

# PRESS RELEASE ON THE CURRENT SITUATION OF THE COVID-19 INFECTION IN BRUNEI DARUSSALAM 22 Safar 1442 / 10 October 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 Saturday, 22 Safar 1442 / 10 October 2020, as of 12 noon.

#### **Summary of Cases**

| New Case Today              | Total Number of Cases |        |           |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------|--------|-----------|
| 0                           | 146                   |        |           |
| <b>Recovered Case Today</b> | Active Cases          | Deaths | Recovered |
| 0                           | 0                     | 3      | 143       |

| Last local COVID-19 case                 | Total number of imported cases since<br>the last local case was reported |
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| Reported on 6 May 2020<br>(157 days ago) | 5 Cases  |

### Summary of inviduals undergoing Self Isolation

| Total number of individuals | Total number of individuals who have |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| undergoing Mandatory Self   | completed Mandatory Self Isolation   |
| Isolation                   | (since March 2020)                   |
| 350                         | 6,787                                |

### Summary of number of Virus SARS-CoV-2 tests

| Total number of tests     | Total number of tests conducted |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------|
| conducted within 24 hours | (since January 2020)            |
| 330 samples               | 62,139 tests                    |

- 2. The Ministry of Health would like to inform the public that individuals who would like to take the SARS-CoV-2 swab test, especially for the purpose of travelling abroad must take the swab test 3 5 days (three to five days) before their flight date subject to the terms and conditions of the country to which it is intended. The results of the swab test will take time and the Ministry seeks the public's patience while waiting for their test results.
- 3. Individuals who are taking the SARS-CoV-2 swab test for the purpose of travelling abroad can take the swab test at the location and time specified below:

| Location  | Operating Days                                | Operational hours for the<br>COVID-19 swab test |
|---|---|---|
| Berakas Health Centre   | Monday – Thursday<br>& Saturday               | 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM<br>2:00 PM – 4:00 PM         |
| Berakas neatur Centre   | Every Friday, Sunday<br>and Public Holidays   | 2:00 PM – 5:30 PM                               |
| Sports Complex,<br>Raja Isteri Pengiran<br>Anak Saleha Hospital | Everyday<br>*Closed during public<br>holidays | 7.00 AM – 10.00 PM                              |

4. 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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