

OPERATIONALIZING EVENT BASED SURVEILLANCE IN SAINT LUCIA

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POSTERS TO PROMOTE COMMUNITY AWARENESS

If you see something unusual, call 311 NOW.

Event-Based Surveillance means we all play a role in public health.

- Two or more persons dying in the same community within a week?
- An illness with signs or symptoms never seen before in the community?
- Many people sick at once?
- Dead chickens or animals?

Just Call 311 – It's FREE, FAST & CONFIDENTIAL!

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Protect Your Livelihood. Report Unusual Events to 311!

Event-Based Surveillance Helps Farmers Stay Ahead of Threats.

Early warnings mean faster help and less loss.

- Sudden animal deaths or strange behavior in livestock/poultry?
- Unusual crop damage, pests, or plant disease?
- Sick fish or dead fish in ponds or coastal areas?
- Contaminated water or runoff after heavy rains?

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Your voice protects Saint Lucia's food security.

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See Something? Say Something! Protect Our Students. Call 311!

Event-Based Surveillance is a way to quickly report unusual health events: like many students getting sick at once, so we can stop outbreaks before they spread.

- More than 3 students absent with fever, vomiting or rash?
- Students or staff with sudden illness after a school meal?
- More students/teachers are missing school more than usual.

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No concern is too small. Be a Health Hero for your school!

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