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PRESS RELEASE

June 9, 2015 FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

Black River Hospital has Adequate Medication and Medical Sundries

The management of the Black River Hospital in St. Elizabeth says there is over a month's supply of medication and medical sundries including disinfectant and gloves at the hospital.

In the past, supplies have been low, however presently the supplies are adequate. The management team says it tries to preempt any kind of shortage while maintaining a good management of supplies.

The team explained that there are various stages of medical treatment in the Accident and Emergency department noting that sometimes persons are kept for observation to determine if they will be admitted or sent home.

The team added that though the hospital experiences an increase in its patient load from time to time, the staff continues to be vigilant in the management of the system.

The release is in reference to an article in the Jamaica Observer on Monday, June 8, titled, 'Black River Hospital under serious pressure says JLP caretaker'.

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