







### Change Notification UK National Blood Services No. 27 - 2014

# **Chikungunya Virus**

Applies to the Geographical Disease Risk Index (GDRI)

Please change the GDRI entries for the following areas:

#### 1. Haiti

Malaria Yes

All year in whole country

Malaria Risk Category A

Trypanasoma Cruzi Risk No

Sub Saharan Africa No

West Nile Virus Risk No

Chikungunya Virus Risk Yes

## 2. Tonga

**Malaria** No

Trypanasoma Cruzi Risk No

Sub Saharan Africa No

West Nile Virus Risk No

Chikungunya Virus Risk Yes









### 3. Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

**Malaria** No

Trypanasoma Cruzi Risk No

Sub Saharan Africa No

West Nile Virus Risk No

Chikungunya Virus Risk Yes

### 4. Puerto Rico

Malaria No

N.B. there is a Puerto Rico airport in Bolivia

Trypanasoma Cruzi Risk No

Sub Saharan Africa No.

West Nile Virus Risk No

Chikungunya Virus Risk Yes

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