

**Grant Assistance for Grass-Roots Human Security Project  
Handing Over Ceremony for  
The Project for the Provision of an Ambulance  
at the Falmouth Public General Hospital**

The handing over ceremony was held at Falmouth Public General Hospital, in Falmouth, Trelawny on Thursday February 27 , 2025. Purchased under our Grant Assistance for Grass-Roots Human Security Projects Programme, one new ambulance of amount USD 105,000 was officially handed over to the Falmouth Public General Hospital.

Charge d Affairs of the Embassy Mr. IKEDA representing the Ambassador who is in Japan now said that this ambulance will bring substantive benefits to the local people in the Cornwall and Middlesex regions. He firmly believe that the Jamaica-Japan friendship is truly people-oriented and promotes human security under our Official Development Assistance (ODA) policy.

This grant project intends to procure an ambulance to Falmouth Public General Hospital in order to improve emergency response and the medical service system in the western region of Jamaica.

Notable attendees included, Hon. Dr Christopher Tufton the Minister of Health and Wellness, CEO of the Falmouth Public General Hospital, Ms. Princess Wedderburn, Regional Director of the Western Regional Health Authority, Mr. Andrade Sinclair. Others officers from the Falmouth Public General Hospital, and other officials from the Ministry of Health and Wellness attended.



Keynote address from Charge d Affairs Mr. IKEDA



Greetings from The Minister of Health & Wellness Dr. the Hon Christopher Tufton



Opening Remarks from Mrs. Camille Waite Kerr



Vote of Thanks Falmouth Public General Hospital CEO MS, Wedderburn



Unveiling the new Ambulance



New ambulance inside