



**PRESS RELEASE ON THE CURRENT
SITUATION OF THE COVID-19 INFECTION
IN BRUNEI DARUSSALAM
23 Rabiulawal 1442 / 09 November 2020**

1. The Ministry of Health would like to inform the public on the current situation of the COVID-19 infection in Brunei Darussalam for Monday, 23 Rabiulawal 1442 / 09 November 2020, as of 12 noon.

Summary of Cases

New Case Today	Total Number of Cases		
0	148		
Recovered Case Today	Active Cases	Deaths	Recovered
0	0	3	145

Last local COVID-19 case	Total number of imported cases since the last local case was reported
Reported on 6 May 2020 (187 days ago)	7 Cases

Summary of individuals undergoing Self Isolation

Total number of individuals undergoing Mandatory Self Isolation	Total number of individuals who have completed Mandatory Self Isolation (since March 2020)
338	7,772

Summary of number of Virus SARS-CoV-2 tests

Total number of tests conducted within 24 hours	Total number of tests conducted (since January 2020)
97 sample	71,204

2. The Ministry of Health would like to inform that on Sunday, 8 November 2020, a department store company in Jalan Muara was fined a compound of \$5,000 for failing to comply with the Mass gathering guidelines. The company has been found to hold a promotional sales event and encouraged large gatherings of more than 350 people without implementing any appropriate regulatory measures.
3. The Ministry of Health would like to advise the public to comply with all regulations and directives issued. Any individual found to be in violation of or disobey any order issued shall be an offense under the Infectious Diseases Act (Section 204), which if found guilty can be issued compound fine up to \$5,000 or can be prosecuted in court carrying a fine up to \$10,000 or imprisonment up to 6 months or both.
4. Furthermore, the Ministry of Health would like to remind the public to practice their social responsibilities by maintaining personal hygiene, practice proper cough and sneeze etiquette, recommended to wear a face mask in crowded public places and if feeling unwell, not to go to public places and attend social gatherings. The public including business premises are required to comply with all regulations and directives related to the reduction of social distancing measures that have been issued and are still in force at the moment.
5. For further information and latest updates, members of the public can visit the official website of the Ministry of Health at **www.moh.gov.bn** or by contacting the **Health Advice Line 148** or through the **BruHealth App**.

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