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MHHS UPDATES ON TESTING, QUARANTINE AND ISOLATION IN PALAU

The Ministry of Health and Human Services (MHHS) informs the public of the following updates on testing, quarantine and isolation in Palau:

- Two hundred and thirteen (213) individuals participated in community testing for COVID-19 conducted this week (November 3-5) at Ernguul Park/Global Village and the Belau National Hospital. All results were negative.

- One hundred and twenty-eight (128) in-bound travelers who arrived on November 01, 2021 tested negative on day 5 of testing conducted at Belau National Hospital. They have been cleared of all ROM and testing requirements. Three (3) travelers are currently in mandatory quarantine to fulfill vaccination requirements. They will be tested on day 7.

(Note: There were 131 in-bound travelers instead of the 129 initially reported on November 1, 2021.)

MHHS continues to thank the public for its support and commitment to all COVID-19 response activities.

If you have any questions or need further information, please contact the MHHS EOC Incident Commander Ms. Ritter Udui at 775-0084 or the MHHS EOC Deputy Incident Commander, Mr. Gaafar Uherbelau at 775-1310. For all other COVID-19 related information, call the MHHS COVID-19 Hotline at 488-0555 during regular working hours.