

Update 1: Nicaragua - Pan American Health Organization Warns Against Community Transmission of COVID-19 Infections

- Pan-American Health Organization (PAHO) warned government against community transmission of COVID-19 infections in the country
- It urged authorities to take measures to control the spread of infection, whose threat has been minimized so far
- This comes as Citizen Observatory reported more than 2,300 COVID-19 cases and 465 deaths, as of now
- However, government reported 759 confirmed cases and 35 related deaths
- Recently, government-organized approximately 2,500 open-air events across the country, neglecting the urgency of social distancing measures
- Supply Wisdom is continuously monitoring the situation and will alert you to any relevant developments
- Please consult Nicaraguan Ministry of Health (<http://www.minsa.gob.ni/>) for the latest information on COVID-19 in Nicaragua

Source(s)

<https://www.startribune.com/health-organization-urges-nicaragua-to-take-action/570784842/?refresh=true>

<https://www.larepublica.net/noticia/nicaragua-esta-en-fase-de-contagio-comunitario-del-coronavirus-segun-ops>

Targets Affected:

Nicaragua

Guidance

Actions to consider:

- Consider implementing suggested actions related to 'Increase in Positive Cases/Deaths' under the 'COVID-19: Actions to Consider' section below / next page

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Immediate

Nicaragua - Warning of Epidemic in
Central America Due to Relaxed
COVID-19 Related Restrictions

Impact level Definitions

Impact Level	Definitions
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.
Informational	The event is pertinent information but does not have a risk element associated with it. Examples of Info level alert events may include launch of new solutions, partnerships signed, industry outlook, positive changes in government policies, announcements regarding launch of software parks/ free trade zones/special economic zones etc.