

Region of the Americas Update

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Last 24 hours

- 129,772** Additional cases
- 3,452** Additional deaths
- 0.99%** Relative increase in cases
- 0.75%** Relative increase in deaths
- 34** Countries /territories reporting new cases
- 25** Countries/territories reporting new deaths

Highest numbers of cases & deaths in the last 24 hrs

Cases (≥ 1,000)

United States	43,983
Brazil	41,350
Peru	9,474
Colombia	9,394
Argentina	9,230
Mexico	5,974
Chile	1,965
Costa Rica	1,214
Venezuela	1,067

Deaths (≥ 100)

United States	1,000
Brazil	958
Mexico	673
Colombia	297
Peru	136

PAHO

13,268,684 cases

465,206 deaths

54

countries/areas/territories affected

Global

24,983,171 cases

842,376 deaths

216

countries/areas/territories affected

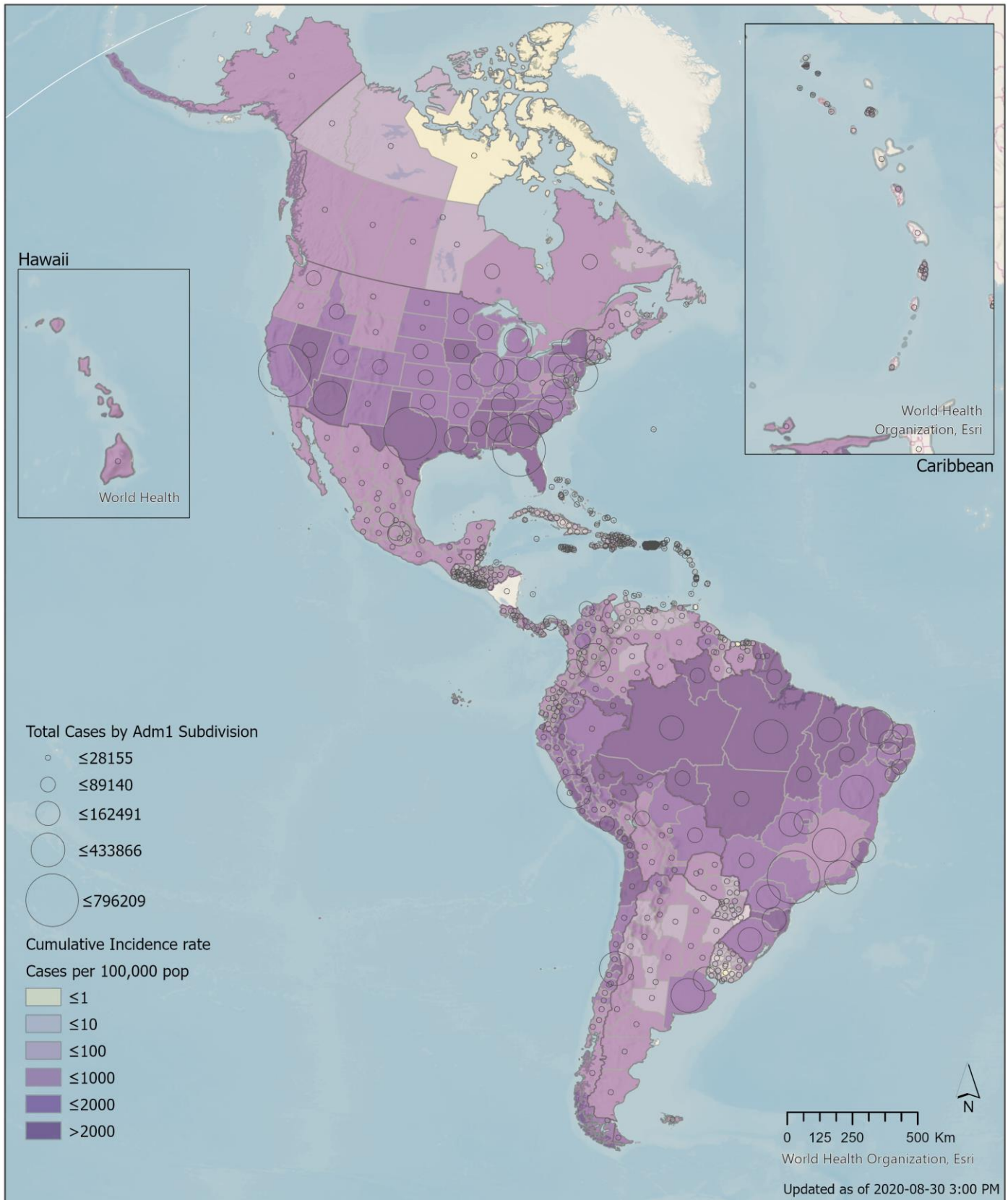
Region of the Americas – Highlights

- Compared to the previous day, the following countries/territories have a relative increase in cases ≥ 5%: **Belize** (10.8%, 94 additional cases), **Trinidad and Tobago** (6.7%, 106 additional cases), **British Virgin Islands** (5.7%, 2 additional cases), and **Jamaica** (5.1%, 102 additional cases).
- Compared to the previous day, the following countries/territories have a relative increase in deaths ≥ 5%: **Trinidad and Tobago** (10.5%, 2 additional deaths), **Belize** (8.3%, 1 additional death), **the Bahamas** (7.5%, 3 additional deaths), and **Paraguay** (5%, 14 additional deaths).
