



**Joint Information Center - JIC Release No. 195
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**One Confirmed Case from DLS; Profiles of Confirmed Cases;
Avoid Sharing Unofficial Information; Food Commodities Distribution Resumes;
Expanded COVID-19 Testing Continues**

One case tested positive for COVID-19 through Diagnostic Laboratory Services (DLS). The case reported no contact to a confirmed case of COVID-19.

COVID-19 test results are reported from multiple labs at varying times of the day. The cumulative total from all labs will be reported on a nightly basis, unless unavailable.

To date, there have been a total of **226** confirmed cases of COVID-19 with **5** deaths, **174** released from isolation, and **47** active cases. Of those cases, **184 are classified as civilians**, and **42 are military service members**—35 of which have been recently identified among a unit deployed to Andersen Air Force Base (AFB). As this is an evolving situation, information is subject to change with little to no notice. For updated information on COVID-19 cases on Guam, visit the COVID-19 Dashboard and Situation Report at <http://dphss.guam.gov/covid-19/>.

Profiles of Confirmed Cases

STATUS		MEDICAL STATUS*		GENDER		RESIDENTIAL LOCATION		TRAVEL HISTORY**		AGE GROUP	
Civilian:	184	Stable:	47	Female:	101	North:	109	Dubai:	02	90+:	01
Military:	42	Hospitalized:	00	Male:	125	Central:	49	Japan:	01	80-89:	07
		Released:	174			South:	26	Philippines:	12	70-79:	11
		Deaths:	05			Homeless:	03	Singapore:	01	60-69:	41
						Non-resident:	39	U.S.:	09	50-59:	37
								Mexico:	01	40-49:	42
										30-39:	38
										20-29:	31
										10-19:	16
										0-9:	02

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

**Some cases traveled to more than one country

Avoid Sharing Unofficial Information

The Joint Information Center is aware of unverified messages circulating on chat groups and social media about positive COVID-19 cases having frequented local business establishments. The community is reminded to only share verified, official information with others to avoid the spread of misinformation. The Department of Public Health and Social Services (DPHSS) is actively conducting contact tracing of recently confirmed cases. Information relating to the

findings of their investigations, including the recently identified cluster, will be released once available.

Food Commodities Distribution Resumes

The Guam Department of Education (GDOE), State Agency for the Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP) under the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Food Nutrition Service (FNS), is issuing TEFAP food commodities to the community beginning Thursday, June 25, 2020 and every other Thursday thereafter. This will allow for time to restock and replenish food commodity supplies.

Recipients will receive one (1) bag of TEFAP food commodities and one Farmers to Families food box of fresh fruits or vegetables, regardless of household size. Food commodities include items such as fresh apples and oranges, beans, rice, canned fruits, sauces, tuna, salmon, pork, beef, and chicken. A maximum of three (3) households per vehicle will be permitted to pick up commodities.

TEFAP distribution will take place on the following dates, times and locations:

- Thursday, June 25, 2020:
 - Tiyan Upper Baseball Field from 6 a.m. -10 a.m.
 - Dededo Farmer's Market from 6 a.m. -10 a.m.
- Thursday, July 9, 2020:
 - Tiyan Upper Baseball Field from 6 a.m. -10 a.m.
 - Dededo Farmer's Market from 6 a.m. -10 a.m.
- Thursday, July 23, 2020:
 - Tiyan Upper Baseball Field from 6 a.m. -10 a.m.
 - Dededo Farmer's Market from 6 a.m. -10 a.m.

Commodities will be distributed on a first come, first served basis, while supplies last. Distribution may end early if all available commodities are distributed before 10 a.m. Participants are asked to follow the following program guidelines:

- Present valid photo identification;
- Provide village of residency;
- Wear a mask at all times;
- Remain in your vehicle;
- Ensure your trunk is unlocked/open when entering the distribution area; and
- Follow traffic directions and signage.

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.

Testing is free and open to the public while supplies last. No symptoms are needed to qualify for testing. If your village is not listed, please proceed to a neighboring village for testing. Please bring an I.D., if one is available. The expanded testing schedule is as follows:

COVID-19 Drive-Through Testing:

- Thursday, June 25, 2020, 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. at the parking lot between the St. Francis Church and the St. Francis School

If you are experiencing symptoms consistent with COVID-19, please call your health care provider. If a patient does not have a regular health care provider, they can call any of the Community Health Centers or 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
- (671) 480-6760/3
- (671) 480-7883
- (671) 687-6170 (ADA Dedicated Number)

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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