



**MEDIA STATEMENT OF THE CURRENT  
SITUATION OF THE COVID-19 INFECTION  
IN BRUNEI DARUSSALAM**

**08 Ramadhan 1441 / 02 Mei 2020**

1. The Ministry of Health would like to inform the public that today, Sabtu, 08 Ramadhan 1441 / 02 Mei 2020, Alhamdulillah, by the grace of Allah Subhanahu Wa Ta'ala, **there is no new case** of COVID-19 infection in the country. Therefore, **the total number of COVID-19 cases in Brunei Darussalam remains at 138 cases.**
2. Meanwhile, **two cases** have recovered from COVID-19 today, therefore **the total number of cases recovered is 126 individuals.** This brings the number of active cases still being treated at the National Isolation Center to **11 cases**, where 2 are still in critical condition and both require heart / lung machine (ECMO) and respiratory assistance. Meanwhile, the rest are in a stable condition.

3. At this time, **56 individuals** are currently undergoing quarantine in accordance to the Infectious Diseases Act (Chapter 204) and a total of **2,519 individuals** have completed their quarantine.
4. In the past 24 hours, a total of 207 samples have been tested for the SARS-CoV2 virus, that brings the total number of laboratory tests conducted since January 2020 to 13,924 tests.
5. With regard to the cases that have recovered but found to be positive again during follow-up examination, the Ministry of Health would like to inform that there is **no case that have re-tested positive**. This brings the total number of such cases as of today to 22 individuals, of which **6 individuals** are still undergoing further examination and testing.
6. On this occasion, the Ministry of Health wishes to inform the public that to extend the surveillance on the outbreak of COVID-19 infection among the citizens and residents of Brunei Darussalam, the Ministry of Health will launch a nationwide survey starting Monday, 10 Ramadan 1441 / 4 May 2020 which will be conducted for a week. The survey is open to anyone attending the selected health centers during the survey is conducted. The study involves taking in blood samples,

similar to that of a blood sugar test at home and the results will be known within 15 minutes. Collaboration from the public is important to the success of this survey.

7. 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 web application **healthinfo.gov.bn**

**Ramadhan Mubarak. May we all be blessed during this glorious month of Ramadhan and all our deeds are accepted by Allah Subhanahu WaTa'Ala. Aamiin Ya Rabbal Alamiin**

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