



## COVID-19 Situation Update - 112

11 January 2021

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

### PAHO ECC Office calls for coordinated response and new public health and social measures to address increased COVID-19 cases in the countries



The Pan American Health Organization Office for Barbados and the Eastern Caribbean Countries calls for coordinated response and new public health and social measures to address increased COVID-19 cases in the countries.

Over the past three weeks we have seen significant increases in the reported COVID-19 cases in many of the Eastern Caribbean Countries. These represent the highest numbers of recorded cases at any point in the pandemic. The 7 days increase represent in Antigua and Barbuda, (325%), Barbados (1138%), Saint Lucia, (77%) Saint Vincent, (573%).

The current COVID-19 outbreaks in each of the countries over the previous weeks are related to people attending crowded settings, engaging in confined space with limited physical distancing and not wearing masks in public spaces. In some instance the cluster of cases occurred in institutional settings. Not complying with recommended public health and social measures gives the virus opportunities to spread, and for more people to develop severe disease, and stretching the health systems. If we don't act now, the number of hospitalizations will increase and result in deaths.

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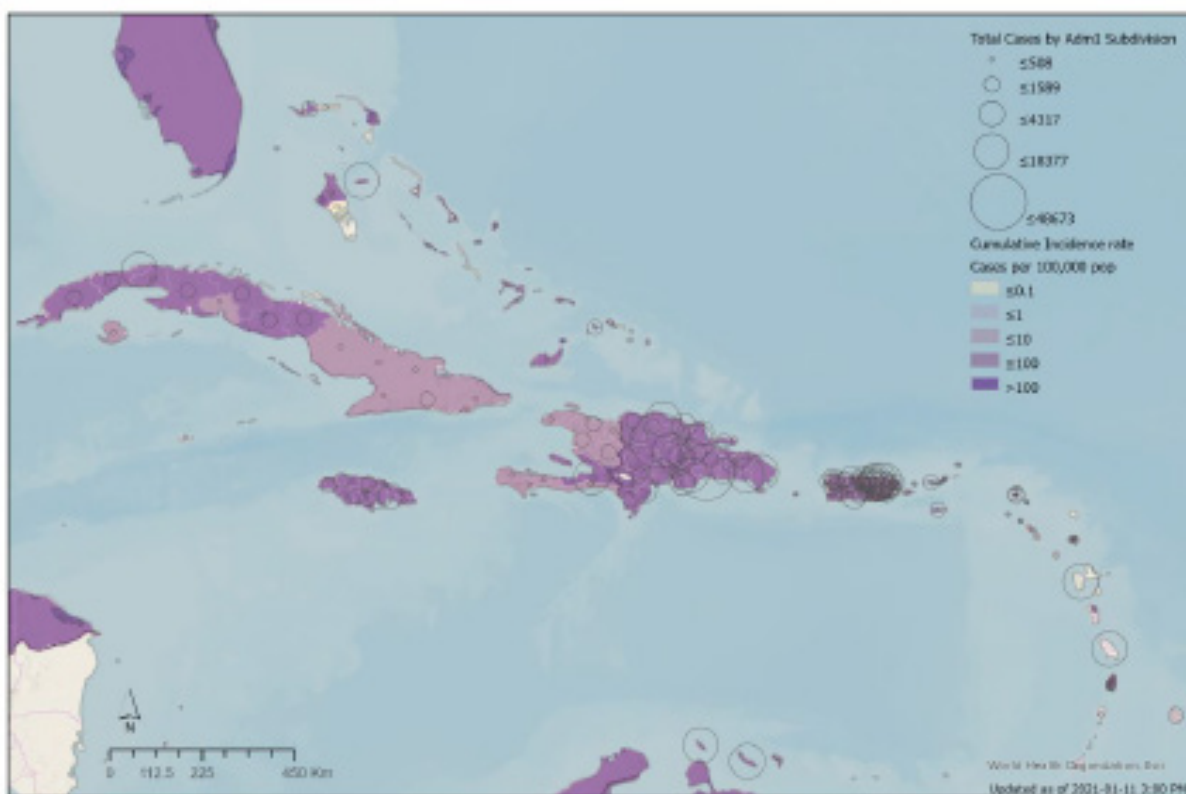
Region of the Americas	
39,522,693	cases
921,256	deaths in
56	countries, areas, or territories
Global	
89,357,739	cases
1,934,138	deaths in
236	countries, areas, or territories

## COVID-19 highlights:

COVID-19 cases continue to increase, yesterday 10 January 2020, *Barbados* reported 06 new cases, *Saint Lucia* and *Saint Vincent and the Grenadines* each reported 24 new cases .

