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COVID-19 Situation Update - 127

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This situation update is on the Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) reported cases, deaths and related vaccination status, Globally, Regionally, for Barbados and the Eastern Caribbean Countries, French Territories, and the United Kingdom Overseas Territories.

COVID-19 Vaccines through COVAX Facility delivered to Barbados and several Eastern Caribbean Countries

During the last week, 7 countries received COVID-19 vaccines through the Pan American Health Organization's (PAHO) Revolving Fund, a mechanism designated by the COVAX Facility to deliver vaccines to the countries.

The AstraZeneca vaccines were delivered to high level government officials, Prime Ministers, Ministers of Health and other partners at special ceremonies. The vaccine doses were distributed as follows: Antiqua & Barbuda 24,000, Barbados - 33,600, Dominica - 28,800, Grenada -24,000, St. Kitts & Nevis - 21,600, Saint Lucia - 24,000, and St. Vincent & the Grenadines - 24,000 doses. Click on the name of the country under each photo below, for more information on vaccines arrival.



ANTIGUA & BARBUDA



GRENADA



BARBADOS



ST. KITTS & NEVIS



DOMINICA



SAINT LUCIA

Region of the Americas

59,053,949

1,432,017

deaths in

56

countries, areas, or territories

247,825,138

vaccine doses administered

Global

138,103,240

2,972,131

deaths in

236

countries, areas, or territories

734,121,870

vaccine doses administered



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ST. VINCENT & THE GRENADINES

COVID-19 highlights:

COUNTRY	COVID-19 HIGHLIGHT
Anguilla	Starting the week of April 12th the administration of 2nd doses of the COVID-19 vac- cine
Barbados	9 new COVID-19 cases were reported on 14 April 2021
Saint Lucia	18 new cases confirmed on 15 April 2021
St. Vincent & the Grenadines	6 new COVID-19 cases were reported on 15 April 2021

COVID-19 Vaccination highlights:

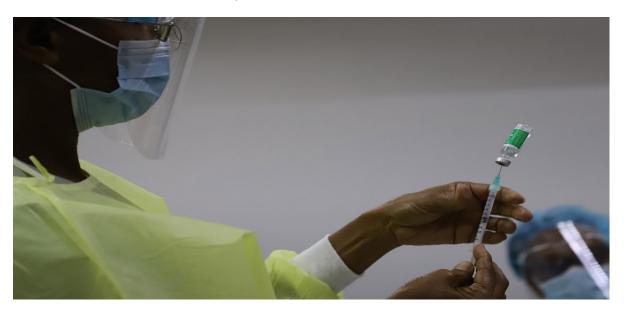
COUNTRY	TYPE OF VACCINE	NUMBER OF VACCINE ADMINISTERED			
		1st Dose	2nd Dose		
Anguilla	AstraZeneca	5,867	-		
Antigua and Barbuda	AstraZeneca	27,592	-		
Barbados	AstraZeneca	66,069	-		
British Virgin Islands	AstraZeneca	6,511	-		
Dominica	AstraZeneca	17,775	337		
Grenada	AstraZeneca	11,152	-		
Montserrat	AstraZeneca	1,284	467		
Saint Kitts & Nevis	AstraZeneca	23,428	-		
Saint Lucia	AstraZeneca	21,494	20		
Saint Vincent & the Grenadines	AstraZeneca	12,599	-		

Barbados and the Eastern Caribbean Countries, French Territories and United Kingdom Overseas Territories

