



Joint Information Center - JIC Release No. 911
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**COVID-19 Test Results: 210 New Cases, 11 Hospitalized;
 After-School COVID-19 Vaccination Clinics Begin Tomorrow**

DON'T WAIT UNTIL IT'S TOO LATE.

Look for emergency warning signs for COVID-19. Seek emergency medical care immediately or call 911 if you have trouble breathing, persistent pain or pressure in the chest, new confusion, inability to wake or stay awake, or bluish lips or face. Individuals who are sick are advised to:

- Stay home, except to seek medical care. Call ahead before visiting the clinic/doctor.
- Monitor for symptoms of COVID-19 including fever, cough, and shortness of breath, fatigue, body aches, headaches, loss of taste or smell, sore throat, congestion, nausea and/or diarrhea.
- Get tested if you have symptoms of COVID-19. While waiting for test results, you should stay away from others, including staying apart from those living in your household.

Eleven Hospitalized for COVID-19

CENSUS as of 5 p.m.	GMH	GRMC	USNH	TOTAL
COVID-19 Admission	9	1	1	11
Pediatric Admissions	0	-	-	0
ICU	0	0	0	0
Ventilator	0	0	0	0

VACCINE STATUS	VACCINATED	UNVACCINATED	INELIGIBLE (0-4 years old)
Hospitalized	8	3	0
Total in Population*	129,791	11,816	12,229
Rate per 100,000 Population	6	25	8

*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 6 vaccinated people hospitalized for COVID-19 compared to 25 unvaccinated people hospitalized for COVID-19. The risk of being hospitalized for COVID-19 is about 4 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.*

COVID-19 Test Results: 210 New Cases of COVID-19

Today, the Department of Public Health and Social Services (DPHSS) reported **210** new cases of COVID-19 from **1,393** tests run on January 3, 2022. **Forty-five (45)** cases were identified through contact tracing. To date, there have been a total of **19,899** officially reported cases, **273** deaths, **620** cases in active isolation, and **19,006** not in active isolation. The CAR Score is **22.2**.

After-school COVID-19 Vaccination Clinics Begin Tomorrow

DPHSS, in partnership with the Guam Department of Education (GDOE), will begin after-school vaccination clinics open to the community this week. All eligible students, with parental consent, are encouraged to get vaccinated against COVID-19.

AFTER-SCHOOL COVID-19 VACCINATION CLINICS (AGES 5 AND OVER)

Jan. 5, 2022: 3 p.m. - 6 p.m.	Machananao Elementary School Walk-ins welcome. Minors must have birth certificate, parents must have government-issued photo ID.
Jan. 6, 2022: 3 p.m. - 6 p.m.	Astumbo Elementary School Walk-ins welcome. Minors must have birth certificate, parents must have government-issued photo ID.

FREE COVID-19 COMMUNITY TESTING
For more information, visit dphss.guam.gov/covid-19-testing.

Jan. 5 – 8, 2022	8 a.m. - 11 a.m.	Old Carnival Grounds, Tiyan, Barrigada Rapid COVID-19 testing will be offered on a first-come, first-served basis while supplies last. Four per vehicle. No symptoms are needed. Bring a photo ID. Travel-related testing will not be offered.
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Fill out a [COVID-19 Testing Patient Assessment Form](#) ahead of time, available at dphss.guam.gov/covid-19-testing. Individuals waiting for COVID-19 test results must quarantine at home until cleared by DPHSS. Test results are available via email by sending a request to covidresults@dphss.guam.gov.

COVID-19 Booster Shot Eligibility

Adolescents 16 and 17 years of age who received a Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine (first two doses) are eligible for a single booster shot at least 6 months or more after their initial series. At this time, only the Pfizer-BioNTech booster vaccine is authorized and recommended for adolescents aged 16 and 17.

FREE COVID-19 VACCINATION CLINICS (AGES 5 AND OVER)
Pfizer-BioNTech, Moderna, Johnson & Johnson

Jan. 5–8, 2022: 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.	DPHSS Northern Region Community Health Center, Dededo Call (671) 635-4418/7400 to schedule an appointment. Last appointment is 30 minutes before closing. Walk-ins welcome. Curbside vaccination available for people with disabilities. Register at tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme
Jan. 5–8, 2022: 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.	DPHSS Southern Region Community Health Center, Inalåhan Call (671) 828-7604/5/7518 to schedule an appointment. Last appointment is 30 minutes before closing. Walk-ins welcome. Curbside vaccination available for people with disabilities.
Jan. 5–15, 2022: Mon. - Wed., Fri: 11 a.m. - 5p.m. Sat.: 11 a.m. - 7 p.m.	University of Guam Field House, Mangilao Register at tinyurl.com/vaxguam Walk-ins are welcome, but appointments will be expedited. Please bring appointment confirmation and proof of identity. Last appointment is 30 minutes before closing.

Guam COVID-19 Vaccination Update

As of January 3, 2022, a total of **129,791** of Guam’s eligible population (residents 5 years and older) is fully vaccinated. This total includes **12,630** residents 12 – 17 years old. **4,866** residents 5 – 11 years old received their first dose of the Pfizer-BioNTech two dose series. **2,887** residents 5 – 11 years old have completed their two-dose series. An additional **351** residents received their booster shots and a total of **39,944** booster shots have been administered to eligible residents since September 29, 2021.

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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.