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49th COVID-19-Related Fatality Reported;
Cumulative Results: 45 Test Positive for COVID-19; Profiles of Confirmed Cases

COVID-19 test results are reported from multiple labs at varying times of the day. The Joint Information Center will report cumulative COVID-19 test results once a day, unless unavailable.

For information on COVID-19 cases, visit the COVID-19 Dashboard and Situation Report at <http://dphss.guam.gov/covid-19/>. The COVID-19 Dashboard is updated on business days.

49th COVID-19-Related Fatality Reported

The Joint Information Center was notified that Guam's 49th COVID-19-related fatality occurred at the Guam Memorial Hospital (GMH) at approximately 4:16 p.m. The patient was a 70-year-old male with underlying health conditions that were compounded by COVID-19. He was admitted to GMH on August 30 and was a known COVID case.

"With each passing, we are reminded just how fragile life can be. We should never take each day for granted. Let's take this time to reach out to family and loved ones to check up on them and see how they are doing. COVID-19 can be isolating, but we must remember that we are not alone," said Governor Lou Leon Guerrero. "To his family and friends, Jeff, Lt. Governor Josh, and I offer our deepest condolences. In this difficult time, I hope you find comfort from the outpouring of support from the community."

The Guam Behavioral Health and Wellness Center (GBHWC) has a Crisis Hotline that is available 24/7 at (671) 647-8833/4. For those feeling anxious, stressed, overwhelmed or are needing to talk to someone, GBHWC has experienced providers available and ready to assist the community with any heightened stress and anxiety experienced as a result of COVID-19.

Cumulative Results

To date, there have been a total of **2,488** officially reported cases of COVID-19 with **49** deaths, **617** cases in active isolation, and **1,822** not in active isolation. Of those cases, **2,215** are classified as civilians and **273** are military service members.

Forty-five (45) cases of COVID-19 were reported today to the Department of Public Health and Social Services (DPHSS). Forty-three (43) of those are confirmed cases, and two are probable cases. Of the 45 cases, 24 cases were identified through contact tracing.

The following breakdown provides cumulative COVID-19 test results reported to the Joint Information Center on Wednesday, September 30 and reflects results from Tuesday, September 29:

Laboratory	New Cases Reported on Wednesday, September 30	Samples Tested on Tuesday, September 29	Total Negative Tests (March 12 - September 30)	Total Reported Cases (March 12 - September 30, 2020)
Department of Public Health & Social Services (DPHSS) Guam Public Health Laboratory (GPHL)	24	156	25,226	1,186
Department of Defense (DoD)	3	72	6,832	466
Diagnostic Laboratory Services (DLS)	6	38	6,825	408
Guam Memorial Hospital Authority (GMHA) Laboratory	1	25	4,876	199
Guam National Guard (GUNG) Laboratory	0	0	17	0
Guam Regional Medical City (GRMC) Laboratory	1	56	2,737	124
Private Clinics	8	38	1,113	101
Other Laboratories	N/A	N/A	N/A	2
Probable Case	2	2	0	2
AS OF 10:50 PM, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2020	Total Confirmed: 45	Total Samples Tested: 387	Total Negative Tests: 47,626	Total COVID-19 Cases: 2,488

Profiles of Confirmed Cases

STATUS	MEDICAL STATUS	GENDER	RESIDENTIAL LOCATION	TRAVEL HISTORY ²	AGE GROUP
Civilian: 2,215 Military: 273	Stable: 592 Hospitalized ¹ : GMH: 25 ICU: 9 GRMC: 0 ICU: 0 Naval Hospital: 0 Released: 1,822 Deaths: 49	Female: 1,142 Male: 1,346	North: 1,322 Central: 688 South: 354 Homeless: 04 Non-resident: 68	Dubai: 02 Japan: 01 Philippines: 22 Singapore: 01 U.S.: 121 Mexico: 01 Identified in Quarantine ³ : 118	90+: 06 80-89: 28 70-79: 74 60-69: 206 50-59: 365 40-49: 371 30-39: 496 20-29: 587 10-19: 228 0-9: 127

¹Hospitalization rate is based on intake numbers reported to the JIC. This number may be subject to change.

²Some cases traveled to more than one country

³Includes home/self-quarantine and quarantine in a Government of Guam facility

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

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