

GOVERNMENT OF THE BAHAMAS MINISTRY OF HEALTH

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COVID-19 REPORT Update #344

CONFIRMED CASES OF COVID-19

| Island | Total Confirmed | Breakdown of Newly |
|-------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|
| | Cases | Confirmed Cases ¹ |
| New Providence | 6180 | 1 |
| Grand Bahama | 1254 | 6 |
| Abaco | 264 | 0 |
| Bimini & Cat Cay | 107 | 0 |
| Eleuthera | 167 | 0 |
| Berry Islands | 52 | 0 |
| Exuma | 122 | 0 |
| Inagua | 19 | 0 |
| Andros | 46 | 0 |
| Long Island | 11 | 0 |
| Cat Island | 8 | 0 |
| Acklins | 7 | 0 |
| Crooked Island | 6 | 0 |
| Mayaguana | 3 | 0 |
| San Salvador | 10 | 0 |
| Locations Pending | 360 | 0 |
| TOTAL | 8616 | 7 |

¹ Results of newly confirmed cases were reported within twenty-four (24) to forty-eight (48) hours after the swabbing date.

GENDER OF NEWLY CONFIRMED CASES

| Gender of Newly Confirmed Cases | # Cases |
|------------------------------------|---------|
| Males | 3 |
| Females | 4 |
| Unknown | 0 |
| TOTAL | 7 |

HOSPITALIZATIONS

| Healthcare Institution | # of Cases Hospitalized | # of Cases Moderately Ill | # of Cases in the Intensive Care Unit (ICU) |
|---|----------------------------|------------------------------|---|
| New Providence | | | |
| Doctor's Hospital | 7 | 6 | 1 |
| South Beach Acute Care and Referral Centre | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Princess Margaret Hospital | 4 | 4 | 0 |
| Sandilands Rehabilitation Centre | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Grand Bahama | | | |
| Grand Bahama Health Services | 8 | 8 | 0 |
| TOTAL | 20 | 19 | 1 |

ACTIVE CASES & RECOVERIES

| Active Cases | 921 |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Total # of Recovered Cases | # of Cases Recovered Today |
| 7459 | 6 |

DEATHS

| Total COVID-19 | Total Non-COVID-19 | Total Deaths Under |
|----------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Deaths | Deaths | Investigation |
| 182 | 39 | 15 |

One death has been classified as COVID-19 related. The unfortunate death is as follows:

| Age | Sex | Island of Residence | Date of Death |
|-----|--------|---------------------|--------------------------------|
| 43 | Female | New Providence | 7 th February, 2021 |

TESTS COMPLETED

| Total # of Tests Completed | # of Tests Completed Today | # of Positive Results | # of Negative Results | # of Repeated Tests ² | # of Inconclusive Results |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|--|---------------------------------|
| 69,823 | 231 | 7 | 221 | 1 | 2 |

² Tests performed to confirm if patients have recovered from COVID-19.

OPENING HOURS OF COMMUNITY CLINICS

| Clinic | Days | Hours of Operation |
|-------------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| Fleming Street | Monday – Friday | 9:00a.m. – 8:00p.m. |
| Elizabeth Estates | Monday – Friday | 9:00a.m. – 9:00p.m. |
| Flamingo Gardens | Monday – Friday | 9:00a.m. – 9:00p.m. |
| Flamingo Gardens (Only) | Saturday | 9:00a.m. – 5:00p.m. |

Community clinics remain open for primary care services at the following Poly-clinics:

REMINDERS

To contain the spread of COVID-19 residents are reminded of the following:

- if you have symptoms of COVID-19, do not wait, first, contact your health provider.
- while home remedies may work for a period it is important to get tested and receive proper care before symptoms become too difficult to manage.
- if you have been asked by the Surveillance Unit to get tested for COVID-19, please follow the advice and take the gold standard RT-PCR test.
- employees are encouraged to work from home.

