

CORONAVIRUS DISEASE 2022

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Situational Summary

On March 20, 2022, 174 tests were conducted, of these, 55 individuals tested positive. In the past 24 hours, 15 previous positive cases recovered and there were 2 new hospitalizations and 0 deaths due to COVID-19. A total of 8 individuals are currently hospitalized. The cumulative COVID-19 case count is now 1,565, of which a total of 231 individuals have recovered. There are currently 1,334 active cases. In addition, 764 COVID-19 vaccines were administered of which 673 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. 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 Iiili 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 need this service.

POSITIVE CASE COUNT: 1565					
Village	# cases	Village	# cases	Village	# cases
Tafuna	285	Leloaloa	21	Fagaitua	5
Nuuuli	168	Laulii	21	Alofau	5
Pago Pago	101	Malaeimi	20	Alao	5
Leone	98	Utulei	14	Auto	4
Iiili	94	Futiga	12	Avasi	3
Faleniu	91	Faganeanea	12	Aoa	3
Pavaiai	85	Atuu	12	Tula	2
Vaitogi	64	Afono	12	Fatumafuti	2
Fagaalu	49	Taputimu	11	Aunuu	2
Aua	42	Aasu	10	Fagalii	2
Malaeloa	41	Matuu	8	Sailele	1
Vatia	39	Asili	8	Masefau	1
Vailoa	34	Amouli	8	Failolo	1
Mapusagafou	33	Alega	8	Amanave	1
Fagasa	28	Seetaga	6	Amaluia	1
Aoloua	27	Masausi	6	Afao	1
Mesepa	24	Satala	5		
Fagatogo	24	Poloa	5		