- Artists from 10 Latin American countries gather this weekend to design creative pieces intended to support the Pan American Health Organization's public health campaigns against the COVID-19 pandemic. The "[Hackathon of images against Covid-19](#)" consists of two virtual days of creative work by more than 60 artists and visual creators to make a collective contribution of graphic pieces in three key themes: Stop the contagion of Covid-19, contribute to mental health during quarantine, and counteract myths and misinformation.

Total cases, deaths & CFR (%) among PAHO countries/territories with ≥ 10,000 cumulative cases.

Country/Territory	Cases	Deaths	CFR (%)
United States of America	5,899,504	181,689	3.1%
Brazil	3,846,153	120,462	3.1%
Peru	639,435	28,607	4.5%
Colombia	599,914	19,064	3.2%
Mexico	591,712	63,819	10.8%
Chile	409,974	11,244	2.7%
Argentina	401,239	8,401	2.1%
Canada	127,673	9,113	7.1%
Bolivia	115,354	4,938	4.3%
Ecuador	113,648	6,555	5.8%
Dominican Republic	94,235	1,681	1.8%
Panama	91,337	1,983	2.2%
Guatemala	73,912	2,740	3.7%
Honduras	59,645	1,842	3.1%
Venezuela	44,946	375	0.8%
Costa Rica	39,699	418	1.1%
Puerto Rico	32,848	434	1.3%
El Salvador	25,635	713	2.8%
Paraguay	16,474	294	1.8%

Map 1. Reported number of cumulative COVID-19 cases in the Region of the Americas and corresponding incidence rate (per 100,000 persons) by country/territory. As of 30 August 2020



