COVID-19 Weekly Summary


In the week to Wed 19 Aug 2020 among the 20 CARICOM members and associate members, there have been 2422 new confirmed cases (compared to 1529 last week, and 1182 two weeks ago) and 42 new confirmed deaths (compared to 27 last week, and 23 two weeks ago). Most of these new cases were identified in Suriname (657), Bahamas (435), Belize (343) and in Trinidad and Tobago (334). There were an additional 2 countries with over 100 cases:

- Guyana (169 cases)
- Haiti (272 cases)

The remaining 212 cases were reported in 8 countries:

- Antigua and Barbuda (1 case)
- Barbados (10 cases)
- Bermuda (7 cases)
- The British Virgin Islands (2 cases)
- Jamaica (99 cases)
- St Lucia (1 case)
- St Vincent and the Grenadines (1 case)
- Turks and Caicos Islands (91 cases)

In the past 24 hours there have been 479 new confirmed cases and 10 new confirmed deaths. Suriname (3216 confirmed cases, 657 in the past week), Bahamas (1424 confirmed cases, 435 in the past week) and Belize (553 confirmed cases, 343 in the past week) are the current Caribbean hotspots. With borders re-opening, a larger number of CARICOM countries are now reporting clusters of cases.