

List of CARPHA COVID-19 Documents

General

Coronavirus - What you need to know

Situation Report (most recent)

CARPHA Situation Report 65 - July 03, 2020

Situation Report Infographic (most recent)

Infographic 13 Situation Report 64 - July 1, 2020

Reopening Guidelines

- Guidelines and Checklists for Reopening of Caribbean Tourism and Travel NEW–
- COVID19 Guidelines Faith-based Organisations and Community NEW–
- COVID19 Public Transportation Guidelines NEW–
- COVID19 Guidelines Re-Opening of Offices
- Guidelines for Domestic Workers during COVID-19
- Interim Guidance for the Reopening of Food Establishments

Technical Guidance

All Technical Guidelines

- <u>Interim COVID-19 Guidelines for Water, Sanitation, Hygiene, and Waste Management in Institutional Facilities, Communities and Home Settings</u>
- CARPHA's Guidance on the Use of Face Masks in the Context of COVID-19 Pandemic
- Interim Guidance about Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) for Points of Entry in the CARPHA Member States
- Interim Guidance for Institutional and Home -Based Quarantine for COVID-19

Guidelines for Conveyances

- Interim Guidance about Coronavirus Disease for Conveyances Travelling to Caribbean Countries
- o Regional Coordination for the Management of COVID-19 and other infectious diseases on Aircrafts

Guidelines for Healthcare Setting

- o <u>Interim Guidance on the Interpretation of Test Results using the PCR-based Methods for Public Health</u> Practitioners and General Practitioners
- o Frequently Asked Questions on Understanding and Interpreting COVID-19 Test Results at CARPHA
- ADVICE FOR PERSONS WITH SYMPTOMS OF COVID-19 Pamphlet for patient education at a healthcare provider's office
- INTERIM GUIDANCE FOR GENERAL PRACTITIONERS AND PRIVATE HEALTH CLINICS ON CORONAVIRUS DISEASE (COVID-19)
- o Interim Guidance for Management of Pregnant Women and Newborns with Coronavirus Disease
- o <u>Interim Guidance about the Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) for Healthcare Worker Safety in the Caribbean</u>
- o Interim Guidance for Frontline Workers in Healthcare Settings
- o Algorithm for the Management of Suspected COVID-19 Cases in CARPHA Member States



 Algorithm for Contact Tracing for Suspected coronavirus disease (COVID-19) cases on conveyances to CARPHA Member States

Travellers Health/Tourism Guidance

- <u>Caribbean Countries Reopening Plans/Initiatives Post COVID-19</u> July 3, 2020 NEW–
- Precautionary prevention measures implemented by Caribbean Countries (outside travel-related measures) – June 12, 2020
- <u>Caribbean Countries that have issued Travel Advisories due to COVID-19</u> May 22, 2020
- Interim COVID-19 Health Guidelines for Hospitality: Hotels and Guesthouses
- Interim Guidance on Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) for Travellers
- Guidelines for Accommodations and Food Industry
 - o Interim Guidance on Food Safety during the COVID-19 Pandemic (Coronavirus Disease) in the Caribbean
 - o <u>Interim Guidance for Cleaning and Disinfection at Hotels, Guest Houses and Other Tourist</u>
 Accommodation during the COVID-19 Pandemic in the Caribbean
 - o Interim Guidance about COVID-19 (Coronavirus Disease) for Hotels and Guesthouses in the Caribbean
 - o Interim Guidance about Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) for Hotels Workers in the Caribbean
 - o <u>Interim Guidance about COVID-19 (Coronavirus Disease) for Food and Beverage Industry in the</u> Caribbean

Laboratory Updates

- CARPHA Laboratory COVID-19 Update 15 July 2, 2020 NEW-
- <u>CARPHA Interim Guidance for the Evaluation and Selection of Diagnostic Tests for the COVID-19 Response</u> (Revised) June 3, 2020
- <u>CARPHA Laboratory COVID-19 Update 12 May 15, 2020 EVALUATION AND SELECTION OF DIAGNOSTIC</u> TESTS
- CARPHA Laboratory COVID-19 Update 11 April 24, 2020 USE OF EXPIRED SAMPLE COLLECTION SUPPLIES

Media Releases

- CARPHA COVID19 Communication Strategy
- IDB CONTRIBUTES US\$750K TO SUPPORT CARPHA'S COORDINATED COVID-19 RESPONSE IN THE CARIBBEAN
 June 22, 2020
- <u>CARPHA's Statement on the Use of Gloves in the Community Setting in the Context of COVID-19</u> April 24,
 2020
- CARPHA's COVID-19 Testing Process and Adherence to Quality Standards April 22, 2020
- COVID-19 Press Presentation March 11, 2020
- COVID-19 Confirmed in CARPHA Member States CARPHA Media Release 7 March 11, 2020
- <u>CARPHA Commended for Regional Response to Coronavirus COVID-19 at Heads of Government CARPHA</u>
 Media Release
- <u>CARPHA has the only CARICOM regional reference laboratory accredited to test for COVID-19 CARPHA</u>
 Media Release 6 March 7, 2020
- <u>CARPHA Upgrades the Risk of Transmission of Coronavirus in the Caribbean to Moderate to High</u> CARPHA Media Release 5 – February 28, 2020
- <u>CARPHA Medical Microbiology Laboratory is Ready to Respond to 2019-nCoV</u> CARPHA Media Release 4 –
 February 10, 2020



- The Risk of 2019-nCoV Remains Low for the Caribbean but CARPHA Encourages Vigilance at Ports of Entry CARPHA Media Release 3 January 30, 2020
- 2019-nCoV: CARPHA urges the Region to be Vigilant, Be Prepared CARPHA Media Release 2 January 27, 2020
- Risk of Novel Coronavirus in the Caribbean "Low" says CARPHA, but Preparation Needed CARPHA Media
 Release 1 January 23, 2020

Communications Material

All COVID-19 Communications Material: https://carpha.org/What-We-Do/Public-Health/Novel-Coronavirus/COVID-19-Communications-Material

- Posters
 - o Prevention of COVID-19 Stigma
 - Household prevention tips
 - Cleaning and Sanitizing
 - Facemasks (how to don and doff)
 - o How to wear, use, and remove a cloth face mask
 - Quick Face Masks Questions and Answers
 - Use of Facemasks in public
 - Waste Management
 - o Glove Use
- Debunking the Myths of Coronavirus (COVID-19): http://carpha.org/Portals/0/Documents/myths.pdf
- Cover your nose and mouth
- Cough or sneeze into elbow

Videos

- CARPHA ready to test samples for the 2019 Novel Coronavirus from National Laboratories in the Region: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zhjVzkN9BXY
- Is there a new bleach cocktail that can cure and protect against the Flu and the Novel Coronavirus?: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LjJxVgSMVIw
- How is the Novel Coronavirus new? Lysol and Clorox have "Human Coronavirus" listed on their labels: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W0wCOxu3154
- Can a surgical mask protect me from coronavirus? CARPHA Biorisk Manager explains: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b1EcYb-GISY
- Who should wear a mask for protection against coronavirus? CARPHA Biorisk Manager responds: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VN6SpxpTr70
- Let's Talk COVID-19 Series: How Can I Protect Myself: https://youtu.be/MEQG55Za-J8
- Let's Talk COVID-19 Series: Travelling on Airplanes and Cruise ships: https://youtu.be/oyLTAkZS80Q