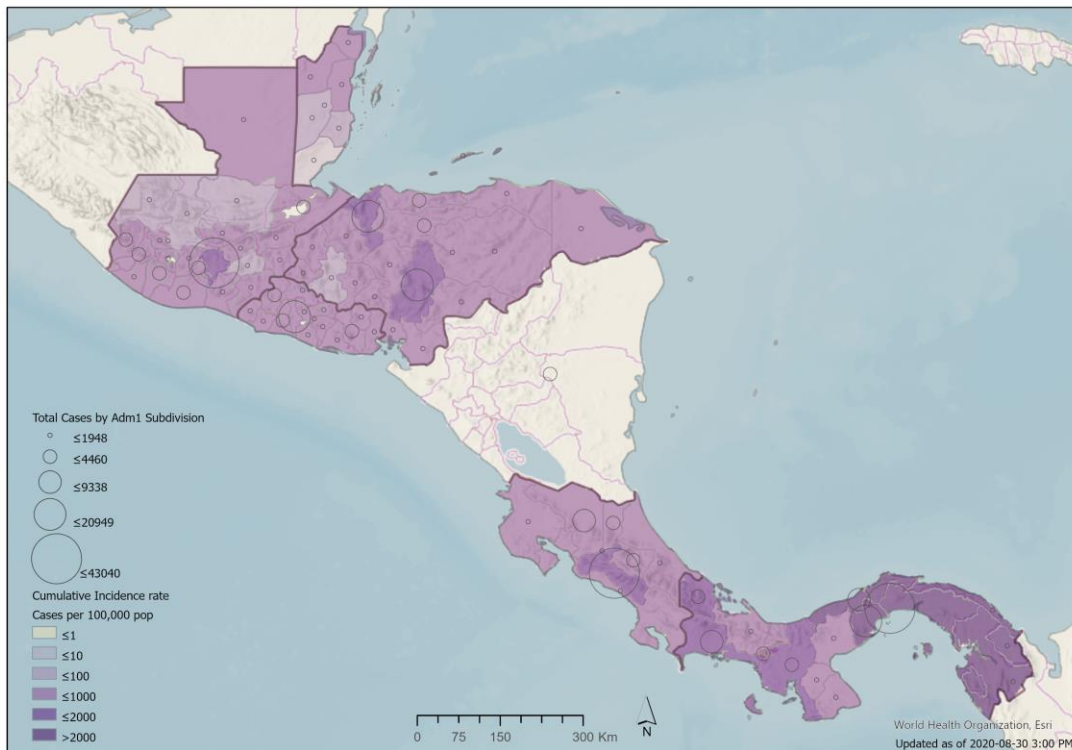
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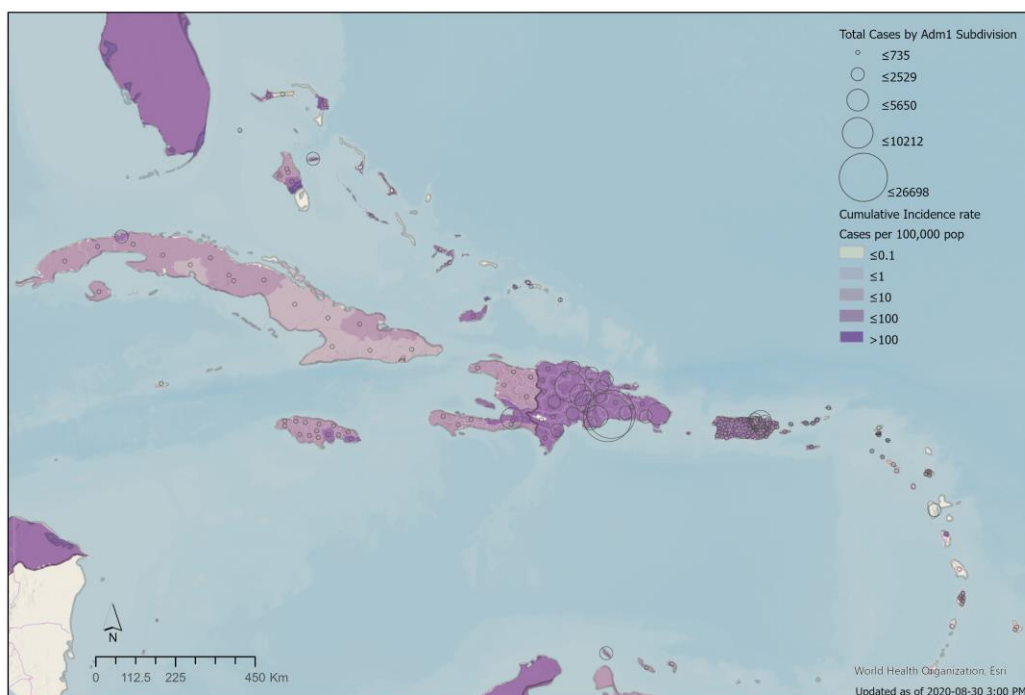
4. Honduras, Jamaica, Belize and the Bahamas all observed more than 100% relative

Map 2. Reported number of cumulative COVID-19 cases in the Central American sub-region and corresponding incidence rate (per 100,000 persons) by country/territory (sub-national level). As of 30 August 2020.



