



**Joint Information Center - JIC Release No. 583**  
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**Results: One of 410 Test Positive for COVID-19;**  
**Food Commodities Distribution Continues; COVID-19 Vaccination Schedule**

**Results: One New Case of COVID-19**

**One (1)** new case of COVID-19 was identified out of 410 tests performed on Wednesday, February 24.

To date, there have been a total of **7,730** officially reported cases of COVID-19 with **130** deaths, **41** cases in active isolation, and **7,559** not in active isolation.

<b>TODAY'S CAR SCORE<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>0.2</b>
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<sup>1</sup>The COVID Area Risk (CAR) Score accounts for the incidence of new cases, how well current testing identifies these cases, and the rate of spread. The ideal long-term goal is to sustain a CAR Score of 2.5 or less, which has been shown to correlate with very low to zero COVID-related hospitalizations and deaths.

The following tables provide COVID-19 test results reported to the JIC on Thursday, February 25, and reflects results from Wednesday, February 24:

COVID-19 CASE COUNT	TOTAL	NEW CASES REPORTED TODAY	PAST 7 DAYS
<b>COVID-19 CASES:</b>	<b>7,730</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>CONFIRMED CASES:</b>	<b>7,521</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>PROBABLE CASES:</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>

COVID-19 TESTING ON GUAM	TOTAL	NEW TESTS REPORTED TODAY	7-DAY % POSITIVE
<b>DIAGNOSTIC TESTS</b>	<b>126,141</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>1.2%</b>
<b>MOLECULAR TESTS</b>	<b>117,056</b>	<b>372</b>	<b>1.2%</b>
<b>ANTIGEN TEST</b>	<b>9,085</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>0.6%</b>
<b>SEROLOGY TESTS</b>	<b>352</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>33.3%</b>

<b>CASE BREAKDOWN</b>			
<b>STATUS</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>CURRENT ISOLATION LOCATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
COVID-19 Death	<b>130</b>	Hospital	<b>4</b>
Active Isolation	<b>41</b>	Home	<b>23</b>
Not In Isolation	<b>7,559</b>	Isolation Facility	<b>7</b>
Civilian	<b>7,339</b>	Military	<b>7</b>
Military Service Member	<b>391</b>		

COVID HOSPITAL CENSUS	Guam Memorial Hospital	Guam Regional Medical City	U.S. Naval Hospital	TOTAL
<b>COVID ADMISSION</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>

<b>IN ICU</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>ON VENTILATOR</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>

The following provides preliminary COVID-19 vaccinations reported to the JIC on Thursday, February 25, for vaccinations administered from December 17 to February 24:

Vaccine Maker	Total Doses Administered	1st Doses Administered	2nd Doses Administered	Individuals Fully Immunized
Pfizer-BioNTech	29,102	16,765	12,337*	12,337
Moderna	20,838	14,393**	6,445***	6,445
<b>TOTALS:</b>	<b>49,940</b>	<b>31,158</b>	<b>18,782</b>	<b>18,782</b>

\*Administering second doses of Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccinations began on January 4, 2021.

\*\*Administering first doses of Moderna COVID-19 vaccinations began on January 8, 2021.

\*\*\*Administering second doses of Moderna COVID-19 vaccinations began on January 29, 2021.

Total Doses Administered	Total Doses Allotted	% Administered	Doses Remaining
<b>49,940<sup>^</sup></b>	<b>51,300<sup>^^</sup></b>	<b>97.35%</b>	<b>1,360</b>

<sup>^</sup>As of February 24, 2021 | <sup>^^</sup>Reflects the previous allocation total of 43,500 and last received allocation of 7,800 on February 7, 2021

### Food Commodities Distribution Continues

The Guam Department of Education (GDOE), State Agency for the Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP) under the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Food Nutrition Service (FNS), continues food commodities distribution in partnership with community organizations. Commodities are provided, in bags and in bulk, to community organizations. Organizations will distribute food commodities directly to their clients/families/households. Organizations will receive an array of non-perishable food commodities.

