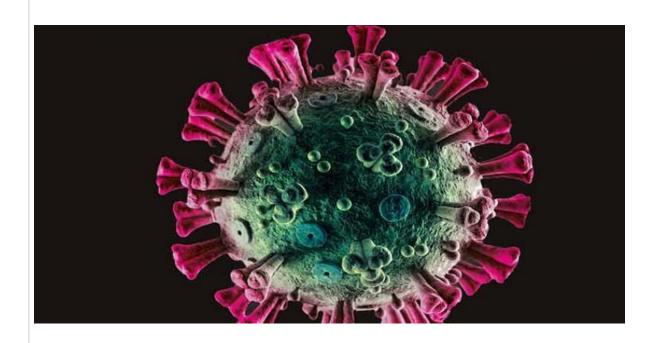
Cuba reports 73 new cases of COVID-19



Havana, October 1 (RHC)-- The National Director of Epidemiology of the Cuban Ministry of Public Health, Dr. Francisco Durán, reported 73 new cases of Covid19 during the last 24 hours for a total of 5 670 of since the beginning of the epidemic.

During the daily media briefing on Thursday, the specialist stated that 6669 patients had been admitted to the island's isolation centers and hospitals by the close of yesterday, of which 580 were confirmed cases.

On Wednesday, the island's molecular laboratories studied 7186 samples from all provinces.

Seventy-two cases were Cuban, and one was a foreign resident on the island, who had recently arrived from abroad. Seventy-two of the 73 cases were confirmed case contacts.

Of the diagnosed cases on Tuesday, 50 were from Ciego de Avila, 13 were from Sancti Spiritus, nine from Havana, and 1 case from Matanzas.

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