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COVID-19 Updates: 64 Hospitalized; Preliminary Test Results 31 New Cases

64 Hospitalized for COVID-19

CENSUS as of 7 p.m	Guam Memorial Hospital	Guam Regional Medical City	U.S. Naval Hospital	TOTAL
COVID-19 Admission	33	26	5	64
ICU	9	4	1	14
Ventilator	8	1	1	10
Vaccination Status	20 UNVACCINATED	17 UNVACCINATED	UNAVAILABLE	37 UNVACCINATED

Preliminary COVID-19 Test Results: 31 New Cases

Today, the Department of Public Health and Social Services (DPHSS) reported a preliminary case count of **31** new cases of COVID-19 from **383** specimens analyzed on September 24. Additional results are pending analysis and submission from other clinics and will be reported on Monday, September 27. To date, there have been a total of **14,279** officially reported cases, **184** deaths, **3,090** cases in active isolation, and **11,005** not in active isolation. As of September 24, the CAR Score is **25.7**.

Two GDOE Employees Test Positive for COVID-19

Today, the Guam Department of Education (GDOE) confirmed positive cases for COVID-19 involving **two** employees. The employee cases were identified at the George Washington High School and Southern High School In collaboration with DPHSS, GDOE has identified and notified individuals who may have been in contact with the index case in order to schedule testing. Tested individuals will remain in quarantine until they are cleared by DPHSS to return to campus. Cleaning and disinfecting of the campuses are taking place to ensure the facilities are ready for regular hours of operation.

Guam COVID-19 Vaccination Update

As of September 24, 31 additional residents received their first dose in a two-dose series, 5 residents received their dose in the single-dose series, and an additional 86 residents have become fully vaccinated. To date, a total of 117,997 (86.58%) of Guam's eligible population (residents 12 years and older) is fully vaccinated. This percentage includes 10,318 fully vaccinated residents between the ages of 12 – 17, and 107,692 fully vaccinated adults.

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.