

Update 3: Venezuela - Announces Border Curfews as COVID-19 Cases Rise

- Venezuela imposed new curfews in a handful of towns along its borders with Colombia and Brazil
- The curfews are in response to a jump in COVID-19 cases which officials attributed mainly to returning migrants
- The country had detected 131 new cases in the past 24 hours, the most it has registered in a single day to date
- The count includes 110 people who had contracted the virus abroad, bringing the total to 749, with 10 deaths
- Migrants returning to Venezuela are required to spend a 14-day quarantine period at shelters at the border, rather than in their home states
- Hospital workers warn that their facilities are unprepared for a major outbreak after years of underfunding
- Supply Wisdom is continuously monitoring the situation and will alert you to any relevant developments
- Please consult Ministry of Popular Power for Health (<http://mppre.gob.ve/en/mfa-venezuela/>) for the latest information on COVID-19 in Venezuela

Source(s)

<https://in.reuters.com/article/health-coronavirus-venezuela/venezuela-announces-border-curfews-as-coronavirus-cases-jump-idINKBN22W05Y>
<https://www.thechronicleherald.ca/news/world/venezuela-announces-border-curfews-as-coronavirus-cases-jump-451729/>

Targets Affected:

Venezuela

Guidance

Actions to consider:

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

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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.
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