

**CDC/PIHOA one-on-one USAPI weekly check-ins**

**Week: 1/18/2021-1/22/2021**

<b>USAPI</b>	<b>COVID-19 cases</b>	<b>Testing</b>	<b>Containment</b>	<b>Community Mitigation</b>	<b>Quarantine, Isolation &amp; Medical Surge Preparedness</b>	<b>PPE</b>	<b>Vaccine Updates</b>
<b>AS</b>	0 cases; 0 PUIs; 6 cases identified among crew members on cargo ships docked in AS; 1 new case identified this week; these are not being counted as AS cases	Abbott ID NOW (4,346 available), GeneXpert (2,991 available), and Abbott Binax NOW (8,000) testing on-island; LBJ is now running ABI 7500; ASDOH is also procuring ABI 7500 and expanding lab; 2,732 total samples have been tested (patients, travelers, first responders)	Borders closed (extended to 2/1/21); some individuals allowed into AS via military flights w/ test w/in 72hrs of arrival + 14 day AS facility quarantine; ~400 people have been brought into AS; 3 currently in quarantine; first HNL repatriation planned for 1/29 (166 residents)	Social distancing measures have been relaxed and American Samoa is currently at "code blue" allowing schools and daycares to open, businesses to open 5am-12am	50 ventilators functional at LBJ (48 available); 132 beds (51 available); 7 ICU beds (4 available) 16 total isolation COVID beds in COVID tent outside of LBJ (16 available); multiple quarantine sites are available; Tradewinds Hotel will be used to quarantine individuals repatriated from Honolulu	Stocks unknown at this time	<b>Doses received:</b> 18,450 (1,000 of these are being replaced due to temp issues) <b>First doses administered:</b> 4,734 (as of 1/22) <b>Two doses administered:</b> 933 (as of 1/22) <b>% first dose administered:</b> 54.3%
<b>CNMI</b>	129 total cases with 2 deaths and 127 recovered; 1 new case this week (imported); 103 of the total cases were imported; no known community transmission	Abbott ID NOW, GeneXpert, and Abbott Binax NOW testing on-island; ~25,000 total samples have been tested; 538 tests run in the past week; other platforms available are ABI 7500, Solgent DiaPlex, BioFire	Passengers are tested upon arrival, then retested after 5 days and required to complete a 5 to 7-day facility quarantine; 108 currently in facility quarantine (Kanoa and Marianas Resort); Sara Alert used for follow-up	Social distancing efforts are relaxed and CNMI is currently in "code blue" allowing most businesses to open with certain restrictions and gatherings of no more than 25	46 usable ventilators (45 available); at CHCC- 75 hospital beds (24 available), 8 ICU beds (8 available), 4 beds in COVID unit (4 available); Kanoa hotel is set up as an alternative care site with ICU, medical ward, and step-down units; medical tent is outside of the hospital with 40 beds; isolation is also at Kanoa (2 currently in facility isolation)	N-95s: 35,160 Surgical masks: 514,235 Gloves: 732,720 Gowns: 9,240 Face shields: 938	<b>Doses received:</b> 18,650 <b>First doses administered:</b> 4,606 (as of 1/22) <b>Two doses administered:</b> 2,700 (as of 1/22) <b>% first dose administered:</b> 49.4%

