

14 April 2020

Global 1,879,615 cases 119,507 deaths 212 countries/territories/areas

HIGHLIGHTS

In the Region of the Americas, an additional 30,734 cases and 1,866 deaths were reported in the past 24 hours – representing an 5% (cases) and 7% (deaths) relative increase compared to the previous day. Majority of the new cases (24,446 cases) and deaths (1,504) continue to be from the United States of America.

- In the United States, New York City officials announced** that the city will now include probable deaths in their total counts – people who never tested positive but were presumed to have died of COVID-19. This added another 3,700 deaths increasing the city’s cumulative death toll past 10,000 deaths. Current official figures report a total of 107,263 cases including 6,589 deaths in New York City.
- Other countries in the region with significant increase in cases** compared to the previous day are Brazil (1,261 additional cases, 6 % increase), Canada (1,360 additional cases, 5% increase) and Peru (2,784 additional cases, 37% increase).
- Of the total 1,866 new deaths** (confirmed +probable) reported in the past 24 hours majority were reported by the United States of America (1,504 additional deaths, 81% of total new deaths), followed by Brazil (105 new deaths, 5.6%), Canada (89 new deaths, 4.7%) and Ecuador (58 new deaths, 3.1%).
- In Brazil**, a small study of hospitalized patients in the city of Manaus (n=81) looking at the effectiveness of using chloroquine for treating coronavirus was stopped early after participants taking a higher dose (600 milligrams for 10 days) of the medication developed irregular heart rates. By day 6 of treatment, 11 patients in the high dosage arm had died, resulting in the immediate ending of that arm of the trial.

Global Update

The 10 countries with the highest number of cumulative cases as of 14 April 2020: United States of America (578,268), Spain (172,541), Italy (162,488), Germany (131,359), France (131,361), The United Kingdom (94,845), China (83,306), Iran (Islamic Republic of) (74,877), Turkey (65,111), and Belgium (31,119).

Social Distancing

- In the United States**, governors from several states on the east (7) and west (4) coasts have begun coordinating plans to relax social distancing measures.
- Spain** has begun allowing some construction work to resume and a few factories to reopen on 13 April 2020.
- Italy and Austria** showed signs of gradual easing of social distancing measures by allowing some small shops to open.
- Denmark** will allow children under 11 to return to schools and nurseries later this week.
- Poland** plans to begin to “slowly start unfreezing the economy,

PAHO

676,162 (+ 5%)
Cases*

27,841 (+7%)
deaths *

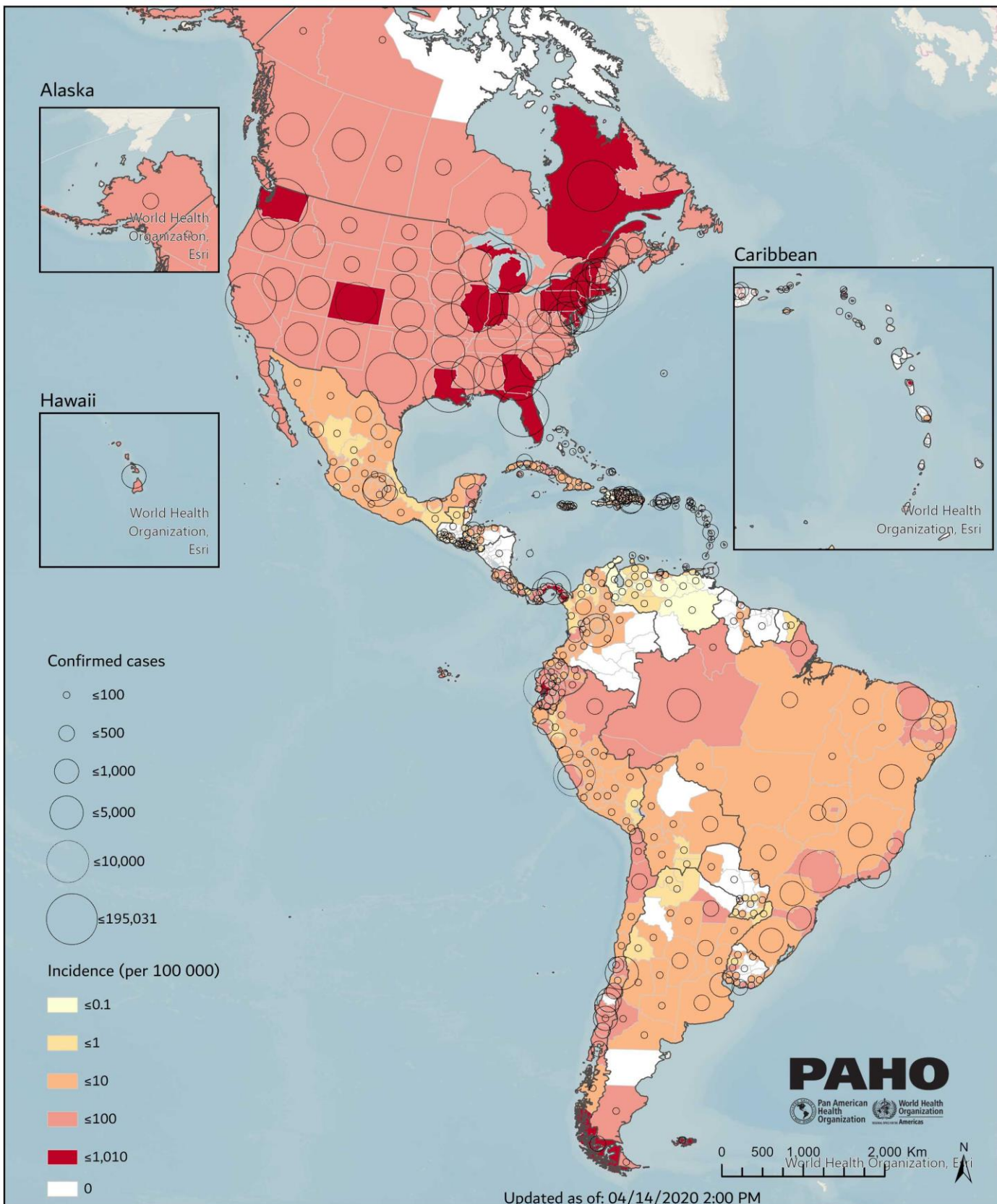
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Countries/areas/territories

