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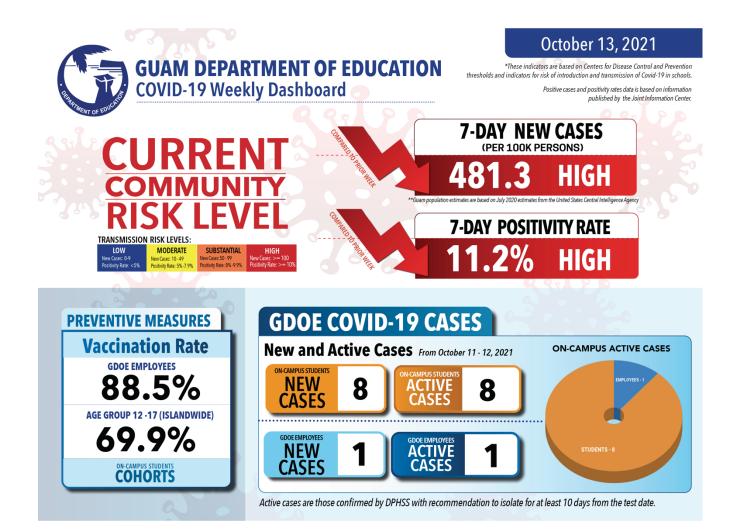
## GDOE Releases Updated COVID-19 Weekly Dashboard

The Guam Department of Education (GDOE) would like to announce to the public the release of its weekly COVID-19 dashboard.

Today's initial dashboard captures data from October 11-12, 2021. Going forward, the dashboard will include and summarize the prior week's reports of COVID-19 new and active cases for GDOE employees and for GDOE students who were on campus at the time they were deemed to be positive. Student cases for those who are online or who were, for some other reason, not on campus during the time they were deemed to be positive are not reported in the GDOE daily report or the weekly dashboard. The daily reports and dashboard are intended to represent on-campus positive and active cases where there exists a potential risk of transmission.

"We continue to closely monitor the number of cases that show up at our schools," said GDOE Superintendent Jon Fernandez. "Our focus is to ensure that we prevent the spread of the virus within our classrooms and campuses. The information we are tracking will give us an opportunity to make informed decisions about the future."

Every Wednesday, the dashboard will be published on the GDOE's social media accounts as well as the GDOE website. For more information, you may contact Michelle Franquez, the Interim Public Information Officer at 300-1677, or send an email to <u>matfranquez@gdoe.net</u>.



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# GUAM DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION COVID-19 Weekly Dashboard

# **GDOE MANAGEMENT ASSESSMENT**

- ★ Community transmission improving but still at high level.
- ★ Continuing cohorts until public health situation improves.
- ★ No evidence of school spread based on consultation with DPHSS.

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### **KEY MITIGATION MEASURES**

#### ONGOING

- ☑ Cohorts/alternating schedule
- ☑ Universal mask requirement
- ☑ Frequent handwashing/respiratory etiquette
- ☑ Frequent cleaning and disinfecting
- ☑ Physical distancing (3 ft. class/6 ft. common areas)
- ☑ Classroom seating charts | Designated seating
- ☑ Adequate ventilation
- Promote vaccination for eligible students 12+
- ☑ Required vaccination or weekly testing for employees/coaches
- ☑ Required vaccination or weekly testing for 16+ student athletes
- ☑ Contact tracing, quarantine, and testing with DPHSS
- $\blacksquare$  Daily coordination with DPHSS
- ${\ensuremath{\boxtimes}}$  School inspection and monitoring with DPHSS

#### **IN PROGRESS**

- D Procurement of canopies, tables, chairs
- □ Cafeteria plexiglass dividers
- □ HEPA filters for classrooms and main offices
- □ Screening/testing

\*New cases include those that were confirmed by DPHSS 10/12/21 as of 5pm \*\*Active cases include those confirmed by DPHSS with recommendation to isolate for at least 10 days from test date.

These indicators are based on Centers for Disease Control and Prevention thresholds and indicators for risk of introduction and transmission of Covid-19 in schools.

Positive cases and positivity rates data is based on information published by the Joint Information Center.

#### GDOE ON-CAMPUS COVID-19 (Students & Employees) ACTIVE CASES From October 11- 12, 2021

School New\* Active\*\* **On-Campus** % of Рор Рор 488 0.00% Adacao ES Agana Heights ES 353 0.00% 0.00% AsTumboES 409 BP Carbullido ES 453 0.00% Chief Brodie Memorial ES 247 0.00% Captain HB Price ES 0.00% 604 CL Taitano ES 481 0.00% 719 0.28% DL PerezES 2 2 Finegayan ES 806 0.00% 0.00% HS Truman ES 329 Inarajan ES 253 0.00% JM Guerrero ES 468 0.00% JQ San Miguel MES 530 0.00% LB Johnson ES 257 0.00% Liquan ES 350 0.00% 0.00% Marcial A. Sablan ES 407 MA Ulloa ES 0.16% 1 1 627 445 0.22% Machananao ES 1 1 Merizo Martyrs Mem. ES 273 0.00% MU Lujan ES 573 0.00% Ordot CHalan Pågo ES 422 0.00% PC Lujan ES 379 0.00% Talo'fo'fo' ES 280 0.00% 507 0.00% Tamuning ES Upi ES 551 0.00% 0.00% Wettengel ES 558 Agueda Johnston MS 638 0.00% 0.38% AsTumbo MS 2 2 529 0.11% 1 906 FB Leon Guerrero MS 1 0.00% 569 linaraian MS 0.00% Jose I G Rios MS 744 1078 0.00% LP Untalan MS Oceanview MS 419 0.00% VSA Benavente MS 901 0.00% GW HS 1525 0.00% JPT Success Academy 152 0.00% JFK HS 1 1795 0.06% Okkodo HS 1532 0.00% Southern HS 1396 0.00% Simon Sanchez HS 1825 0.05% 1 1 Tiyan HS 1164 0.00% GRAND 9 9 26,942 .03% NEW ACTIVE **ON-CAMPUS** % OF TOTAL POPULATION POP

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