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<b>Guam</b>	7,547 total cases with 128 deaths and 7,293 recovered; 73 new cases and 3 new deaths this week	Now running ABI 7500, Abbott ID NOW, GeneXpert, and Abbott Binax NOW; 111,079 total tests have been conducted; 3,211 tests conducted this week; 1.9% positivity rate (past week)	Travelers entering Guam must facility quarantine for at least 7 days and test negative for release; exceptions made for certain essential workers	Guam shifted from PCOR-1 level (strictest level) to PCOR-2 on 1/18 due to decreasing cases	10 hospitalized cases; 116 in isolation (60 home isolation, 26 facility isolation, 30 military isolation)	Exact numbers unknown at this time	<b>Doses received:</b> 34,300 <b>First doses administered:</b> 13,038 (as of 1/22) <b>Two doses administered:</b> 1,138 (as of 1/22) <b>% first dose administered:</b> 76.0%
<b>Chuuk</b>	0 cases; 0 PUIs	Abbott ID NOW (2,182 available), GeneXpert (3,620 available), and Abbott Binax NOW (1,996 available) testing on-island; 119 total tests conducted on-island (all negative)	Borders closed until at least 1/31/21; FSM repatriation on hold; currently not prepared for repatriation	Education is being conducted in communities; social distancing is being encouraged but not enforced	21 working ventilators; at hospital: 104 beds in shared wards, 9 ICU beds, 14 beds in isolation rooms, no negative air flow; quarantine site needs to be established; Chuuk Gym (70 beds) set up as alternative care site but lacking items to complete	N-95s: 21,060 Surgical masks: 67,200 Gloves: 78,850 Gowns: 2,929 Face shields: 4,866	<b>Doses received:</b> 2,500 <b>First doses administered:</b> 700 (as of 1/19) <b>% first dose administered:</b> 56.0% *rollout began 1/15
<b>Kosrae</b>	0 cases; 0 PUIs	Abbott ID NOW (1,238 available), GeneXpert (1,584 available), and Abbott Binax NOW (2,982 available) testing on-island; 67 tests conducted on-island (all negative)	Borders closed until at least 3/31/21; FSM repatriation on hold; repatriation exercise conducted with National; seaport screening is ongoing- no crew members may disembark	Community-level education by Risk Communication Committee; social distancing is being encouraged but not enforced	3 FEMA vents on-island; 45 hospital beds (2 ICU in 1 room), 5 isolation rooms, no negative air flow; a quarantine facility (24 rooms) is under construction; temporary quarantine site has 14 rooms with shared facilities; working to expand isolation ward to add 8 additional beds	N-95s: 1,003 Surgical masks: 21,292 Gloves: 2,250 Gowns: 697 Face shields: 1,476	<b>Doses received:</b> 2,400 <b>First doses administered:</b> 300 (as of 1/20) <b>% first dose administered:</b> 25.0% *rollout began 1/14

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<b>Pohnpei</b>	The 1 case among crew of a ship docked in Pohnpei was further investigated and highly likely to be a historical case (FSM working to retract this case)	Abbott ID NOW (4,171 available), GeneXpert (2,684 available), and Abbott Binax NOW (8,000 available) testing on-island; 287 tests conducted on-island	Borders closed until at least 1/31/21; FSM repatriation on hold; repatriation exercises have been conducted to prepare Pohnpei for repatriation	Designated team developed for risk communication and currently conducting community education; social distancing is being encouraged; hand washing stations in place	1 ventilator (in surgical theater); 13 FEMA vents; 98 hospital beds (no ICU beds), 4 isolation rooms with negative air flow (plan to create 8 ICU beds here with vents); MMA isolation center near the airport with 4 rooms/beds; China Star hotel is a quarantine site (26 rooms)	N-95s: 25,604 Surgical masks: 352,685 Gloves: 12,950 Gowns: 16,719 Face shields: 53,066	FSM National has received 9,800 doses, 3,900 for Pohnpei <b>First doses administered:</b> 850 (as of 1/20) <b>% first dose administered:</b> 43.6%
<b>Yap</b>	0 cases; 0 PUIs	Abbott ID NOW (684 available), GeneXpert (1,729 available), and Abbott Binax NOW (3,692 available) testing on-island; 863 total tests performed on-island (all negative)	Borders closed until at least 1/31/21; FSM repatriation on hold; currently not prepared for repatriation	All businesses are open and social distancing is being encouraged but not enforced; community education is ongoing; hand washing stations in place; household survey being conducted	20 working ventilators on-island; 38 hospital beds, 2 isolation rooms with negative air flow; plans to build new isolation facility, but currently working to use folding shelters to create temporary isolation and quarantine	N-95s: 11,120 Surgical masks: 59,000 Gloves: 182,400 Gowns: 1,960 Face shields: 2,756	<b>Doses received:</b> 1,500 <b>First doses administered:</b> 24 (as of 1/19) <b>% first dose administered:</b> 3.2% *rollout began 1/19
<b>Palau</b>	0 cases; 0 PUIs	PCR (Roche LightCycler 480), Abbott ID NOW, GeneXpert, and Abbott Binax NOW testing on-island; 3,496 total tests conducted; 80 tests conducted in the past week	No commercial passenger flights; repatriation and essential worker and military flights ongoing; 976 travelers released and 5 currently in quarantine; entry requirements depend on origin	Education using various media; daily sitreps; normal operations have resumed with promotion of hand hygiene, cough etiquette, and staying home when sick	80 hospital beds, 4 ICU beds, 5 isolation rooms with negative air flow; secondary screening outside of hospital established; alternative care site prepared at Palau Gym (50 beds); 3 hotels are quarantine sites (100 rooms); 30 working ventilators on-island	N-95s: 33,343 Surgical masks: 346,800 Gloves: 188,525 Gowns: 13,353 Face shields: 12,132	<b>Doses received:</b> 6,000 <b>First doses administered:</b> 2,404 (as of 1/21) <b>% first dose administered:</b> 80.1%

