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**Cumulative COVID-19 Test Results: 109 New Cases, 28 Hospitalized;
 384th COVID-19-related Fatality Reported; Additional COVID-19 Updates**

COVID-19 Test Results: 109 New Cases Reported

Today, the Department of Public Health and Social Services (DPHSS) reported **109** new cases of COVID-19 from **1,401** specimens collected August 8, 2022. **Nineteen (19)** of the cases reported today are through the Department of Defense. To date, there have been a total of **56,226** officially reported cases, **384** deaths, **1,210** cases in active isolation, and **54,632** not in active isolation.

28 Hospitalized for COVID-19

CENSUS as of 4 p.m.	GMH	GRMC	USNH	TOTAL
COVID-19 Admission	15	10	3	28
Pediatric Admissions	1	-	-	1
ICU	0	1	0	1
Ventilator	0	0	0	0

VACCINATION STATUS	VACCINATED	UNVACCINATED	INELIGIBLE (Under 6 months old)
Hospitalized	18	10	0
Total in Population*	139,678	12,935	1,223
Rate per 100,000 Population	13	77	0

*SPECIAL NOTE: Based on today's data, if we were to compare two (2) hypothetical populations of 100,000 people each, vaccinated versus unvaccinated, there would be 13 vaccinated people hospitalized for COVID-19 compared to 77 unvaccinated people hospitalized for COVID-19. The risk of being hospitalized for COVID-19 is about 6 times higher for the unvaccinated as compared to the vaccinated. *Estimated population is based on DPHSS Immunization Program analysis of 2020 Census data. Updates are expected pending further Census 2020 data breakdown.*

384th COVID-19-related Fatality Reported

The Joint Information Center was notified that Guam’s 384th COVID-19-related fatality occurred at the Guam Regional Medical City on August 5, 2022. The patient was an 80-year-old female, fully vaccinated without a booster, with underlying health conditions, who tested positive on August 4.

“Josh, Jeff, and I send our prayers to her family and friends that they may find peace and comfort in their time of grief,” said Governor Lou Leon Guerrero. “We remain in this fight against COVID-19 and cannot let our efforts waiver. Please continue to keep your guard up by wearing your masks, washing your hands, and watching your distance. Most importantly, get vaccinated and boosted. Should you get sick with the virus, see your doctor and avail of the COVID treatments to get you better faster.”

DPHSS mAb Treatment Center Open at Paseo Stadium

Bebtelovimab, a monoclonal antibody (mAb) for the treatment of mild-to-moderate COVID-19

in adults and pediatric patients (12 years of age and older weighing at least 40 kilograms) is available at the DPHSS mAb treatment center at the Paseo Stadium in Hagåtña from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., and closes for lunch from 12 p.m. to 1 p.m., Monday through Saturday.

To schedule treatment at the DPHSS mAb treatment center, patients must call 671-998-4527 or 671-998-4547, have a current, laboratory confirmed COVID-19 infection and a referral from a prescribing physician. For more information about Bebtelovimab and other mAb treatment options on Guam, visit dphss.guam.gov/mab or dial 311 from a local number and select option 1 on weekdays from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. and on weekends and holidays from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

FREE COVID-19 COMMUNITY TESTING	
Fill out a COVID-19 Testing Patient Assessment Form ahead of time, available at dphss.guam.gov/covid-19-testing .	
Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday 8 a.m. - 11 a.m.	Old Carnival Grounds, Tiyan, Barrigada NO SYMPTOMS NEEDED TO TEST FOR COVID-19 Four adults per vehicle. Bring a photo ID. Travel-related testing will not be offered.
Tuesday & Thursday 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.	DPHSS Southern Region Community Health Center (SRCHC), Inaláhan By appointment only for individuals with COVID-like symptoms. Four adults per vehicle. Bring a photo ID. Travel-related testing not offered. Call (671) 828-7604/5/7518.
Monday - Saturday 9 a.m. by appointment	DPHSS Northern Region Community Health Center (NRCHC), Dededo By appointment only for individuals with COVID-like symptoms. Four adults per vehicle. Bring a photo ID. Call (671) 635-7525/6 to schedule an appointment.