COUNTRY	COVID-19 CASE UPDATE
Anguilla	last case on 02 January 2021
Antigua and Barbuda	last case on 07 January 2021
Barbados	last case on <b>10 January 2021</b>
British Virgin Islands (UK)	last case on 24 December 2020
Dominica	last case on 09 January 2021
Grenada	last case on 08 January 2021
Montserrat	no new cases for 169 days
Saint Kitts and Nevis	last case on 07 January 2021
Saint Lucia	last case on <b>10 January 2021</b>
Saint Vincent & the Grenadines	last case on <b>10 January 2021</b>

Reported number of cumulative COVID-19 cases in the Caribbean sub-region and corresponding incidence rate (per 100,000 population) by country/territory (sub-national level). As of 11 January 2021



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

COUNTRY	CONFIRMED CASES	DEATHS	# OF TESTS	TRANSMISSION TYPE	STATUS OF SCHOOLS	TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS	MASKS MANDATORY	STATE OF EMERGENCY (CURFEW)	COVID-19 WEB ADDRESS AND HOTLINE
ANGUILLA	15	0	15,980	Sporadic cases	Open	Yes	No	No	<a href="https://beatcovid19.ai/">https://beatcovid19.ai/</a> (264) 476-7627
ANTIGUA & BARBUDA	176	5	<b>7,046</b>	Sporadic cases	Reopened 7 Sep. 2020	Yes	-	Yes	<a href="https://ab.gov.ag/detail_page.php?page=42">https://ab.gov.ag/detail_page.php?page=42</a> (268) 462-6843
BARBADOS	<b>884</b>	7	<b>83,905</b>	Clusters of cases	Closed	Yes	In public buildings	Yes	<a href="https://gisbarbados.gov.bb/covid-19/">https://gisbarbados.gov.bb/covid-19/</a> (246) 536-4500
BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS	114	1	10,274	Clusters of cases		Yes	Yes	No	<a href="https://bvi.gov.vg/covid-19">https://bvi.gov.vg/covid-19</a> (284) 852-7650
DOMINICA	<b>109</b>	0	<b>8,114</b>	Clusters of cases	Reopened 7 Sep. 2020	Yes	Specific settings only	No	<a href="http://dominica.gov.dm/corona">http://dominica.gov.dm/corona</a> (767) 448-2151
FRENCH GUIANA	<b>14,113</b>	<b>74</b>	-	Community transmission	-	Yes	-	-	
GRENADA	135	1	11,107	Sporadic cases	Varied stages of reopening	Lifted	Yes	Yes	<a href="https://covid19.gov.gd/">https://covid19.gov.gd/</a> (473) 458-4787 / (473) 538-4787
GUADELOUPE	8,702	155	-	Community transmission	-	Yes	-	-	<a href="https://www.guadeloupe.ars.sante.fr/">https://www.guadeloupe.ars.sante.fr/</a>
MARTINIQUE	6,117	43	-	Community transmission	-	Yes	-	-	<a href="https://www.martinique.ars.sante.fr/">https://www.martinique.ars.sante.fr/</a>
MONTSERRAT	13	1	643	No cases	Reopened 7 Sep. 2020	Yes	No	No	<a href="http://www.gov.ms/latest-on-the-coronavirus/">http://www.gov.ms/latest-on-the-coronavirus/</a>
SAINT BARTHELEMY	191	0	-	Sporadic cases	-	-	-	-	
ST KITTS & NEVIS	34	0	4,623	Sporadic cases	Reopened 9 Sep. 2020	Yes	Yes	Yes	<a href="https://www.covid19.gov.kn/">https://www.covid19.gov.kn/</a>
SAINT LUCIA	<b>462</b>	5	18,291	Sporadic cases	Closed.	Yes	Specific settings only	Yes	<a href="https://www.covid19response.lc/">https://www.covid19response.lc/</a>
SAINT MARTIN	1,002	12	-	Community transmission	-	-	-	-	<a href="https://www.stmartinweek.fr/">https://www.stmartinweek.fr/</a>
ST VINCENT & THE GRENADINES	<b>249</b>	0	21,522	Sporadic cases	Varied stages of reopening	No	Specific settings only	No	<a href="http://health.gov.vc/health/index.php/c">http://health.gov.vc/health/index.php/c</a> (784) 534-4325
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>32,3116</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>181,505</b>						

Table 1: COVID-19 status in Barbados and the Eastern Caribbean Countries, French Territories and United Kingdom Overseas Territories. 'Sporadic cases' 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.*

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# PAHO's Response



To assist with the management of COVID-19 in Grenada, PAHO recently provided the government with the following emergency supplies:

TYPE OF SUPPLY	QUANTITY
GenXpert Cartridges	1020
COVID-19 AG Rapid Test Kits	9600
Surgical Gowns	11,270
Gloves	22,500
Surgical Masks	11,250
Goggles	150
Respirator	450
Biosafety Bags	180
Face Shields	900

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