* Total includes both confirmed and probable for Ecuador (cases & deaths) and Canada (cases).

Table 1: Cumulative cases and deaths among PAHO countries with ≥ 1,000 cumulative confirmed cases

| Country | Cases | Deaths |
|--------------------|--------|--------|
| USA | 578268 | 23476 |
| Canada | 26146 | 823 |
| Brazil | 23430 | 1328 |
| Peru | 10303 | 230 |
| Chile | 7917 | 92 |
| Ecuador | 7603 | 837 |
| Mexico | 5014 | 332 |
| Panama | 3472 | 94 |
| Dominican Republic | 3286 | 183 |
| Colombia | 2852 | 112 |
| Argentina | 2336 | 101 |

Map 1. Reported number of cumulative COVID-19 cases in the Region of the Americas and corresponding incidence rate (per 100,000 persons) by country/territory. As of 14 April 2020



Data Sources: Member States Ministries of Health
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Cumulative confirmed and probable COVID-19 cases reported by countries and territories in the Americas, as of 14 April 2020

Updated as of 2 PM

| Sub-Region | Country/Territory | Cases | | Deaths | | Recovered | % Relative Increase in Confirmed Cases | Transmission Type |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--|------------------------|
| | | Confirmed | Probable | Confirmed | Probable | | | |
| North America | Canada | 26,146 | 17 | 823 | | 7408 | 5% | Community transmission |
| | Mexico | 5,014 | | 332 | | | 8% | Community transmission |
| | United States of America (the) | 578268 | | 23476 | | 36189 | 4% | Community transmission |
| | Subtotal | 609,428 | 17 | 24,631 | 0 | 43,597 | 4% | |
| Central America | Belize | 18 | | 2 | | | 29% | Sporadic cases |
| | Costa Rica | 612 | | 3 | | 62 | 3% | Clusters of cases |
| | El Salvador | 149 | | 6 | | 25 | 9% | Clusters of cases |
| | Guatemala | 167 | | 5 | | 19 | 7% | Clusters of cases |
| | Honduras | 407 | | 26 | | 7 | 3% | Clusters of cases |
| | Nicaragua | 9 | | 1 | | 3 | 0% | Undetermined |
| | Panama | 3,472 | | 94 | | 61 | 2% | Community transmission |
| | Subtotal | 4,834 | 0 | 137 | 0 | 177 | 3% | |
| South America | Argentina | 2,336 | | 101 | | 559 | 4% | Community transmission |
| | Bolivia | 354 | | 28 | | 6 | 7% | Clusters of cases |
| | Brazil | 23,430 | | 1,328 | | | 6% | Community transmission |
| | Chile | 7,917 | | 92 | | 2,646 | 5% | Community transmission |
| | Colombia | 2,852 | | 112 | | 319 | 3% | Community transmission |
| | Ecuador | 7,603 | | 369 | 468 | 696 | 1% | Community transmission |
| | Paraguay | 159 | | 7 | | 22 | 8% | Community transmission |
| | Peru | 10,303 | | 230 | | 989 | 37% | Community transmission |
| | Uruguay** | 483 | | 8 | | 248 | | Clusters of cases |
| | Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) | 181 | | 9 | | 93 | 0% | Clusters of cases |
| Subtotal | 55,618 | 0 | 2,284 | 468 | 5,578 | 9% | | |
| Caribbean and Atlantic Ocean Islands | Anguilla | 3 | | | | 1 | 0% | Sporadic cases |
| | Antigua and Barbuda | 23 | | 2 | | 3 | 0% | Clusters of cases |
| | Aruba | 92 | | | | 32 | 0% | Clusters of cases |
| | Bahamas (the) | 49 | | 8 | | 6 | 4% | Clusters of cases |
| | Barbados | 72 | | 4 | | 13 | 1% | Clusters of cases |
