



## USVI Response Measures

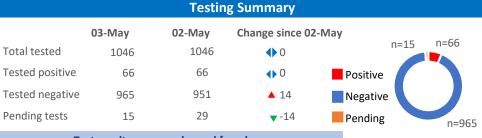
**1. Prevent, delay, and mitigate transmission**: Develop screening at ports of entry; provide best practices and guidance to organizations to reduce transmission; develop strategies for vulnerable populations.

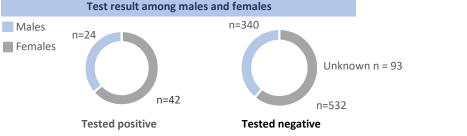
2. Conduct surveillance: Inform the response based on epidemiologic data; liaise with healthcare sector to identify cases and define clinical and transmission characteristics; operate epi hotline; track persons under investigation; perform contact tracing of cases; conduct follow-up sampling of cases; coordinate with lab.

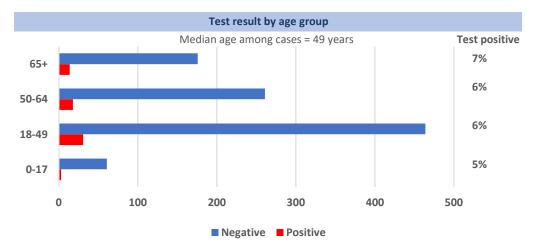
**3. Provide public health & safety messaging**: Develop communication strategy; build capacity with partners; provide daily report.

**4. Provide medical guidance**: Provide Infection Prevention and Control guidance related to healthcare personnel and health systems; provide guidance to clinicians on treatment and management of patients.

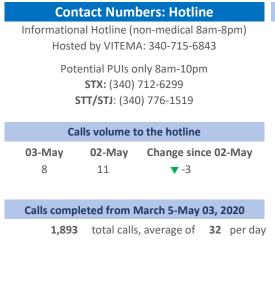
5. Conduct lab testing: Build laboratory testing capacity for VIDOH; explore external lab capacity; manage specimen collection and supplies.
6. Coordinate medical surge capacity: Assess resource needs and inventory resources (equipment, staff); develop a health and medical staffing strategy: prepare resource requests for material aid and staff (federal partner, EMAC, etc.); develop resource management, utilization, and prioritization plan.

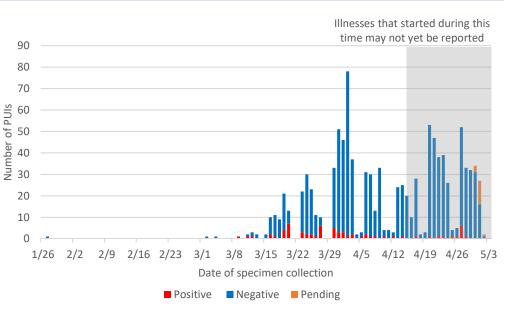




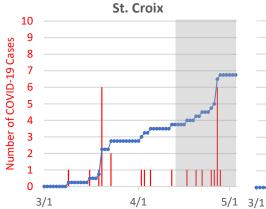


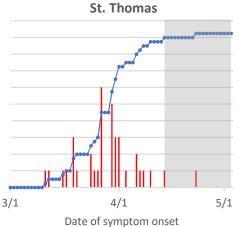
## Sample collection dates of persons under investigation for COVID-19 in the U.S. Virgin Islands

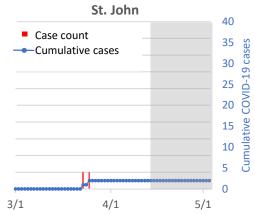




## Confirmed COVID-19 cases in the U.S. Virgin Islands, N=66







Current status of cases			
Active	11		
Recovered	51		
Fatality	4		

<b>Risk factors for transmission</b>				
Community transmission	18			
Close contact	25			
Travel	22			
Under investigation	1			

Clinical symptoms	n	%
Cough	43	65%
Fever*	42	64%
Shortness of breath	24	36%

\*Subjective fever or measured temp ≥100.4°F

St. Croix				
	03-May	02-May	Change since 02-May	
Positive	27	27	♦ 0	
Negative	565	557	▲ 8	
Pending	5	13	▼ -8	

Risk factors for transmission			
Community transmission	3		
Close contact	11		
Travel	12		
Under investigation	1		

St. Thomas & Water Island				
	03-May	02-May	Change since 02-May	
Positive	37	37	♦ 0	
Negative	373	367	<b>▲</b> 6	
Pending	9	15	▼ -6	

Risk factors for transmission		
Community transmission	15	
Close contact	14	
Travel	8	
Under investigation	0	

St. John				
	03-May	02-May	Change since 02-May	
Positive	2	2	♦ 0	
Negative	27	27	♦ 0	
Pending	1	1	• 0	

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

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