The following is a schedule of food commodities to be picked up by organizations:

Pick-up/ Delivery Date	Organization	Distribution Method	No. of Bags / Bulk Issued
Friday, Feb. 26	Westcare Pacific Islands	Food commodities will be provided, in bags or in bulk, to organizations. The organizations will distribute food commodities directly to their clients/ families/households.	114
	Salvation Army		300

### VILLAGE-BASED COVID-19 VACCINATION SCHEDULE

DATE	TIME	VACCINE MAKE	LOCATION
Friday, Feb. 26	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	<b>Pfizer-BioNTech (Dose 1 &amp; 2)</b> Limited to 100 doses	Barrigada Community Center

**PHASE 1a/1b/1c – CATEGORY:** Healthcare workers; local and federal law enforcement personnel; School-based employees and Childcare Center employees; adults 55 years and older; Mayors' Council of Guam (limited to mayors, vice mayors, and mayoral staff); funeral homes, mortuary, and cemetery staff; service providers contracted with the DPHSS Division of Senior Citizens providing direct patient or client care such as transportation for medical appointments, homebound meals, in-home services, caregiver services, case management, shelter care, adult daycare, and other direct services; and others who are due for dose two of the vaccine. **Upon arrival, individuals 70 years and older will be sent to the front of the line.**

**Village-Based COVID-19 Vaccination Clinics Scheduled for Feb. 26**

DPHSS, in partnership with MCOG, and GDOE, continues village-based COVID-19 vaccination clinics on Friday, February 26 at the Barrigada Community Center. Village-based COVID-19 vaccination clinic hours are scheduled from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Although walk-ins are accepted, eligible village residents are encouraged to register with their respective mayor’s office. Up to 100 doses will be administered at this clinic location.

<b>COVID-19 HOMEBOUND VACCINATION SCHEDULE</b>			
DATE	TIME	VACCINE MAKE	LOCATION
Friday, Feb. 26	8 a.m. - 5 p.m.	<b>Pfizer-BioNTech (Dose 1 &amp; 2)</b>	Barrigada

**Homebound Vaccination Continues February 26**

DPHSS, in partnership with MCOG, and GDOE, continues homebound vaccinations for those who pre-registered with their respective village mayors and met the eligibility criteria. Homebound vaccinations are scheduled from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Friday, February 26 in Barrigada.

<b>UNIVERSITY OF GUAM COVID-19 VACCINATION SCHEDULE</b>			
DATE	TIME	VACCINE MAKE	LOCATION
Friday, Feb. 26	1 p.m. – 7 p.m.	<b>PRIORITY:</b> <b>Moderna (Dose 2)</b> <b>Pfizer-BioNTech (Dose 2)</b> <b>Pfizer-BioNTech (Dose 1)</b> Limited to 60 doses per hour	UOG Fieldhouse, Mangilao <b>Eventbrite is SOLD OUT. Eligible walk-ins will be accepted at a limited hourly rate.</b>

**PHASE 1a/1b/1c – CATEGORY:** Healthcare workers; local and federal law enforcement personnel; School-based employees and Childcare Center employees; adults 55 years and older; Mayors' Council of Guam (limited to mayors, vice mayors, and mayoral staff); funeral homes, mortuary, and cemetery staff; service providers contracted with the DPHSS Division of Senior Citizens providing direct patient or client care such as transportation for medical appointments, homebound meals, in-home services, caregiver services, case management, shelter care, adult daycare, and other direct services; and others who are due for dose two of the vaccine. **Upon arrival, individuals 70 years and older will be sent to the front of the line.**

**COVID-19 Vaccination Schedule for February 26 at UOG Fieldhouse**

COVID-19 vaccination clinic continues Friday, February 26 at the UOG Fieldhouse. These clinics will prioritize those due for their second dose of the Pfizer-BioNTech or Moderna vaccine. Those due for their second dose of the vaccine may get their second dose up to four (4) days early. Due to limited supply, Pfizer-BioNTech first doses will be limited to 60 per hour for eligible individuals. No first doses of the Moderna vaccine will be administered.

Walk-ins wishing to avoid long wait times are discouraged from arriving at the 1 p.m. hour. Average wait times during this hour are generally 2-3 times longer than those later in the afternoon or early evening.

Upon arrival, individuals 70 years and older will be sent to the front of the line. Please bring a digital or hard copy appointment confirmation, a photo ID, and proof of Guam residency (Guam Driver's License, Guam ID, Green Card, US or FSM Passport, H1B or H2B visas for skilled workers). Those due for their second dose are reminded to bring their COVID-19 immunization card. This ensures quicker processing and proper documentation.

