



Office for Barbados and Eastern Caribbean Countries

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This situation update is on the Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) reported cases and deaths, Globally, Regionally, for Barbados and Eastern Caribbean Countries, French Territories and the United Kingdom Overseas Territories.

WHO: access to HIV medicines severely impacted by COVID-19 as AIDS response stalls



Seventy-three countries have warned that they are at risk of stock-outs of antiretroviral (ARV) medicines as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, according to a new WHO survey conducted ahead of the International AIDS Society's biannual conference. Twenty-four countries reported having either a critically low stock of ARVs or disruptions in the supply of these life-saving medicines.

The survey follows a [modelling exercise](#) convened by WHO and UNAIDS in May which forecasted that a six-month disruption in access to ARVs could lead to a doubling in AIDS-related deaths in sub-Saharan Africa in 2020 alone.

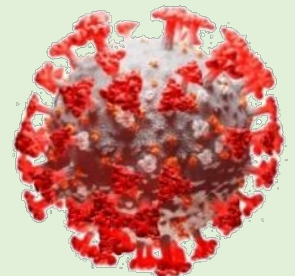
In 2019, an estimated 8.3 million people were benefiting from ARVs in the 24 countries now experiencing supply shortages. This represents about one third (33%) of all people taking HIV treatment globally. While there is no cure for HIV, ARVs can control the virus and prevent onward sexual transmission to other people.

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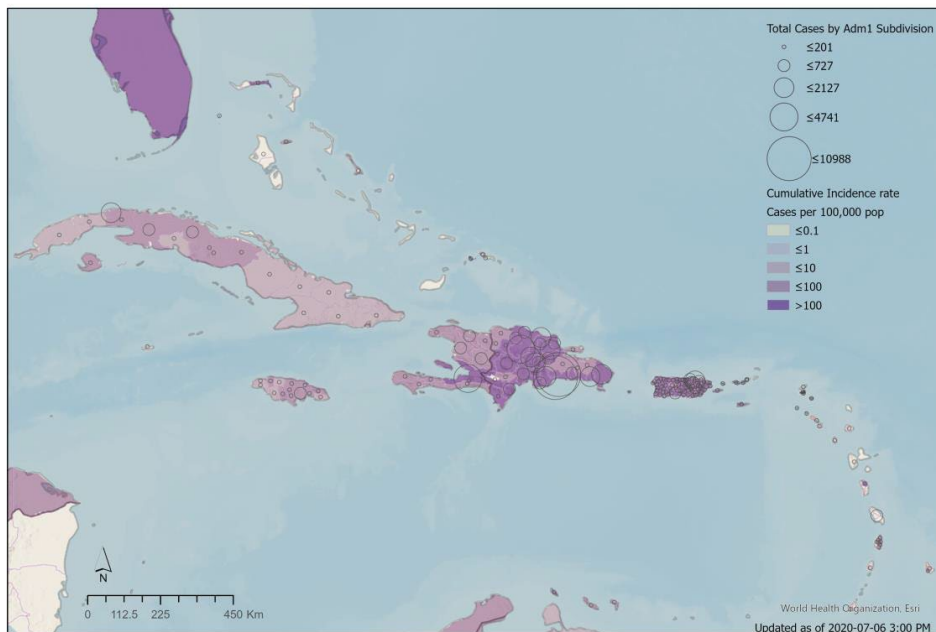


COVID-19 case update:

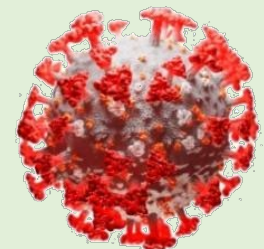
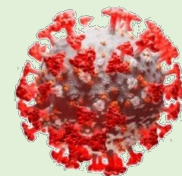
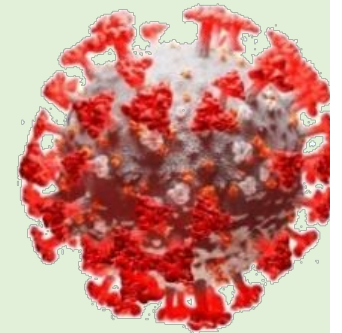
On 04 July 202 St Kitts and Nevis reported a new case, Barbados also reported 1 new case on 05 July, Antigua and Barbuda reported 2 new cases on 06 July 2020. French Guiana also reported new cases. (see Table 1 on page 3)

Country	COVID-19 Case Update
Anguilla	no new cases for 90 days
Antigua and Barbuda	last case on 06 July 2020
Barbados	last case on 05 July 2020
British Virgin Islands (UK)	no new cases for 56 days
Dominica	no new cases for 33 days
Grenada	no new cases for 41 days
Montserrat	no case for 84 days
Saint Kitts and Nevis	last case on 04 July 2020
Saint Lucia	last case on 02 July 2020
Saint Vincent & Grenadines	no new cases for 19 days

Reported number of cumulative COVID-19 cases in the Caribbean sub-region and corresponding incidence rate (per 100,000 persons) by country/territory (sub-national level). As of 6 July 2020.



