## **CORONAVIRUS DISEASE 2022**

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## Situational Summary

On March 21, 2022, 1,257 tests were conducted, of these, 367 individuals tested positive. In the past 24 hours, 11 previous positives were released from isolation. There were 2 new hospitalizations and 0 deaths due to COVID-19. A total of 6 individuals are currently hospitalized. The cumulative COVID-19 case count is now 1,932, of which a total of 242 individuals have recovered. There are currently 1,690 active cases. In addition, 254 COVID-19 vaccines were administered of which 209 were boosters.

Anyone who tests positive is directed to stay isolated at home for 14 days. All family members in the same household are considered close contacts and are directed to quarantine at home for 14 days. Individuals who test positive using their home test kits are encouraged to come into any testing site to be seen by a doctor and assess if they need treatment. Enforcement is carried out by the Department of Public Safety and the Office of Samoan Affairs. Please avoid contact with people while you are infectious to others. Remember, you can live COVID safe during this time.

## Schedule

COVID-19 tests are available, Monday through Friday, at the health centers in Amouli, Tafuna, and Leone from 8AM-4PM. Tests are also available on Saturday at the Tafuna ACF facility from 8AM-2PM.

COVID-19 vaccines are also available, Monday through Friday, at Pago Pago and Tafuna DYWA from 8AM-4PM. The Catholic halls in Iliili and Leone are closed this week. Teams are being deployed Wednesday through Saturday to administer COVID-19 vaccines to homebound patients. Homebound individuals are people with physical limitations, those who are bedridden, wheelchair-bound, and the elderly who may have difficulty coming into the regular vaccine clinic sites. Please call 219 or contact your pulenuu if you or a loved one needs this service.

Village	# cases	Village	# cases	Village	# cases
Tafuna	367	Malaeimi	29	Alofau	6
Nuuuli	203	Laulii	26	Alao	6
Faleniu	119	Leloaloa	22	Poloa	5
Pago Pago	117	Taputimu	19	Tula	4
Leone	115	Utulei	15	Auto	4
Hilli	114	Atuu	15	Aoa	4
Pavalai	95	Futiga	13	Fagalii	3
Vaitogi	77	Afono	13	Auasi	3
Aua	59	Faganeanea	12	Nua	2
Fagaalu	57	Aasu	12	Fatumafuti	2
Malaeloa	56	Matuu	11	Aunuu	2
Vailoa	43	Amouli	10	Sailele	1
Mapusagafou	41	Seetaga	9	Masefau	1
Fagatogo	40	Asili	8	Failolo	1
Vatia	39	Alega	8	Amanave	1
Mesepa	36	Satala	6	Amaluia	1
Aoloau	34	Masausi	6	Afao	1
Fagasa	33	Fagaitua	6		

