Weekly Summary for the week ending Thu 20 Aug 2020.

In the week to Thu 20 Aug 2020 among the 20 CARICOM members and associate members, there have been 2353 new confirmed cases (compared to 1800 last week, and 1201 two weeks ago) and 43 new confirmed deaths (compared to 31 last week, and 20 two weeks ago). Most of these new cases were identified in Suriname (642), Bahamas (495), Belize (257) and in Trinidad and Tobago (360). There were an additional 3 countries with over 100 cases:

- Guyana (153 cases)
- Haiti (206 cases)
- Jamaica (127 cases)

The remaining 240 cases were reported in 9 countries:

- Antigua and Barbuda (2 cases)
- Barbados (12 cases)
- Bermuda (7 cases)
- The British Virgin Islands (2 cases)
- Cayman Islands (2 cases)
- Jamaica (127 cases)
- St Lucia (1 case)
- St Vincent and the Grenadines (1 case)
- Turks and Caicos Islands (86 cases)

In the past 24 hours there have been 373 new confirmed cases and 5 new confirmed deaths. Suriname (3295 confirmed cases, 642 in the past week), Bahamas (1531 confirmed cases, 495 in the past week) and Belize (553 confirmed cases, 257 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.