| | Bermuda | 57 | | 5 | | 30 | 0% | Clusters of cases |
| | Bonaire, Sint Eustatius, and Saba | 4 | | | | | 33% | Sporadic cases |
| | Cayman Islands | 54 | | 1 | | 6 | 2% | Clusters of cases |
| | Cuba | 766 | | 21 | | 132 | 6% | Clusters of cases |
| | Curacao | 14 | | 1 | | 10 | 0% | Sporadic cases |
| | Dominica | 16 | | | | 8 | 0% | Clusters of cases |
| | Dominican Republic (the) | 3,286 | | 183 | | 162 | 4% | Community transmission |
| | Falkland Islands (the) [Malvinas]*** | 11 | | | | 1 | 120% | Clusters of cases |
| | French Guiana | 88 | | | | 53 | 0% | Clusters of cases |
| | Grenada | 14 | | | | | 0% | Clusters of cases |
| | Guadeloupe | 145 | | 8 | | 67 | 1% | Clusters of cases |
| | Guyana | 47 | | 6 | | 8 | 0% | Clusters of cases |
| | Haiti | 40 | | 3 | | | 0% | Clusters of cases |
| | Jamaica | 73 | | 4 | | 19 | 1% | Clusters of cases |
| | Martinique | 157 | | 8 | | 50 | 0% | Clusters of cases |
| | Montserrat | 11 | | | | 1 | 0% | Sporadic cases |
| | Puerto Rico | 923 | | 45 | | | 2% | Clusters of cases |
| | Saint Barthelemy | 6 | | | | 4 | 0% | Sporadic cases |
| | Saint Kitts and Nevis*** | 12 | | | | 0 | 0% | Sporadic cases |
| | Saint Lucia | 15 | | | | | 0% | Sporadic cases |
| | Saint Martin | 35 | | 2 | | 13 | 6% | Sporadic cases |
| | Saint Pierre and Miquelon | 1 | | | | | 0% | Sporadic cases |
| | Saint Vincent and the Grenadines | 12 | | | | 1 | 0% | Sporadic cases |
| | Sint Maarten | 52 | | 9 | | 5 | 0% | Clusters of cases |
| | Suriname | 10 | | 1 | | 4 | 0% | Sporadic cases |
| | Trinidad and Tobago | 113 | | 8 | | 17 | 0% | Sporadic cases |
| | Turks and Caicos | 10 | | 1 | | | 11% | Sporadic cases |
| Virgin Islands (UK) | 3 | | | | | 0% | Sporadic cases | |
| Virgin Islands (US) | 51 | | 1 | | 44 | 0% | Clusters of cases | |
| Subtotal | 6,265 | 0 | 321 | 0 | 690 | 3% | | |
| Total | 676,145 | 17 | 27,373 | 468 | 50,042 | 5% | | |

**Confirmed case counts for Uruguay have been revised since the previous report.

***Recovered counts for the Falkland Islands and Saint Kitts and Nevis, respectively, have been revised since the previous report.

Note: WHO recommends using the following categories to describe **transmission patterns** at national and sub-national levels (wherever possible) to guide decisions for preparedness, readiness and response activities.

| Category number | Category name | Definition |
|-----------------|------------------------|--|
| 1 | No cases | Countries/territories/areas with no cases |
| 2 | Sporadic cases | Countries/territories/areas with one or more cases, imported or locally detected |
| 3 | Clusters of cases | Countries/territories/areas experiencing cases, clustered in time, geographic location and/or by common exposures |
| 4 | Community transmission | Countries/area/territories experiencing larger outbreaks of local transmission defined through an assessment of factors including, but not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Large numbers of cases not linkable to transmission chains - Large numbers of cases from sentinel lab surveillance - Multiple unrelated clusters in several areas of the country/territory/area |