FREE COVID-19 VACCINATION CLINICS	
FIRST, SECOND AND BOOSTER SHOTS AVAILABLE - Pfizer-BioNTech, Moderna, Johnson & Johnson	
Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.	Agana Shopping Center (2nd Floor) – AGES 5 YEARS & OLDER ONLY Walk-in service only. Registration for appointments is no longer offered. Bring proof of identity. Last sign-in is at 2:30 p.m. or while supplies last.
Monday - Thursday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Saturday: 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.	DPHSS Northern Region Community Health Center (NRCHC), Dededo Last vaccine will be administered 30 minutes before closing. Walk-ins welcome. Curbside vaccination available for people with disabilities.
Monday - Friday 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.	DPHSS Southern Region Community Health Center (SRCHC), Inaláhan Call (671) 828-7604/5/7518 to schedule an appointment. Last appointment is 30 minutes before closing. Priority is given to patients with appointments. Walk-ins welcome.
Saturday, Aug. 13 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.	Agana Shopping Center (2nd Floor) – 6 MONTHS TO 17 YEARS ONLY Walk-in service only. Registration for appointments is no longer offered. Bring proof of identity. Last sign-in is at 2:30 p.m. or while supplies last. Pediatricians will be available to answer questions from parents/guardians.

COVID-19 Vaccines for Children 6 Months and Older Available at DPHSS CHCs and on Saturday, August 13 at the Agana Shopping Center

The Moderna and the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccines are authorized for use in children from six months of age and older. In most children, the Moderna COVID-19 vaccine for children ages six months through five years will be a two-dose primary series with four to eight weeks between dose one and dose two. In most children, the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine for children ages six months through four years will be a three-dose primary series three to eight

weeks between dose one and dose two, and at least eight weeks between dose two and dose three.

COVID-19 vaccination for individuals ages six months and older is available at the DPHSS Northern Region Community Health Center in *Dededo*, and the DPHSS Southern Region Community Health Center in *Inalåhan*. Requirements for minors to receive the Moderna or Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine:

- Parent/legal guardian must provide minor's birth certificate
- Parent/legal guardian must have a government-issued photo identification
- Minor must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian
- Guardians must present legal guardianship or power-of-attorney documents

COVID-19 vaccination for individuals ages six months to 4 years of age is NOT available at the ASC vaccination clinic, except on days that are set aside for a special vaccination clinic for children.

DPHSS will hold a special COVID-19 vaccination clinic for all eligible children, 6 months and older, at the Agana Shopping Center from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Pediatricians will be available at the children's COVID-19 vaccination clinic to answer questions from parents/guardians.

Incentives Offered for COVID-19 Vaccination Series Completion and Boosters

A program administered by the government of Guam is providing incentives to individuals 12 years of age and older who maintain their COVID-19 vaccinations who are completing their last dose in primary series; OR receiving 1st Booster Dose OR 2nd Booster Dose. Eligible residents will be offered an incentive (alcohol and tobacco items excluded) *while supplies last*. **Gift certificates will only be offered at vaccination clinics at NRCHC, SRCHC, the Agana Shopping Center, and senior citizen outreach clinics, *while supplies last*.**

Guam COVID-19 Vaccination Update

As of August 8, 2022, **139,678** eligible residents (6 months and older) are fully vaccinated. This total includes **14,452** residents 12 – 17 years old. **8,935** residents 5 – 11 years old received their first dose of a two dose series. **7,286** residents 5 – 11 years old have completed their two-dose series. **102** residents 6 months – 4 years old have received their first dose of a two dose series. **67,948** eligible residents have received their first booster shots. **11,544** eligible residents have received their second booster shots.

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For the latest information on COVID-19, visit dphss.guam.gov or guamrecovery.com. For inquiries, contact 311 through a local number, or call the Joint Information Center at (671) 478-0208/09/10.