

## GOVERNMENT OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS OF THE UNITED STATES

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## Department of Health Announces Return to Original Wednesday ONLY Testing and Vaccine Schedule on St. John

**US Virgin Islands** — St. John residents and visitors are advised the Department of Health will return to the Wednesday only, pre-Omicron testing and vaccination schedule at the VI Port Authority Gravel Lot the week of February 14th. All other testing and vaccine events previously offered at other locations on St. John are discontinued.

Testing at the VIPA Gravel Lot will be offered from 12:00 noon to 3:00 p.m. and vaccines will be available from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Persons wishing to be tested are reminded they must register in advance at <a href="https://www.covid19usvi.com/testing">https://www.covid19usvi.com/testing</a>. Gift cards for eligible children who receive a second vaccine dose can be picked up at the Morris F. DeCastro Clinic.

The Department continues to work to slow the spread of COVID-19. Please continue to follow these precautionary measures: practice social distancing, wear a mask when in company of others outside of those in your household, clean frequently used areas thoroughly, and wash your hands often with soap and warm water.

To report a suspected case of COVID-19, please call (340) 712-6299 or (340) 776-1519. If you have a medical emergency, call 911. For more information, visit <u>covid19usvi.com</u>. For COVID-19 updates, text COVID19USVI to 888777.