



GOVERNMENT OF THE BAHAMAS
MINISTRY OF HEALTH

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COVID-19 REPORT
Update #421

CONFIRMED CASES OF COVID-19

Island	Total Confirmed Cases	Breakdown of Newly Confirmed Cases ¹
New Providence	8458	46
Grand Bahama	1785	1
Abaco	351	0
Bimini & Cat Cay	136	0
Eleuthera	232	0
Berry Islands	83	0
Exuma	153	0
Inagua	19	1
Andros	132	1
Long Island	24	0
Cat Island	43	0
Acklins	7	0
Crooked Island	7	0
Mayaguana	3	0
San Salvador	12	0
Locations Pending	54	0
TOTAL	11499	49

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

TRAVEL WATCH: CONFIRMED IMPORTED COVID-19 CASES

Island	Newly Confirmed Cases with History of Travel Within 14 Days ²
New Providence	2
Grand Bahama	0
Abaco	0
Bimini & Cat Cay	0
Eleuthera	0
Berry Islands	0
Exuma	0
TOTAL	2

GENDER OF NEWLY CONFIRMED CASES

Gender of Newly Confirmed Cases	# Cases
Males	15
Females	34
Unknown	0
TOTAL	49

² Results of newly confirmed cases were reported within twenty-four (24) to forty-eight (48) hours after the swabbing date.

HOSPITALIZATIONS

Healthcare Institution	# of Cases Hospitalized	# of Cases Moderately Ill	# of Cases in the Intensive Care Unit (ICU)
<u>New Providence</u>			
Doctor's Hospital	11	7	4
South Beach Acute Care and Referral Centre	8	8	0
Princess Margaret Hospital	21	21	0
Sandilands Rehabilitation Centre	0	0	0
<u>Grand Bahama</u>			
Grand Bahama Health Services	2	2	0
TOTAL	42	38	4

ACTIVE CASES & RECOVERIES

Active Cases	924
Total # of Recovered Cases	# of Cases Recovered Today
10272	22

DEATHS

Total COVID-19 Deaths	Total Non-COVID-19 Deaths	Total Deaths Under Investigation
225	51	27

The Ministry of Health reports one (1) unfortunate COVID-19 related death as follows:

Age	Sex	Island of Residence	Date of Death
37	Female	New Providence	17th May, 2021

TESTS COMPLETED

Total # of Tests Completed	# of Tests Completed Today	# of Positive Results	# of Negative Results	# of Repeated Tests ³	# of Inconclusive Results
94,984	515	49	440	11	15

OPENING HOURS OF COMMUNITY CLINICS

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

³ Tests performed to confirm if patients have recovered from COVID-19.

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.


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Take Precautionary Measures

 WASH YOUR HANDS	 COVER YOUR COUGH OR SNEEZE	 WEAR YOUR MASK	 KEEP YOUR DISTANCE
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PREVENT THE SPREAD OF COVID-19

 CLEAN AND DISINFECT	 STAY HOME IF SICK	 ISOLATE IF SICK AT WORK	 CALL FIRST <small>511</small> <small>or your healthcare provider for advice before going to a facility</small>
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Protect Yourself & Others

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