

VIDOH 2020 COVID-19 Response Report date: April 08, 2020

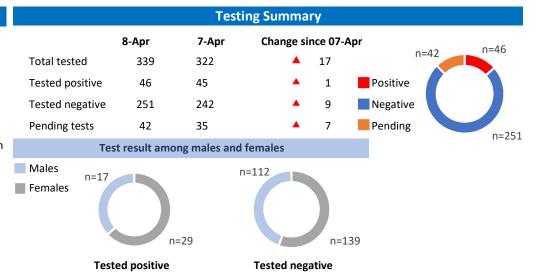


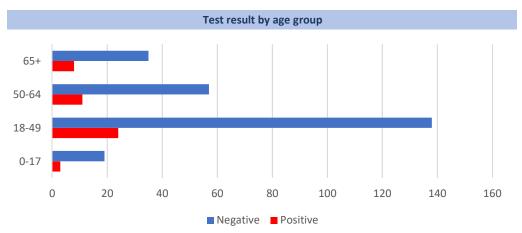
Illnesses that started during this

USVI Response Measures

1. Prevent, delay, and mitigate transmission: Develop screening at ports of entry; provide best practices and guidance to organizations to reduce transmission; develop strategies for vulnerable populations.

- 2. Conduct surveillance: Inform the response based on epidemiologic data; liaise with healthcare sector to identify cases and define clinical and transmission characteristics; operate epi hotline; track persons under investigation; perform contact tracing of cases; conduct follow-up sampling of cases; coordinate with lab on specimens.
- **3. Provide public health & safety messaging:** Develop communication strategy; build capacity with partners; provide daily .
- **4. Provide medical guidance**: Provide Infection Prevention and Control guidance related to healthcare personnel and health systems; provide guidance to clinicians regarding treatment and management of patients;
- **5. Conduct lab testing**: Build laboratory testing capacity for VIDOH; explore external laboratory capacity; manage specimen collection; and manage lab supplies.
- **6. Coordinate medical surge capacity**: Assess resource needs and inventory resources (equipment, supplies, staff); develop a health and medical staffing strategy: prepare resource requests for material aid and staff (federal partner, EMAC, etc); develop resource management, utilization, and prioritization plan (PPE, staffing).





Sample collection dates of persons under investigation for COVID-19 in the U.S. Virgin Islands

35

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26-Jan 2-Feb 9-Feb 16-Feb 23-Feb 1-Mar 8-Mar 15-Mar 22-Mar 29-Mar 5-Apr Date of specimen collection

■ Negative ■ Pending ■ Positive

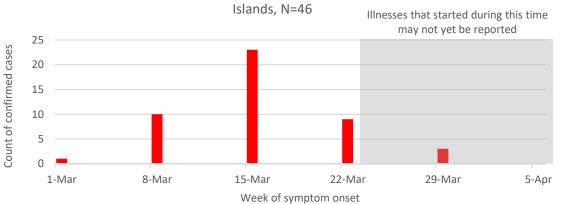
Contact Numbers: Hotline

Informational Hotline (non-medical 8am-8pm)
Hosted by VITEMA: 340-715-6843

Potential PUIs only 8am-10pm **STX:** (340) 712-6299 **STT/STJ**: (340) 776-1519

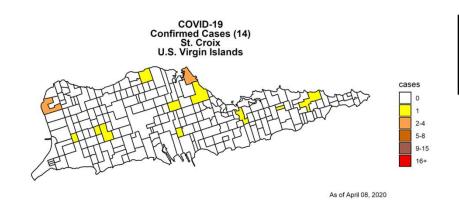
Confirmed COVID-19 cases in the U.S. Virgin Islands, N=46





Current status of cases		
Active	6	
Recovered	39	
Fatality	1	

Risk factors for transmission		
Community transmission	15	
Close contact	12	
Travel	19	
Under investigation	0	



St. Croix			
	8-Apr-20	7-Apr	Change since 07-Apr
Positive	14	14	♦ 0
Negative	101	94	^ 7
Pending	15	14	^ 6

Risk factors for transmission		
Community transmission	3	
Close contact	1	
Travel	10	
Under investigation	0	

COVID-19 Confirmed Cases (30) St. Thomas U.S. Virgin Islands	
As of April 08, 2020	cases 0 1 2-4 5-8 9-15 16+

St. Thomas

	8-Apr	7-Apr	Change since 07-Apr
Positive	30	29	1
Negative	139	137	<u>^</u> 2
Pending	21	23	▼ -2

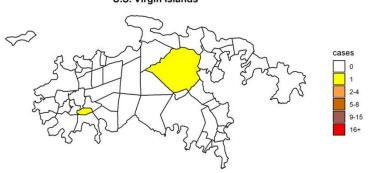
Risk factors for transmission		
Community transmission	12	
Close contact	11	
Travel	7	
Under investigation	0	

St. John

7-Apr

Change since 07-Apr

COVID-19
Confirmed Cases (2)
St. John
U.S. Virgin Islands



Risk factors for transmission					
Pending	5	2	A	3	
Negative	11	11	•	0	
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8-Apr

Risk factors for transmission		
Community transmission	0	
Close contact	0	
Travel	2	
Under investigation	0	

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