

JAMAICA CONTINUES TO ADJUST TO COVID-19

Dear Valued Partners,

In addition to the measures detailed in previous bulletins, Jamaica continues to strengthen the preventative and proactive measures to keep our residents and visitors safe.

- Jamaica's Prime Minister, the Most Hon Andrew Holness, has activated the Disaster Risk Management Act, which in effect means COVID-19 has been declared a national emergency. The new measures announced follow:
- All travelers from countries where there is local transmission of COVID-19 will be required to self-quarantine for up to 14 days.
 - This information has been shared with the airlines.
 - Persons staying in hotels will be required to observe the quarantine rules as determined by the Ministry of Health and Wellness.
 - Persons will be able to leave the island at their scheduled departure date even if this is before the 14-day period of quarantine, if they do not become ill and do not fit the case definition.
 - If they develop symptoms, they will be isolated.
- Effective Wednesday March 18, bars, night clubs, churches and restaurants (excepting takeout) are to be closed, and public gatherings are limited to no more than 20 persons.
- You are invited to view the full list of destination protocols at www.itbonline.org

Jamaica is focused on prevention management. Together, we will overcome this global public health threat.

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