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## V.I. Dept. of Health Announces 30th Covid-19 Related Death in U.S. Virgin Islands

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ST. THOMAS — The V.I. Dept. of Health on Tuesday afternoon confirmed the 30th Covid-19 related death and the second in three days, with both victims being residents of St. Thomas.

"After further investigating cause of death and ensuring notification of next of kin, the Virgin Islands Department of Health is saddened to confirm the territory's thirtieth death related to Covid-19. The deceased is a 72-year old female on St. Thomas," D.O.H. made known in a release.

The department said it continues to work to slow the spread of Covid-19. "Please continue to follow these precautionary measures: practice social distancing, wear a mask when in company of others outside of those in your household, clean frequently used areas thoroughly, and wash your hands often with soap and warm water," D.O.H. said.

The department further stated that getting vaccinated against the virus can prevent severe illness and death. To schedule an appointment, call (340) 777-8227 or visit [covid19usvi.com/vaccines](https://covid19usvi.com/vaccines). Walk-ins are also accepted at our Community Vaccination Centers.

St. Croix's Community Vaccination Center is located at the Nissan Center on St. Croix which is in La Grande Princesse, adjacent to the Honda Dealership and The Paint Shop, on the same side of the street as Food Town.

On St. Thomas the Community Vaccination Center is located at the Community Health Clinic on the 2nd floor at the Schneider Regional Medical Center.

To report a suspected case of COVID-19, call (340) 712-6299 or (340) 776-1519. If you have a medical emergency, call 911. For more information, visit [covid19usvi.com](https://covid19usvi.com). For COVID- 19 updates, text COVID19USVI to 888777.