

## GOVERNMENT OF THE BAHAMAS MINISTRY OF HEALTH

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#### COVID-19 REPORT Update #387

#### **CONFIRMED CASES OF COVID-19**

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Island	<b>Total Confirmed</b>	Breakdown of Newly		
	Cases	Confirmed Cases <sup>1</sup>		
New Providence	6820	28		
Grand Bahama	1561	12		
Abaco	329	0		
Bimini & Cat Cay	128	0		
Eleuthera	212	0		
Berry Islands	59	0		
Exuma	133	0		
Inagua	19	0		
Andros	54	0		
Long Island	12	0		
Cat Island	9	0		
Acklins	7	0		
Crooked Island	6	0		
Mayaguana	3	0		
San Salvador	10	0		
Locations Pending	374	0		
TOTAL	9736	40		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 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	23
Females	17
Unknown	0
TOTAL	40

## **HOSPITALIZATIONS**

Healthcare Institution	# of Cases Hospitalized	# of Cases Moderately Ill	# of Cases in the Intensive Care Unit (ICU)
New Providence			
Doctor's Hospital	13	9	4
South Beach Acute Care and Referral Centre	5	5	0
Princess Margaret Hospital	18	18	0
Sandilands Rehabilitation Centre	0	0	0
Grand Bahama			
Grand Bahama Health Services	9	9	0
TOTAL	45	41	4

#### **ACTIVE CASES & RECOVERIES**

Active Cases	441	
Total # of Recovered Cases	# of Cases Recovered Today	
9031	15	

#### **DEATHS**

Total COVID-19	Total Non-COVID-	Total Deaths Under
Deaths	19 Deaths	Investigation
194	44	26

### **TESTS COMPLETED**

Total # of Tests Completed	# of Tests Completed Today	# of Positive Results	# of Negative Results	# of Repeated Tests <sup>2</sup>	# of Inconclusive Results
82,467	288	40	244	2	2

### **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.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 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.

