

Nov. 6, 2019- Medical and Rescue

- Medical Donation needs: Hydration Salts, Vitamins, Slings & Braces
- Day to day patients include Chronic Non-Communicable Diseases, Lacerations, stomach & headaches, puncture wounds, dehydration
- Get tetanus shots for scrapes and punctures
 - Tetanus should be renewed every 10 years but it can't hurt if renewed sooner
 - If you are unsure when your last tetanus shot was, get another
- Need to stress the importance of hydration and related symptoms
- Need to stress the importance of mental health
- Americares has a psychologist at the temporary clinic available to the public
- New arrivals to the island should bring mold safety and remediation supplies
- We received a donation of high concentration (35%) peroxide which needs to be diluted before use
 - Need information on proper ratio
 - Information needs to be given out with hydrogen peroxide at home depot distribution center
 - All important safety information needs to be distributed in english and creole
- Fire and Rescue is still low on manpower and resources
 - One operational fire truck
 - There is still a large fire hazard on island
 - Dry debris
 - Generators
 - Water Damaged electronics
- Project Hope is planning on coming to give first response and CPR course to 20 community members and 10 HTVFR volunteers
- Americares is at the temporary clinic to assist Nurse Glori where needed
 - They are present in Hope Town Monday, Wednesday and Friday
 - Visit Man-O-War during the day Tuesday, Thursday