



COVID-19 WEEKLY UPDATE FOR AUGUST 22-28, 2023

NEW CASES	WEEK	OVERALL
Confirmed Cases	55	156,268
Females	29	90,086
Males	26	66,179
Age Range	81 days to 95 years	1 day to 108 years

PARISH CLASSIFICATION

Clarendon	1	7,864
Hanover	0	4,642
Kingston & St. Andrew	6	41,679
Manchester	4	8,914
Portland	3	4,027
St. Ann	9	11,534
St. Catherine	17	28,090
St. Elizabeth	3	6,605
St. James	4	17,957
St. Mary	0	4,969
St. Thomas	1	5,987
Trelawny	3	5,210
Westmoreland	4	8,790

PREGNANT & BREASTFEEDING MOTHERS SHOULD GET VACCINATED AGAINST COVID-19.

- 1 Pregnant women with COVID-19 are at higher risk of developing severe illness compared to non-pregnant women of reproductive age.
- 2 Severe illness includes illness that requires hospitalization, intensive care, a ventilator or special equipment to breathe, or illness that results in death.
- 3 COVID-19 in pregnancy has been associated with increased risk of preterm birth and of newborns requiring neonatal intensive care.

Make your vaccination appointment today.

Call the Vaccination Call Centre at 888-ONE-LOVE (888-645-5683). Visit <https://www.moh.gov.jm>



RECOVERIES & ACTIVE CASES	WEEK	OVERALL
Recovered	10	103,173
Active Cases		107
DEATHS IN COVID-19 POSITIVE INDIVIDUALS		
Deaths	9*	3,640
Coincidental Deaths	0	320
Deaths under investigation	3	287
7 DAY AVERAGE POSITIVITY RATE	17.2%	

*8 deaths occurred in 2023 and 1 in 2022



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