**Covid-19 and Islands**

***Bay Islands, Honduras***

1. What actions are being taken to protect the island community from Covid 19? In particular, how are travel restrictions being put in place and enforced?

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| Respondent | Date  | Response |
| Donato Molina EbanksThegreenislandofguanaja@gmail.com | 22 March 2020 | * Total shutdown for civilian travellers, air and maritime.
* As of 22 March, only suppliers’ vessels have to authority to circulate to the mainland.
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1. What actions will be taken should people on the island have Covid 19?

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| Donato Molina EbanksThegreenislandofguanaja@gmail.com | 22 March 2020 | We have created areas away from the main hospital to attend to our infected population. |

1. What actions are being taken to ensure that essential goods and services are provided to the island community?

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| Donato Molina EbanksThegreenislandofguanaja@gmail.com | 22 March 2020 | * Wholesale store supplier can still deliver from mainland ports, so our shipping companies can provide us with goods. Within the islands it’s the same
* Stores are delivering to homes, to avoid concentration of people at one place.
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1. What actions are being taken to ensure that people working on the islands, not only in the tourism sector, are sustained financially in the short term and in the long term?

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| Donato Molina EbanksThegreenislandofguanaja@gmail.com | 14 May 2020 | At the moment the municipality is creating new alternatives for the tourism sector hiring Currently laid off tourist guides to visit business and homes door to door for the implementation of biosecurity protocols. |

1. What actions are being taken to ensure the mental well-being of people on the islands?

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| Donato Molina EbanksThegreenislandofguanaja@gmail.com | 14 May 2020 | We are being very creative doing as much at home in the garden, learnings, cooking, streaming on the web to Working out at home. |

1. If you consider it appropriate, feel free to share any data about people who have Covid 19 on your island and of people who, sadly, have passed away because of Covid 19.

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| Donato Molina EbanksThegreenislandofguanaja@gmail.com | 14 May 2020 | As of 14 May, no cases. |

1. If applicable, how are lockdown measures being relaxed?

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1. Is there anything else you want to share?

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