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Updates

Global

11,524,096 confirmed cases,

535,547 deaths *in*

216 countries, areas or territories

PAHO - Region of the Americas

5,915,551 confirmed cases,

266,736 deaths *in*

54 countries, areas or territories

Barbados and Eastern Caribbean Countries, French Territories and United Kingdom Overseas Territories

Country	Confirmed Cases	Deaths	No of Tests	Transmission Type	Status of Schools	Travel Restrictions	Masks Mandatory	State of Emergency (Curfew ends)	COVID-19 Web Address and Hotline
Anguilla	3	0	315	No cases	Schools open	Yes	No	No	https://beatcovid19.ai/ (264) 476-7627
Antigua & Barbuda	70	3	854	Clusters of cases	-	Yes		Yes	https://ab.gov.ag/detail_page.php?page=42 (268) 462-6843
Barbados	98	7	8,268	Clusters of cases	Varied stages of reopening	Yes	Yes	No	https://gisbarbados.gov.bb/covid-19/ (246) 536-4500
British Virgin Islands	8	1	499	Sporadic cases only	Partial opening	Yes	Yes	Yes	https://bvi.gov.vg/covid-19 (284) 852-7650
Dominica	18	0	831	Clusters cases only	Schools closed	Yes	yes	No	http://dominica.gov.dm/corona (767) 448-2151
French Guiana	5,054	20	-	Community transmission	-	Yes	-	-	
Grenada	23	0	961	Clusters of case	Schools closed except Form 5	Yes	Yes	Yes (07 July 2020)	https://covid19.gov.gd/ (473) 458-4787 / (473) 538-4787
Guadeloupe	184	14	-	Clusters of cases	-	Yes	-	-	https://www.guadeloupe.ars.sante.fr/
Martinique	249	14	-	Clusters of cases	-	Yes	-	-	https://www.martinique.ars.sante.fr/
Montserrat	11	1	62	No cases	-	Yes	No	No	http://www.gov.ms/latest-on-the-coronavirus/
Saint Barthélemy	6	0	-	Sporadic cases only	-	-	-	-	
Saint Lucia	22	0	1,897	Sporadic cases only	-	Yes		Yes	https://www.covid19response.lc/
Saint Martin	44	3		Sporadic cases only	-		-	-	https://www.stmartinweek.fr/
St Kitts & Nevis	16	0	467	No cases	Schools closed	Yes	Yes	Yes (27 July 2020)	https://www.covid19.gov.kn/
St Vincent & the Grenadines	29	0	863	Sporadic cases only	Partial closure	No	No	No	http://health.gov.vc/health/index.php/c (784) 534-4325
Total	5835	63							


Table 1: COVID-19 status in Barbados and Eastern Caribbean Countries, French Territories and United Kingdom Overseas Territories. 'Sporadic cases only' indicates countries/territories/areas with one or more cases, imported or locally detected. 'Clusters of cases' indicates countries/territories/areas experiencing cases clustered in time, geographic location and/or by common exposures.

Data in red new.


Disclaimer: Data is updated by 5:00PM each day and there could be delays in reporting. Any discrepancies from national data figures will be edited on the next issue.

PAHO's Response

Register for this Non-Communicable Diseases and COVID-19 webinar taking place **Tuesday 7 July 2020**: https://pahowho.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_s-M9afHYRJG0DgufHZMKXg



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Office for Barbados & the Eastern Caribbean Countries
present

NCDs and COVID-19

“Building Back Better Services”

This webinar explores the relationship between Non-Communicable Diseases (NCDs) and COVID-19, with key insights from experts and country perspectives on balancing the demands of the health system during the pandemic.


07 July 2020, 2:00pm



Feature Address


Sir George Alleyne,
Director Emeritus
Pan American Health Organization

Presenters




Dr Anselm Hennis

Director of Non-Communicable Diseases and Mental Health
PAHO/WHO



Dr Sharon Belmar-George


Chief Medical Officer,
Ministry of Health and Wellness
Saint Lucia



Ms Trudy Griffith

President
Diabetes Association of Barbados

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Non-Governmental Organizations
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Academia
Trade Unions
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Media
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Persons Living with NCDs

Also featuring panelists from the **Healthy Caribbean Coalition (HCC)** and the **Organisation of Eastern Caribbean States (OECS)**

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