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<b>RMI-Majuro</b>	0 cases; 0 PUIs	Abbott ID NOW (4,248 available), GeneXpert (2,315 available), and Abbott Binax NOW (7,640 available) testing on-island; 516 total tests performed on-island (all negative); lab expansion complete and working to get Roche, POCkit, and BioFire running	Borders are closed (as of 3/8) to all people until at least 2/7/21; Travel Advisory #21 in effect	Multiple media strategies including community meetings; normal activities have resumed; social distancing being encouraged but not enforced	20 total vents on-island; 108 hospital beds (3 ICU), 8 isolation rooms (1 with negative air flow); new isolation building (8 isolation rooms with negative air flow) completed; new quarantine facility (24 beds) built and old facility still usable (80 beds)	N-95s: 18,100 Surgical masks: 23,000 Gloves: 59,595 Gowns: 17,669 Face shields: 10,160	<b>Doses received:</b> 9,400 <b>First doses administered:</b> 712 (as of 1/20) <b>% first dose administered:</b> 15.1%
<b>RMI-Ebeye</b>	4 cases imported into Kwajalein and identified in quarantine facility (4 recovered, 0 active)	Abbott ID NOW (2,120 available), GeneXpert (1,725 available), and Abbott Binax NOW (1,200 available) testing on-island; 780 tests performed on-island	Borders are closed (as of 3/8) to all people until at least 2/7/21; Travel Advisory #21 in effect; 613 individuals have been repatriated to Kwajalein base (96 currently in quarantine); third Honolulu repatriation planned for 2/12	Limited social distancing occurring but implementing some safety measures	13 vents on-island; isolation facility is being built and renovated TB trailer is being prepared (6 beds) for temporary isolation; quarantine site in Ebeye still being sorted out; Kwajalein base has agreed to quarantine passengers in small numbers and a mini lab is set up on Kwajalein base for testing of passengers being repatriated	N-95s: 7,865 Surgical masks: 21,255 Gloves: 31,350 Gowns: 5,309 Face shields: 1,759	<b>Doses received*:</b> 2,200 <b>First doses administered:</b> 975 (as of 1/20) <b>% first dose administered:</b> 88.6% *2,000 doses are in Majuro to be forwarded