	CONFIRMED	ACTIVE		# OF	TRANSMISSION	STATUS OF	TDAVEL	MASKS	COVID-19 WEB ADDRESS
COUNTRY	CASES		DEATHS	# OF TESTS	TYPE	SCHOOLS	RESTRICTIONS	MANDATORY	AND HOTLINE
ANGUILLA	29	4	0	17,376	Sporadic cases	Open	Yes	No	https://beatcovid19.ai/ (264) 476-7627
ANTIGUA & BARBUDA	1,209	231	31	-	Clusters of cases	Open	Yes	-	https://ab.gov.ag/detail_page.php?page=42 (268) 462-6843
BARBADOS	3,753	-	44	147,290	Community transmission	Online	Yes	Yes	https://gisbarbados.gov.bb/covid-19/ (246) 536-4500
BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS	187	4	1	34,010	Clusters of cases	Both face to face & online	Yes	Yes	https://bvi.gov.vg/covid-19 (284) 852-7650
DOMINICA	170	11	0	13,500	Sporadic cases	Open	Yes	Yes	http://dominica.gov.dm/corona (767) 448-2151
FRENCH GUIANA	17,883	-	95	-	Community transmission	-	Yes	-	
GRENADA	159	-	1	23,989	Sporadic cases	Varied stages of reopening	Lifted	Yes	https://covid19.gov.gd/ (473) 458-4787 / (473) 538-4787
GUADELOUPE	12,304	-	189	-	Community transmission	-	Yes	-	https://www.guadeloupe.ars.sante.fr/
MARTINIQUE	8,887	-	59	-	Community transmission	-	Yes	-	https://www.martinique.ars.sante.fr/
MONTSERRAT	20	0	1	1,589	No cases	Face to face sessions	Yes	No	https://www.gov.ms/covid-19/
SAINT BARTHELEMY	928	-	1	-	Sporadic cases	-	-	-	
ST KITTS & NEVIS	44	-	0	13,374	Sporadic cases	Open	Yes	Yes	https://www.covid19.gov.kn/
SAINT LUCIA	4,389	92	59	33,260	Community transmission	Online	Yes	Specific settings	https://www.covid19response.lc/
SAINT MARTIN	1,703	-	13	-	Community transmission	-	-	-	https://www.stmartinweek.fr/
ST VINCENT & THE GRENADINES	1,818	131	10	44,072	Community transmission	Online	No	Specific settings	http://health.gov.vc/health/index.php/c (784) 534-4325
TOTAL	53,483	473	503	328,460					

Table 1: COVID-19 status in Barbados and the Eastern Caribbean Countries, French Territories and United Kingdom Overseas Territories. 'Sporadic cases' indicates countries/territories/areas with one or more cases, imported or locally detected. 'Clusters of cases' indicates countries/territories/areas experiencing cases clustered in time, geographic location and/or by common exposures.

Data in red new. Disclaimer: Data is updated by 5:00PM each day and there could be delays in reporting. Any discrepancies from national data figures will be edited on the next issue.



PAHO Director warns that vaccines alone will not stop current COVID-19 surge

Countries report more than 1.3 million new cases in the Americas while nearly 36,000 die from the disease in one week.

Washington, D.C. April 14, 2021 (PAHO) – Warning that COVID-19 vaccine deliveries to the Americas have slowed, Pan American Health Organization Director Carissa F. Etienne urged countries to employ a "comprehensive strategy" of not only immunization but also public health measures to curb the surging pandemic.

"I cannot stress this enough - for most countries, vaccines are not going to stop this wave of the pandemic," Dr. Etienne said during her weekly media briefing. "There are simply not enough of them available to protect everyone in the countries at greatest risk."

"Therefore, we need to stop transmission by any means possible with the tools we have at hand. This will require comprehensive strategies to both accelerate the rollout of vaccines and control the virus using proven public health measures," she added, referring to wearing masks, social distancing, and hand hygiene.

More than 3 million doses delivered

Since March, PAHO's Revolving Fund has helped deliver more than 3 million doses of COVAX-procured vaccines to 28 countries. The Revolving Fund negotiates, purchases, and arranges logistics for shipment of vaccines to the 36 countries that participate in COVAX. So far in the Americas, more than 247 million COVID-19 vaccines have been administered, including through deals countries made individually with vaccine producers.

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