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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:

- One hundred and seventeen (117) in-bound travelers who arrived on the weekly United Airlines flight on November 15, 2021 all tested negative on day 5 of testing conducted at Belau National Hospital. They have been cleared of all ROM and testing requirements.

- Twenty-six (26) in-bound travelers who arrived on November 15, 2021 on a chartered flight (Cambodia Airways) from Macau tested negative on day 5 of testing conducted at Belau National Hospital. They have been cleared of all ROM and testing requirements.  
  
  (Correction: There were initially 27 passengers and 7 crew reported; however, there were 26 passengers and 8 crew. The crew has left the country.)

- One hundred and thirty-eight (138) individuals, including health care workers and other frontliners, participated in community testing for COVID-19 conducted in Ngchesar (NOV 16) and at Belau National Hospital (NOV 18). All results were negative.

MHHS continues to thank all guests and residents for their support and commitment.

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