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DPHSS Issues Guidance Memo 2021-09 Revision 1; Twelve of 253 Test Positive for COVID-19; COVID-19 Vaccination and Testing Schedule

DPHSS Issues Guidance Memo 2021-09 Revision 1

Today, the Department of Public Health and Social Services (DPHSS) issued <u>DPHSS Guidance Memo 2021-09 Revision 1</u>, relative to additional guidance pursuant to Governor Leon Guerrero's <u>Executive Order 2021-16</u>, relative to additional guidance for social distancing for In-Class Operations for K-12 Schools.

All In-Class Operating Plans for Schools must be emailed to dphss.guam.gov. If plans have previously been submitted, such plans must be resubmitted in accordance with the minimum requirements set forth in this DPHSS Guidance Memorandum.

The purpose of DPHSS Guidance Memo 2021-09 Revision 1 is to provide further clarification for schools adopting the two and a half (2.5) feet to three (3) feet physical distancing for in-class operations for K-12 Schools. In addition, layered mitigation strategies to help prevent and control COVID-19 transmission in schools include:

- Universal and Correct Use of Masks
- Physical Distancing
- Cleaning and Disinfection
- Ventilation
- Handwashing and Respiratory Etiquette
- Food Service and School Meals
- Sports and Extracurricular Activities
- Screening Testing
- Staying Home When Sick and Getting Tested
- Testing and Contact Tracing in Combination with Isolation and Quarantine
- Transportation
- Promoting COVID-19 Vaccination Among Eligible Individuals in the Schools

Schools are encouraged to post signs at the entrance and throughout the facility that promote behaviors that prevent the spread of COVID-19.

To view <u>DPHSS Guidance Memo 2021-09 Revision 1</u> in its entirety, CLICK <u>HERE</u>. For further questions regarding Guidance Memo 2021-18, contact the DPHSS at 300-9579 or 922-2562 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Results: Twelve New Cases of COVID-19

Twelve new cases of COVID-19 were identified out of **253** tests performed on July 29. **Six** (6) cases were identified through contact tracing. To date, there have been a total of **8,541** officially reported cases of COVID-19 with **143** deaths, **60** cases in active isolation, and **8,338** not in active

isolation. The CAR Score is 0.5.

COVID-19 Vaccination Schedule

COVID-19 vaccination clinics continue at the locations and times below. Bring a photo ID. Those due for their second dose are reminded to bring their COVID-19 immunization card. To view the complete schedule of COVID-19 vaccination clinics, visit dphss.guam.gov/vaccinategu. Minors must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian and provide government-issued identification to validate age. Minor's birth certificate is acceptable. Parent/legal guardian must have a government-issued ID. Guardians must also present legal guardianship or power-of-attorney document.

UOG FIELD HOUSE COVID-19 VACCINATION CLINIC					
Saturday, July 31	10 a.m - 5:30 p.m.	UOG Field House, Mangilao Register at tinyurl.com/vaxguam Vaccines: Pfizer-BioNTech, Moderna, Johnson & Johnson Bring appointment confirmation and proof of identity. Online appointments for COVID-19 vaccinations begin at 12 p.m. Walk-ins welcome.			
	11 a.m 6 p.m.	Micronesia Mall, 2nd Floor, above Center Court Vaccines: Pfizer-BioNTech, Moderna, Johnson & Johnson Bring appointment confirmation and proof of identity. Bring appointment confirmatio and proof of identity. Walk-ins welcome.			
COMMUNITY COVID-19 VACCINATION CLINIC					
Monday, Aug. 2	9 a.m 12 p.m.	DPHSS Northern Region Community Health Center, Dededo Vaccines: Pfizer-BioNTech, Moderna, Johnson & Johnson Call (671) 635-4418/7400 to schedule an appointment. Walk-ins welcome.			
Tuesday, Aug. 3 - Wednesday, Aug. 4	9 a.m 12 p.m.	DPHSS Southern Region Community Health Center, Inalåhan Vaccines: Pfizer-BioNTech, Moderna, Johnson & Johnson Call (671) 828-7604/5/7518 to schedule an appointment. Walk-ins welcome.			

Free COVID-19 Testing Schedule

COVID-19 community testing continues from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. every Tuesday at the old carnival grounds in Tiyan, Barrigada. No symptoms are needed to qualify for testing. Bring a photo ID. Results available onsite. Testing for travel purposes will **not** be conducted at these community testing sites. Call the DPHSS Northern Region Community Health Center at (671) 635-7525/6 to schedule an appointment for COVID-19 testing for travel. Priority is given to patients under investigation, identified close contacts, and those traveling for medical purposes. Only four (4) people per vehicle are allowed to be tested.

COVID-19 COMMUNITY TESTING SCHEDULE						
Tuesday, August 3	9 a.m. – 12 p.m., first-come, first-served	Old Carnival Grounds, Tiyan, Barrigada				

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



GUAM COVID-19 UPDATE

JIC Release No. 738 Supplemental - Data as of July 29, 2021 COVID AREA RISK (CAR) SCORE: 0.5

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CASE COUNT TOTAL		TODAY		PAST 7 DAYS	
COVID-19 CASES	8,541	12		40	
CONFIRMED	8,271	12		39	
PROBABLE	270	0		1	
TESTING	TOTAL	TODAY 7		% POSITIVE	
DIAGNOSTIC	189,228	253		2.1%	
MOLECULAR	175,392	251		2.2%	
ANTIGEN	13,836	2		0.7%	
SEROLOGY	393	0		0%	
STATUS TOTAL		ISOLATION LOCATION		TOTAL	
COVID-19 Death	143	Hospital		2	
Active Isolation	60	Ho	ome	19	
Not In Isolation	8,338	Isolation Facility		6	
Civilian	8,043	Mili	itary	33	
Military	498				
CENSUS	GMH	GRMC	USNH	TOTAL	
COVID ADMISSION	1	1	0	2	
IN ICU	0	0	0	0	
ON VENTILATOR	0	0	0	0	
Vaccine/Vaccinator	1st Doses	2nd Doses	Fully Imm	unized	
Pfizer-BioNTech	62,927	58,937	58,93	58,937	
Moderna	30,486	29,361	29,361		
Johnson & Johnson Jansse	n -	-	3,57	3,578	
Department of Defense			10,16	10,163	
Guam National Guard			741		
TOTALS:	88,298	102,780 - 12 years & older (96,102 - Adults 18 years & older)			

Total Allotted

233,450

% Administered

79.37%

Doses Remaining

48,161

Private GovGuam Total Administered

185,289