



VIDOH 2020 COVID-19 Response Report date: June 26, 2020



UNITED STATES VIRGIN ISLANDS
Department of Health

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:

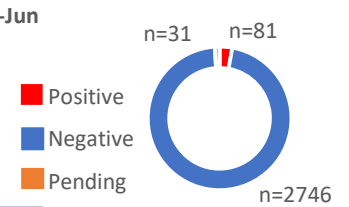
Provide Infection Prevention and Control guidance related to healthcare personnel and health systems; provide guidance to clinicians on treatment and management of patients.

5. Conduct lab testing: Build laboratory testing capacity for VIDOH; explore external lab capacity; manage specimen collection and supplies.

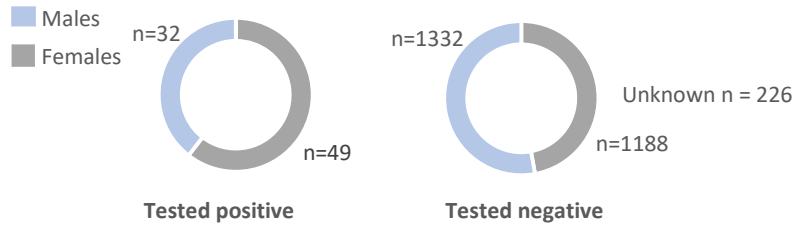
6. Coordinate medical surge capacity: Assess resource needs and inventory resources (equipment, staff); develop a health and medical staffing strategy; prepare resource requests for material aid and staff (federal partner, EMAC, etc); develop resource management, utilization, and prioritization plan.

Testing Summary

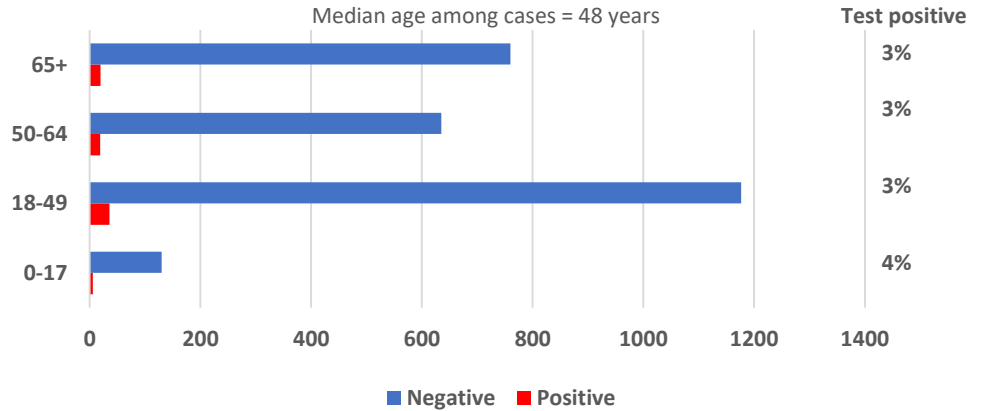
	26-Jun	25-Jun	Change since 25-Jun
Total tested	2858	2798	▲ 60
Tested positive	81	81	◀▶ 0
Tested negative	2746	2705	▲ 41
Pending tests	31	12	▲ 19



