92	Female	Long Island	3rd October, 2021
39	Male	New Providence	4th October, 2021
91	Male	New Providence	5th October, 2021
79	Male	New Providence	5th October, 2021
82	Female	New Providence	6th October, 2021
90	Female	New Providence	6th October, 2021
85	Female	Long Island	6th October, 2021
53	Female	New Providence	6th October, 2021
46	Male	Inagua	6th October, 2021
76	Female	New Providence	7th October, 2021
26	Male	Inagua	8th October, 2021
30	Male	New Providence	8th October, 2021

TESTS COMPLETED

Total # of RT-PCR Tests Completed	# of RT-PCR Tests Completed Today	# of Positive Results	# of Negative Results	# of Repeated Tests ³	# of Inconclusive Results
151,562	534	47	466	20	1

³ Tests performed to confirm if patients have recovered from COVID-19.

OPENING HOURS OF COMMUNITY CLINICS


Community clinics remain open for primary care services at the following Poly-clinics:

Clinic	Days	Hours of Operation
Fleming Street	Monday – Friday	9:00a.m. – 8:00p.m.
Elizabeth Estates	Monday – Friday	9:00a.m. – 9:00p.m.
Flamingo Gardens	Monday – Friday	9:00a.m. – 9:00p.m.
Flamingo Gardens (Only)	Saturday	9:00a.m. – 5:00p.m.

REMINDERS


To contain the spread of COVID-19 residents are reminded of the following:

- if you have symptoms of COVID-19, do not wait, first, contact your health provider.
- while home remedies may work for a period it is important to get tested and receive the proper care before symptoms become too difficult to manage.
- if you have been asked by the Surveillance Unit to get tested for COVID-19, please follow the advice and take the gold standard RT-PCR test.
- employees are encouraged to work from home.



COVID-19

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Take Precautionary Measures




WASH YOUR HANDS



COVER YOUR COUGH OR SNEEZE




WEAR YOUR MASK




KEEP YOUR DISTANCE


PREVENT THE SPREAD OF COVID-19




CLEAN AND DISINFECT



STAY HOME IF SICK



ISOLATE IF SICK AT WORK



CALL FIRST 511
or your healthcare provider for advice before going to a facility

Protect Yourself & Others

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