### **February 27 Vaccination Clinic to be Rescheduled**

As the island continues toward achieving herd immunity, global demand for the vaccine will affect supply levels, which may affect vaccination clinics. Limited supply for the remainder of the month will result in the postponement of the vaccination clinic scheduled for Saturday, February 27, at the UOG Fieldhouse. Affected individuals may receive a call from the UOG Call Center on behalf of DPHSS, informing them of the clinic postponement. Once vaccine supply is restored, additional vaccination clinics will be scheduled and announced to ensure these individuals complete their vaccination series.

Those who anticipated receiving their second dose of the Pfizer-BioNTech vaccine on Saturday, February 27, are encouraged to proceed to the vaccination clinic scheduled for Friday, February 26 at the UOG Fieldhouse.

Short-term deferral of the second dose will not decrease the effectiveness of the COVID-19 vaccine, nor will affected individuals be required to restart the vaccination series. According to the [U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention \(CDC\)](#), the second dose should be administered as close to the recommended interval as possible. The CDC further states that if it is not feasible to adhere to the recommended interval and a delay in vaccination is unavoidable, the second dose of Pfizer-BioNTech and Moderna COVID-19 vaccines may be administered up to 6 weeks (42 days) after the first dose.

### **Enrolled Provider List for COVID-19 Vaccinations**

In addition to mass vaccination clinics held at the UOG Fieldhouse, eligible Guam residents may contact any of the participating enrolled providers to receive the COVID-19 vaccine:

#### **COVID-19 ENROLLED PROVIDERS<sup>+</sup>**

Adult Health Care Clinic   647-5546	The Doctors Clinic   649-5018
Guam Behavioral Health & Wellness Center   647-0347	Guam Seventh Day Adventist Clinic   646-8881
<b>COVID-19 vaccination clinic occurs every Thursday. Eligible clients/residents identified in vaccine priority groups must schedule an appointment for vaccination.</b>	Tumon Medical Office   649-5052
IHP Medical Group   633-4447	Cancer Center of Guam   647-4656
American Medical Center   647-8262	HagatnaMED Clinic   475-6500
Guam Memorial Hospital Authority   647-2555 Limited to GMH employees and eligible patients at discharge	United Family Clinic   645-8359
Rexall Drugs   646-4827	FHP Health Center   646-5825
Guam Regional Medical City   645-5500	Health Services of the Pacific   647-5355

Public and private clinics and pharmacies may become enrolled providers after first agreeing to participate in the DPHSS vaccination program. Enrolled providers must meet federal storage and handling requirements for COVID-19 vaccines as established by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), designate staff to complete CDC online training and certification courses, and enroll to report vaccine administration through DPHSS Immunization Registry to meet CDC reporting requirements. Enrolled providers will continue to receive COVID-19 vaccination allocations from DPHSS monthly if the island's vaccination allocation supply permits and if they continue to uphold these requirements.

### **Pre-screening Eligibility for COVID-19 Vaccinations**

To take the COVID-19 vaccine, you must meet the following pre-screening eligibility criteria\*:

- Must not be currently infected with COVID-19 or previously exposed within the last 14 days
- Must not have received any other vaccine, such as the flu shot, in the last 14 days

\*Please note: If this is your first time receiving the COVID-19 vaccine, please make sure you have never taken other COVID-19 vaccine products. Please visit [dphss.guam.gov](https://dphss.guam.gov) to view the pre-screening eligibility.

### **V-Safe Vaccine Symptom Monitoring**

After receiving the COVID-19 vaccine, register for v-safe, offered by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). V-safe is a smartphone-based tool that uses text messaging and web surveys to provide personalized health check-ins. You can quickly report side effects, and depending on your answers, you may receive a call from CDC. V-safe will remind you to get your second dose of the COVID-19 vaccine. Sign up at [vsafe.cdc.gov](https://vsafe.cdc.gov).

### **GBHWC Crisis Hotline**

The Guam Behavioral Health and Wellness Center (GBHWC) has a Crisis Hotline 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.

For the latest information on COVID-19, visit [dphss.guam.gov](https://dphss.guam.gov) or [guamrecovery.com](https://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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