

Update 18: Cuba - Imposes New Night Curfew and Ban on Public Transport over Surge in COVID-19 Cases

- Cuban Government announced the closure of schools, bars, and restaurants and halt all public transport at night from January 14, 2021, after a spike in COVID-19 cases
- The new restrictions were imposed after Cuba's Health Authority announced 550 new cases in 24 hours on January 13, 2021
- Under the new curfew, only take-out and home delivery will be allowed from restaurants, while public transport will stop at 9 pm ET
- The Government declared that severe fines will be imposed on anyone who did not comply with the rules
- However, it is to be noted that total ban on public transport, and restrictions on the movement of vehicles and people between 7 pm to 5 am, were removed after they were initially announced by state media
- As of now, Cuba has reported 16,549 confirmed COVID-19 cases with 160 deaths, 0.97% of total reported cases and 12,699 recoveries, 76.74% of total reported cases
- When compared to the overall population of the country, confirmed COVID-19 cases and fatality rate stands at 0.15% and 0.001%, respectively
- Supply Wisdom is continuously monitoring the situation and will alert you to any relevant developments
- Please consult the Ministry of Public Health (<https://salud.msp.gob.cu/?lang=en>) for the latest information on COVID-19 in Cuba

Source(s)

<https://www.brecorder.com/news/40051358>

<https://tribune.com.pk/story/2279951/cuba-closes-schools-bars-restaurants-as-coronavirus-rebounds>

<https://www.worldometers.info/coronavirus/country/cuba/>

<https://www.worldometers.info/world-population/cuba-population/>

Targets Affected:

Cuba

Category(s):

Geo-Political Risk

Event:

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Incident(s)

Guidance

Actions to consider:

- Consider implementing more detailed actions related to 'Lockdown/Emergency/Extension of Lockdown/Other Restrictions' and 'Increase in Positive Cases/Deaths' under the 'COVID-19: Actions to Consider' section below / next page

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After Spike in COVID-19 Cases

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for COVID-19 as Cases Decline

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Update 3: Cuba - Confirmed COVID-19
Cases Increase to 1,649

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Update 2: Cuba - Confirmed COVID-19
Cases Increase to 1,035 with 35
Deaths

April 13, 2020

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Update 1: Cuba - Reports 669 COVID-
19 Cases, 18 Deaths

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Cuba - Reports Highest Daily Increase
of 46 COVID-19 Cases, 396 in Total

Impact level Definitions

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Immediate	Certain - Supply Wisdom recommends considering prompt action. Examples of Immediate level alert events may include bankruptcy filings, data breaches, unexpected curfews, strikes, power black-outs, major geo-political events etc.
High	Highly likely to occur in the near term (within 3 months) - Supply Wisdom recommends being in a state of readiness to take quick action. Examples of High level alert events may include withdrawal of rating by ratings agencies, hostile takeover, multiple cyber-attacks, new business policies causing significant hardship etc.
Medium	Likely to occur in the mid-term (within 3 to 6 months) - Supply Wisdom recommends reviewing current mitigation steps and being ready to take proactive actions if and when situation deteriorates further. Examples of Medium level alert events may include unplanned C-level exits, suppliers caught in bribery cases, economy slipping into recession.
Low	Possible in the long-term (after 6 months) - Supply Wisdom recommends taking proactive action if situation does not resolve. Examples of Low level alert events may include lawsuits filed against suppliers, client losses, air pollution alerts issued by country's local authorities, unexpected holidays announced for the location etc.
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