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Map 3. Reported number of cumulative COVID-19 cases in the Caribbean sub-region and corresponding incidence rate (per 100,000 persons) by country/territory (sub-national level). As of 30 August 2020



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Cumulative COVID-19 cases and deaths reported by countries and territories in the Americas, as of 30 August 2020

Updated as of 3 PM

Sub-Region	Country/Territory	Cases	Deaths	Recovered	% Relative Increase in Cases	Transmission Type
North America	Canada	127,673	9,113	113,501	0%	Community transmission
	Mexico	591,712	63,819	409,127	1%	Community transmission
	United States of America (the)	5,899,504	181,689	2,139,206	1%	Community transmission
	Subtotal	6,618,889	254,621	2,661,834	1%	
Central America	Belize	964	13	115	11%	Community transmission
	Costa Rica	39,699	418	15,737	3%	Community transmission
	El Salvador	25,635	713	14,013	0%	Community transmission
	Guatemala	73,912	2,740	61,681	0%	Community transmission
	Honduras	59,645	1,842	10,156	1%	Community transmission
	Nicaragua	3,659	137	3,339	0%	Community transmission
	Panama	91,337	1,983	65,119	1%	Community transmission
	Subtotal	294,851	7,846	170,160	1%	
South America	Argentina	401,239	8,401	294,007	2%	Community transmission
	Bolivia (the Plurinational State of)	115,354	4,938	56,749	1%	Community transmission
	Brazil	3,846,153	120,462	3,006,812	1%	Community transmission
	Chile	409,974	11,244	382,584	0%	Community transmission
	Colombia	599,914	19,064	440,574	2%	Community transmission
	Ecuador	113,648	6,555	86,252	1%	Community transmission
	Paraguay	16,474	294	8,854	4%	Community transmission
	Peru	639,435	28,607	446,675	2%	Community transmission
	Uruguay	1,570	44	1,364	1%	Clusters of cases
	Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	44,946	375	36,175	2%	Community transmission
Subtotal	6,188,707	199,984	4,760,046	1%		
Caribbean and Atlantic Ocean Islands	Anguilla	3		3	0%	No Cases
	Antigua and Barbuda	94	3	91	0%	Clusters of cases
	Aruba	1,848	8	608	0%	Community transmission
	Bahamas (the)	2,135	43	782	4%	Clusters of cases
	Barbados	173	7	145	4%	Clusters of cases
	Bermuda	169	9	153	1%	Sporadic cases
	Bonaire, Sint Eustatius, and Saba	15		12	0%	Sporadic cases
	Cayman Islands	205	1	205	0%	Sporadic cases
	Cuba	3,973	94	3,327	1%	Clusters of cases
	Curacao	55	1	35	0%	Clusters of cases
	Dominica	20		18	0%	Clusters of cases
	Dominican Republic (the)	94,235	1,681	66,776	1%	Community transmission
	Falkland Islands (the) [Malvinas]	13		13	0%	No Cases
	French Guiana	9,076	58	8,620	0%	Community transmission
	Grenada	24		24	0%	Clusters of cases
	Guadeloupe	1,145	16	289	22%	Clusters of cases
	Guyana	1,184	35	636	0%	Clusters of cases
	Haiti	8,209	201	5,828	0%	Community transmission
	Jamaica	2,113	19	888	5%	Clusters of cases
	Martinique	596	16	98	0%	Clusters of cases
	Montserrat	13	1	9	0%	No Cases
	Puerto Rico	32,848	434	0	1%	Community transmission
	Saint Barthelemy	18		13	0%	Sporadic cases
	Saint Kitts and Nevis	17		17	0%	No Cases
	Saint Lucia	26		25	0%	Sporadic cases
	Saint Martin	213	5	79	0%	Sporadic cases
	Saint Pierre and Miquelon	5		4	0%	Sporadic cases
	Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	60		57	0%	Sporadic cases
	Sint Maarten	444	17	179	0%	Community transmission
	Suriname	3,954	67	2,991	3%	Community transmission
Trinidad and Tobago	1,683	21	672	7%	Community transmission	
Turks and Caicos	505	3	102	3%	Clusters of cases	
Virgin Islands (UK)	37	1	8	6%	Sporadic cases	
Virgin Islands (US)	1,129	14	893	1%	Community transmission	
Subtotal	166,237	2,755	93,600	1%		
Total	13,268,684	465,206	7,685,640	1%		