Test result among males and females



Test result by age group



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

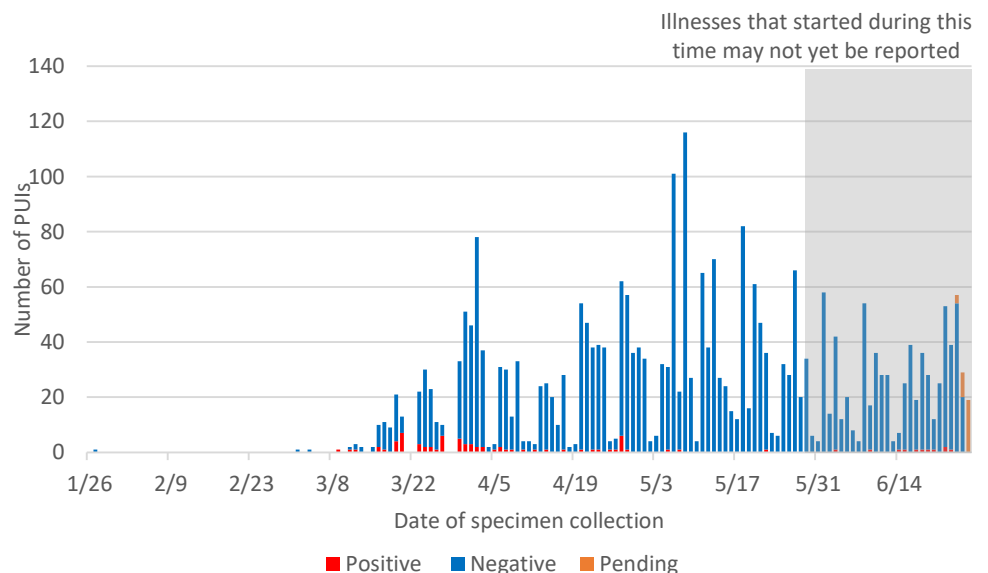
Calls volume to the hotline

26-Jun	25-Jun	Change since 25-Jun
32	45	▼ -13

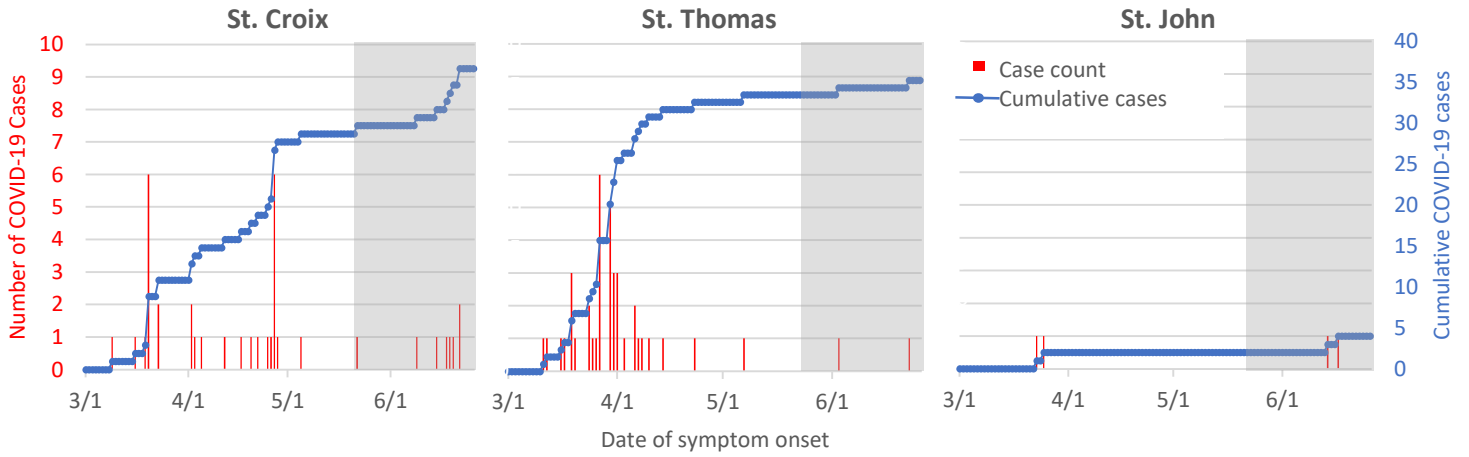
Calls completed from March 5-Jun 26, 2020

3168 total calls, average of 28 per day

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=81



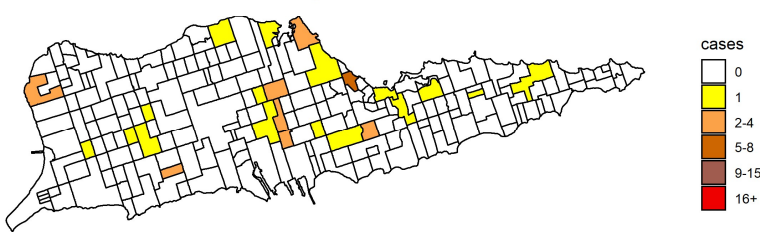
Current status of cases	
Active	4
Recovered	71
Fatality	6

Risk factors for transmission	
Community transmission	22
Close contact	30
Travel	29
Under investigation	0

Clinical symptoms	n	%
Cough	52	64%
Fever*	47	58%
Shortness of breath	28	35%

*Subjective fever or measured temp $\geq 100.4^{\circ}\text{F}$

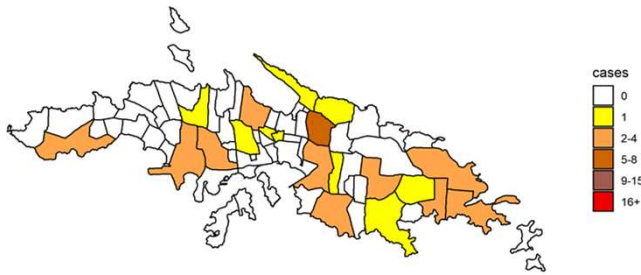
COVID-19 Confirmed Cases (37) St. Croix U.S. Virgin Islands



St. Croix			
	26-Jun	25-Jun	Change since 25-Jun
Positive	37	37	◀▶ 0
Negative	1469	1465	▲ 4
Pending	23	6	▲ 17

Risk factors for transmission	
Community transmission	6
Close contact	16
Travel	15
Under investigation	0

COVID-19 Confirmed Cases (40) St. Thomas U.S. Virgin Islands



As of June 25, 2020

St. Thomas & Water Island			
	26-Jun	25-Jun	Change since 25-Jun
Positive	40	40	◀▶ 0
Negative	1164	1130	▲ 34
Pending	8	6	▲ 2

Risk factors for transmission	
Community transmission	15
Close contact	14
Travel	11
Under investigation	0

COVID-19 Confirmed Cases (4) St. John U.S. Virgin Islands



St. John			
	26-Jun	25-Jun	Change since 25-Jun
Positive	4	4	◀▶ 0
Negative	113	110	▲ 3
Pending	0	0	◀▶ 0

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