

Joint Information Center - JIC Release No. 744 August 6, 2021, 6:40 p.m. (ChST)

# Governor Leon Guerrero Signs Executive Order No. 2021-17; Twenty-one of 516 Test Positive for COVID-19; Two GDOE Employees Test Positive for COVID-19; COVID-19 Vaccination and Testing Schedule; SNAP Supplemental Emergency Allotment (EA) Issuances for August 2021; Food Commodities Distribution Continues

## Governor Leon Guerrero Signs Executive Order No. 2021-17

Today, Governor Lou Leon Guerrero signed <u>Executive Order No. 2021-17</u>, relative to requiring Government of Guam Employees in the executive branch to vaccinate against COVID-19, and orders such that:

- EFFECTIVE MONDAY, AUGUST 9, 2021: all workers of the executive branch line agencies of the government of Guam shall be required to receive one of the three authorized COVID-19 vaccines. Workers shall be fully vaccinated with either a single shot of the Johnson & Johnson or the two shot Pfizer or Moderna series no later than September 24, 2021.
- In the event a worker declines to receive a COVID-19 vaccination or provide proof of such vaccination, they will be required to test for COVID-19 with a PCR or antigen test once weekly. Non-exempt workers are required to vaccinate or submit to weekly testing as provided herein, or they shall be subject to disciplinary procedures.

To view Executive Order No. 2021-17 in its entirety, CLICK HERE.

## The community is reminded to remain vigilant:

- Wear your mask. Wash your hands. Watch your distance.
- Get vaccinated. Tune into local media and the latest JIC releases for vaccine availability.
- Stay home if you are sick, keep away from others who are sick.
- Keep a safe distance of at least 6 feet from others who are not in your household.
- Practice social distancing around elderly family members.
- Businesses and services may implement more stringent COVID-19 measures as they see fit, such as physical barriers, social distancing, and limited occupancy.

## **Results: 21 New Cases of COVID-19**

**Twenty-one (21)** new cases of COVID-19 were identified out of **516** tests performed on August 5. **Three (3)** cases were identified through contact tracing. **One (1)** case reported recent travel history and was identified in quarantine. To date, there have been a total of **8,673** officially reported cases of COVID-19 with **143** deaths, **160** cases in active isolation – inclusive of 4 hospitalized cases with 1 hospitalized case receiving ICU-level care, and **8,370** not in active isolation. **The CAR Score is 5.4**.

# Two GDOE Employees Test Positive for COVID-19

Today, the Guam Department of Education (GDOE) confirmed two separate cases of COVID-19, one being an employee at Tiyan Central Office and the other an employee at John F. Kennedy High School. In collaboration with the DPHSS, the GDOE has identified and notified close contacts, all of whom will remain in quarantine until they are cleared by DPHSS to return to school. Areas have been cleaned and disinfected in preparation for regular hours of operation on Monday, August 9.

# **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 <u>dphss.guam.gov/vaccinategu</u>. 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.

COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER COVID-19 VACCINATION CLINICS					
Monday, Aug. 9	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. 10 Wednesday, Aug 11		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.			
MICRONESIA MALL COVID-19 VACCINATION CLINIC					
Saturday, Aug. 7	11 a.m 6 p.m.	Micronesia Mall, 2nd Floor, Above Center Court, Dededo Register at tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme Vaccines: Pfizer-BioNTech, Moderna, Johnson & Johnson Bring appointment confirmation and proof of identity. Last appointment at 6 p.m. 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 10	9 a.m. – 12 p.m., first-come, first-served	Old Carnival Grounds, Tiyan, Barrigada		

## SNAP Supplemental Emergency Allotment (EA) Issuances for August 2021

SNAP Supplemental Emergency Allotment for August 2021 will be released on August 20, 2021. The benefits will be electronically loaded into the SNAP recipients' EBT cards.

Recipients who have any questions or need additional information may contact:

- BES North (Dededo) at 635-7488/7484/7439/7396/7429
- BES Central (RAN-Care) at 300-8853/8854/8850/8865

# **Food Commodities Distribution Continues**

The Guam Department of Education, State Agency for the Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP) under the U.S. Department of Agriculture Food Nutrition Service distribution will be available to village constituents only on a first-come, first-served basis. A limit of three households per vehicle will be serviced at distributions. Face masks must be worn. Bring a photo ID.

Date	Location	Distribution Method	# of Bags
Thursday, Aug. 12	Ordot/Chalan Pago	Drive-thru distribution will be held from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Ordot/Chalan Pago Community Center, for Ordot/Chalan Pago constituents only, while supplies last. For more information, contact the Ordot/Chalan Pago Mayor's Office at 472-8302/3/7173.	350
	Agat	Drive-thru distribution will begin at 1 p.m. at the Agat Community Center, for Agat constituents only, while supplies last. For more information, contact the Agat Mayor's Office at 565-2524.	400
Friday, Aug. 13	Sinajana	Distribution will be from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. at the Sinajana gymnasium, for Sinajana constituents only, while supplies last. Bring your reusable bags to gather the commodities (4-6 persons at a time). Drive-thru will not be available as the items are not prepacked. For more information, contact the Sinajana Mayor's Office at 472-6707 or 472-3323.	450
	Agana Heights	Drive-thru distribution will be from 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Agana Heights Mayor's Office, for Agana Heights constituents only, while supplies last. Bring your reusable bags to receive the food commodities as the items are not prepacked. For more information, contact the Agana Heights Mayor's Office at 472-6393/8285/6.	300

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.

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# **GUAM COVID-19 UPDATE**

JIC Release No. 744 Supplemental - Data as of August 5, 2021 COVID AREA RISK (CAR) SCORE: 5.4

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CASE COUNT	TOTAL	TODAY	PA	PAST 7 DAYS	
COVID-19 CASES	8,673	21	IKC	132	
CONFIRMED 8,389		20 118		118	
PROBABLE					
TESTING TOTAL		TODAY 7-DAY % POSI		% POSITIVE	
DIAGNOSTIC 192,483		516		5.0%	
MOLECULAR 178,434		513		4.9%	
ANTIGEN	14,049	3			
SEROLOGY	393	0		0%	
STATUS	STATUS TOTAL		OCATION	TOTAL	
COVID-19 Death	143	Hospi	tal	4	Y
Active Isolation 160		Home		71	
Not In Isolation	8,370	Isolation F	acility	12	
Civilian	8,132	Military		73	
Military	541				
CENSUS	GMH	GRMC	USNH	TOTAL	
COVID ADMISSION	1	3	0	4	
IN ICU	1 /	0	0	1	
ON VENTILATOR	0	0	0	0	
Vaccine/Vaccinator	1st Doses	2nd Doses	Fully Imm	unized	Ē
Pfizer-BioNTech	63,616	59,705 59,705		5	2
Moderna	30,567	29,505		29,505	
Johnson & Johnson Jansse	en -	-	3,749	Э	
Department of Defense			10,28	1	
Guam National Guard			741		
TOTALS:	94,183	89,210	103,981 (12 yea	ars & older)	
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rivate GovGuam Total Adm	inistered Total All	otted % Admir	nistered Dose	s Remaining	
187,142	233,4	50 80.1	6%	46,308	

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