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NOTES: Case and death counts may include both confirmed and probable classifications depending on the reporting Member State.

Recovered counts as indicated and defined by reporting Member States.

To date, rapid diagnostic tests (RDTs) are not recommended for use by WHO.

Data is updated on a weekly basis for Martinique and Nicaragua.",,,

United States of America: Case and death counts includes both confirmed and probable classifications, as published on the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (US CDC) website on 30 August (for data confirmed at 16:00 EST the previous day). Excludes counts for Guam, Commonwealth of the Northern Marianas, Puerto Rico, and the United States Virgin Islands. Sources: <https://bit.ly/2WJN2dd> and <https://bit.ly/2zUMSZ1>. Recovered counts as reported by state and territorial health authorities, available at the COVID Tracking Project <https://bit.ly/2ztbRC6>.

Bahamas: On 30 August, the Bahamas Ministry of Health continues to report 10 additional deaths under investigation.

Bonaire, Sint Eustatius, and Saba: The current transmission classification for each of the three islands, Bonaire, Sint Eustatius, and Saba, is Sporadic cases. The highest classification for all three islands is used by PAHO/WHO, designated as Sporadic cases.

Chile: Confirmed cases include both symptomatic and asymptomatic PCR-positive cases, as defined by the Chile Ministry of Health (MoH). Total deaths include probable deaths. Recovered cases are based on symptom onset date. Available at: <https://bit.ly/2KQ99Jw> and <https://bit.ly/3hJUtl>

Ecuador: Aggregated case total as reported by the Ecuador Ministry of Public Health (157251 positive by RT-PCR + 482184 by RDTs). To date, these RDTs are not recommended for use by WHO. The Ecuador Ministry of Public Health reports an additional 3738 'probable deaths' under investigation that are not included in this table. As of 2 August, as per the Ecuador Ministry of Public Health, recovered cases are those who have been admitted to the surveillance system with at least one positive RT-PCR test, have spent at least 29 days from the date of onset of symptoms, and are alive; this indicator will be provided every Sunday. Available at: <https://bit.ly/30m9mMS> and <https://bit.ly/3i8c2E5>

Guatemala: As of 19 July, recovered cases will include non-deceased cases for which 21 days have passed since the date of sample collection. Available at: <https://tablerocovid.mspas.gob.gt/>

Mexico: Recovered counts as reported by the Mexico MoH, as defined as all those positive for SARS-CoV-2 with a symptom onset date of more than 14 days, with no date of death, available at: <https://bit.ly/3bIOdz0>

Nicaragua: Please note there are discrepancies in the data published by the Citizen's Observatory COVID-19 Nicaragua as of 19 August (available at: <https://bit.ly/3iTyaCm>) as well as with a 19 August press conference (available at: <https://bit.ly/2YiVzp0>).

Peru: Aggregated case total as reported by the Peru MoH (155479 by RT-PCR + 474482 by RDTs). To date, these RDTs are not recommended for use by WHO.

Puerto Rico: Aggregated case total as reported by the Puerto Rico Department of Health (DoH); 14986 were positive by RT-PCR and 17564 were positive by serological tests. Total deaths include probable deaths. Available at: <https://bit.ly/2VvjksQ>