UPDATES ON TESTING AND QUARANTINE IN PALAU

September 16, 2020

The Ministry of Health (MOH) would like to provide the public with the following updates on testing and quarantine of individuals traveling to Palau:

- One (1) military personnel was tested negative of COVID-19 on day 14 (Sept. 15) of his quarantine period, a total of 3 negative tests while in Palau. He has been released from mandatory quarantine but continues to self-monitor and practice preventive measures until his departure on September 20, 2020.
- Two (2) residents who arrived on September 14, 2020 from the Philippines tested negative of COVID-19 on day 1. They will remain in mandatory quarantine in a government-designated facility for 14 days, and tested again on days 7 and 14.
- Thirty (30) residents and essential workers are scheduled to arrive in Palau on September 18, 2020 via Taiwan. They will be quarantined in a government-designated facility based on their points of origin.

MOH continues to thank the community for its support to all COVID-19 response activities.

If you have any questions or need further information on quarantine or testing for COVID-19, please contact the MOH EOC Deputy Incident Commander/Liaison Officer, Mr. Gaafar Uherbelau at 775-1310.