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UPDATES ON TESTING AND QUARANTINE IN PALAU

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

- Twelve (12) military personnel who arrived on January 22, 2021 received their day 21 tests, and all results were negative. They have been cleared of all testing and quarantine requirements.
- Eighteen (18) military personnel, including the new Civic Action Team, who arrived on January 23, 2021 received their day 21 tests, and all results were negative. They have been cleared of all quarantine and testing requirements.
- Five (5) military personnel who arrived on February 2, 2021 received their day 14 tests, and all results were negative. They have been released from mandatory quarantine, and will self-monitor before undergoing final testing on day 21.
- Five (5) essential workers who arrived on February 5, 2021 received their day 7 tests, and all results were negative. They remain in mandatory quarantine before undergoing testing on days 14 and 21.
- Five (5) military personnel who arrived on February 7, 2021 received their day 7 tests, and all results were negative. They remain in mandatory quarantine before undergoing further testing on days 14 and 21.
- Fourteen (14) military personnel/essential workers arrived on February 9, 2021. They have received their day 7 tests, and all results were negative. They remain in mandatory quarantine before undergoing further testing on days 14 and 21.
- One (1) essential worker arrived on February 10, 2021. This individual has received his day 7 test with a negative result. He remains in mandatory quarantine before undergoing further testing on days 14 and 21.

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, Mr. Gaafar Uherbelau at 775-1310.