## **CORONAVIRUS DISEASE 2022**

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## **Situational Summary**

On March 22, 2022, 1,019 tests were conducted, of these, 258 individuals tested positive. In the past 24 hours, 49 previous positives were released from isolation. Eleven (11) additional cases have been included to the cumulative list of positives. The cumulative COVID-19 case count is now 2,201, of which a total of 258 individuals have recovered. There are currently 1,910 active cases. There were 0 new hospitalizations and 1 death related to COVID-19. A total of 4 individuals are currently hospitalized.

In addition, 158 COVID-19 vaccines were administered of which 141 were boosters.

Anyone who tests positive is directed to stay isolated at home for 14 days. People with mild symptoms who are otherwise healthy should manage their syptoms at home. On average it takes 5–6 days from when someone is infected with the virus for symptoms to show, however it can take up to 14 days. If you test positive and have one or more health conditions that increase your risk of becoming very sick, seek treatment as soon as possible.

## **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	405	Fagasa	35	Satala	6
Nuuuli	234	Laulii	27	Masausi	6
Faleniu	135	Leloaloa	26	Alao	6
Leone	133	Taputimu	24	Tula	5
Pago Pago	131	Utulei	17	Poloa	5
Iliili	123	Matuu	16	Fagalii	5
Pavaiai	104	Futiga	15	Auto	5
Vaitogi	94	Atuu	15	Auasi	3
Aua	71	Afono	14	Sailele	2
Malaeloa	66	Faganeanea	12	Nua	2
Fagaalu	61	Amouli	12	Fatumafuti	2
Vailoa	53	Aasu	12	Aunuu	2
Mapusagafou	48	Seetaga	11	Amanave	2
Fagatogo	45	Asili	9	Masefau	1
Malaeimi	43	Alega	9	Failolo	1
Mesepa	42	Alofau	8	Amaua	1
Aoloau	41	Fagaitua	7	Amaluia	1
Vatia	40	Aoa	7	Afao	1

