



Joint Information Center - JIC Release No. 275
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Cumulative Results: Twenty-two Test Positive for COVID-19; Profiles of Confirmed Cases;
Expanded COVID-19 Testing Continues

COVID-19 test results are reported from multiple labs at varying times of the day. The Joint Information Center will report cumulative COVID-19 test results once a day, unless unavailable.

For updated information on COVID-19 cases on Guam, visit the COVID-19 Dashboard and Situation Report at <http://dphss.guam.gov/covid-19/>.

Cumulative Results

The following breakdown provides cumulative COVID-19 test results for **Wednesday, August 19, 2020**:

Laboratory	New Cases Reported on Wednesday, August 19	Samples Tested (August 18)	Total Negative Cases (March 12 - August 19)	Total Confirmed Cases (March 12 - August 19, 2020)
Department of Public Health & Social Services (DPHSS) Guam Public Health Laboratory (GPHL)	9	363	16,017	328
Naval Health Research Center (NHRC) ¹ /U.S. Naval Hospital (USNH) Guam ²	0	0	4,005	111
Diagnostic Laboratory Services (DLS) ²	9	75	4,405	97
Guam Memorial Hospital Authority (GMHA) Laboratory ³	2	45	3,473	42
Guam National Guard (GUNG) Laboratory ⁴	0	0	17	0
Guam Regional Medical City (GRMC) Laboratory ⁵	1	30	1,094	4
Private Clinics ⁶	1	11	140	7
Other Laboratories	0	N/A	N/A	2
Probable cases	0	N/A	N/A	8
AS OF 1:50 PM, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19, 2020	Total Confirmed: 22	Total Samples Tested: 524	Total Negative Cases (March 12 - August 19): 29,151	Total COVID-19 Cases (March 12 - August 19): 599

¹Beginning March 26, 2020

³Beginning April 15, 2020

⁵Beginning April 30, 2020

²Beginning March 31, 2020

⁴Beginning April 23, 2020

⁶Beginning August 10, 2020

To date, there have been a total of **599** confirmed cases of COVID-19 with **5** deaths, **363** not in isolation, and **231** cases in active isolation. Of those cases, **525** are classified as civilians and **74** are military service members.

Profiles of Confirmed Cases

STATUS		MEDICAL STATUS¹		GENDER		RESIDENTIAL LOCATION		TRAVEL HISTORY³		AGE GROUP	
Civilian:	525	Stable:	217	Female:	283	North:	303	Dubai:	02	90+:	01
Military:	74	Hospitalized²:	14	Male:	316	Central:	156	Japan:	01	80-89:	09
		Released:	363			South:	78	Philippines:	17	70-79:	23
		Deaths:	05			Homeless:	04	Singapore:	01	60-69:	65
						Non-resident:	52	U.S.:	54	50-59:	85
								Mexico:	01	40-49:	90
										30-39:	115
										20-29:	146
										10-19:	44
										0-9:	21

¹Some cases that were previously released from isolation have tested positive through follow-up testing

²Hospitalization rate is based on intake numbers reported by GMH and USNH. This number may be subject to change.

³Some cases traveled to more than one country

Expanded COVID-19 Testing Continues

DPHSS, in collaboration with the Government of Guam, the Mayors' Council of Guam, private, and federal agencies, continues expanded COVID-19 testing.

For the safety of the community and the first responders, only four (4) people are allowed to be tested per vehicle. Testing is free and open to the public while supplies last. No symptoms are needed to qualify for testing. Please bring an ID, if one is available. The community testing schedule is as follows:

COVID-19 Drive-Through and Walk-In Testing:

- Thursday, Aug. 20, 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. at Guma Trankilidat in Tumon
 - Note: This event is limited to Guma Trankilidat Residents
- Saturday, Aug. 22, 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. at the St. Francis Church and School Parking Lot, along Route 4 in Yona
- Saturday, Sept. 5, 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. at the Talofoto Gym in Talofoto
- Saturday, Sept. 19, 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. at the Umatac Mayor's Office, along Route 2 in Umatac

To receive individual COVID-19 test results, send a request to covidresults@dphss.guam.gov. Further instructions will be provided via email to patients before COVID-19 test results are sent.

Those who are unable to go to the community-wide testing and are experiencing symptoms consistent with COVID-19, are advised to call their health care provider. If a patient does not have a regular health care provider, they can call the Northern Region Community Health Center (NRCHC) at (671) 635-7525/6 to schedule an appointment. The NRCHC COVID-19 testing is available **by appointment only**.

Those experiencing symptoms can also call the DPHSS Medical Triage Hotline phone numbers listed below to report symptoms and obtain guidance from clinicians, or call 311 and dial option number 1.

- (671) 480-7859/83
- (671) 480-6760/63
- (671) 687-7321
- (671) 685-0358
- (671) 687-6170 (ADA Dedicated Number)

The DPHSS Medical Triage Hotline is available from Monday through Saturday, 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. Missed calls or calls going to voicemail will be returned within the day.

For the latest information on COVID-19, visit dphss.guam.gov or 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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