

Update 14: Jamaica - Reports Highest Daily Increase of 468 COVID-19 Cases Raising the National Total to 19,773

- The new COVID-19 daily cases in Jamaica hit another record with 468 cases reported across the island on February 15, 2021
- There were 1,503 samples tested during the day
- The 468 newly confirmed COVID-19 cases bring the total number of cases on record for the island to 19,773
- There were also 49 recoveries, meaning 12,684 persons have now recovered from the virus in Jamaica
- There were no deaths attributed to the respiratory illness on February 15, 2021, meaning that the overall COVID-19 death toll in Jamaica remains at 378
- Of the newly confirmed cases, 293 are females and 170 are males, with ages ranging from three months to 89 years
- The cases were recorded in Kingston and St Andrew (172), St Catherine (75), Manchester (59), St James (29), Trelawny (25), St Mary (22), St Elizabeth (20), Clarendon (19), Westmoreland (12), St Ann (11), Hanover (10), Portland (8), and St Thomas (6)
- There are 49 moderately ill patients and 19 critically ill patients among the 6,513 active cases now under observation in Jamaica
- As of now, the country reported 19,773 confirmed COVID-19 cases with 378 deaths, 1.9% of total reported cases, and 12,684 recoveries, 64.1% of the total reported cases
- When compared to the overall population of the country, confirmed COVID-19 cases and fatality rate stands at 0.70% and 0.01%, respectively
- Supply Wisdom is continuously monitoring the situation and will alert you to any relevant developments
- Please consult Ministry of Health (<https://www.moh.gov.jm/>) for latest information on COVID-19 in Jamaica

Source(s)

<https://www.loopjamaica.com/content/jamaica-reports-new-record-high-468-covid-cases-24-hours>

<https://buzz-caribbean.com/news/jamaica-hits-new-daily-high-with-468-covid-cases/>

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

Targets Affected:

Jamaica

Category(s):

Geo-Political Risk

Event:

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Incident(s)

Guidance

Actions to consider:

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

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Update 8: Westmoreland, Jamaica - Tightens Curfew Hours Amid Surge in COVID-19 Cases

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Update 5: Jamaica - Reports 38 New COVID-19 Cases in Last 24 Hours, Raising National Total to 8,787

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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.