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**Regional Summary:**

- COVID-19 cases
  - Guam has 7,547 total cases and 128 deaths with 73 new cases and 3 new deaths reported this week
  - CNMI has 129 total cases and 2 deaths with 1 new case reported this week (imported); no community transmission
  - RMI has reported 4 total cases identified in mandatory quarantine on Kwajalein military base (all now recovered)
  - American Samoa has identified 6 cases (1 new case this week) among docked crew; these are not being counted as AS cases
  - FSM has identified 1 case among docked crew, however upon further investigation this case is highly likely to be historical
- Testing capacity
  - All USAPIs have at least Abbott ID NOW, Abbott Binax NOW, and GeneXpert capacity
  - There are currently adequate stocks of tests in the region
- Containment strategies
  - Guam and CNMI are allowing travelers to enter with quarantine and testing requirements
  - Palau is allowing “essential air service” flights from Taiwan and military flights with testing and quarantine requirements
  - American Samoa is planning its first repatriation from Honolulu on 1/29
  - RMI is planning a third repatriation from Honolulu on 2/12
  - FSM repatriation is on hold indefinitely
- Community mitigation strategies
  - Guam shifted from “PCOR-1” (strictest level) to “PCOR-2” on 1/18 due to decreasing case numbers
  - CNMI, American Samoa, FSM, Palau, and RMI have relaxed mitigation measures
- Vaccine distribution summary
  - CDC is actively shipping Pfizer (AS, CNMI, Guam) and Moderna (all USAPIs) into the region with first and second doses
    - 97,100 doses of vaccine have been shipped to the USAPI out of 110,500 doses available
    - All USAPI have received December and January allocations of CDC vaccine except for FSM
    - 25,939 individuals in the USAPI have received their first dose of vaccine (53% of all first doses received)
    - All USAPIs are actively vaccinating and are quickly going through monthly vaccine allocations
    - 4,771 individuals in the USAPI have completed their vaccination (both doses)
  - CDC Foundation is working to procure freezers, coolers, temperature loggers, etc. to assist the USAPIs with vaccine distribution
    - Items have been identified and purchased this week. Shipping logistics are not completed.
  - FSM and RMI are also donor-funded countries for COVAX; Palau is self-funded for COVAX
  - See USAPI Vaccine Summary (below)
- PPE
  - All USAPI have a stockpile of PPE for COVID-19, though quantities vary

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**Top Priorities in the USAPI:**

- American Samoa
  - >1,000 residents are on a list to be repatriated in monthly cohorts beginning in January
    - Support is needed for Honolulu quarantine efforts (management of quarantined individuals, testing, PPE, etc.)
  - American Samoa is initiating discussions about how to vaccinate residents stranded in Hawaii and the US before repatriation
    - Early discussions about redirecting a portion of American Samoa vaccine allocation or lab testing kits to Hawaii
- CNMI
  - US government employees are being vaccinated by CHCC, so additional allotment of vaccines is requested at CDC-OWS
  - CNMI will likely run out of first doses of vaccine before their February allocation arrives
- Guam
  - Regional discussions about how to provide early vaccine to FSM citizens and government employees in Guam
  - Direct 1-on-1 weekly meetings between PIHOA-CDC-OWS are still pending
  - Guam will likely run out of first doses of vaccine before their February allocation arrives
- FSM
  - Challenges continue for redirecting shipments of vaccine from Pohnpei to the other states
    - FSM prefers direct vaccine shipments to each state. This has now been approved
    - January vaccine allotment for FSM is now ordered, but shipping has not been scheduled due to logistics
  - Chuuk will likely run out of vaccine within the next week. Yap has been encouraged to increase vaccine throughput
  - Quarantine and isolation facilities have not been completed in most of the FSM states
  - FSM is initiating discussions about how to vaccinate residents stranded in the US before repatriation
    - FSM considering to redirect a portion of vaccine allocation to Hawaii or Guam prior to repatriation
    - FSM hoping to elevate priority of FSM residents living in Guam and Hawaii for early vaccination
- Palau
  - Working to establish travel bubbles to move toward slowly reopening borders
  - Palau will likely run out of first doses of vaccine before their February allocation arrives
- RMI
  - Repatriation flights will continue monthly starting in January
    - Support is needed for Honolulu quarantine efforts (management of quarantined individuals, testing, PPE, etc.)
  - RMI is initiating discussions about how to vaccinate residents stranded in the US before repatriation
    - RMI inquiring about possibility to redirect a portion of vaccine allocation to Hawaii or Guam prior to repatriation
    - RMI hoping to elevate priority of Marshallese living in Hawaii for early vaccination
  - Vaccine shipments are still not being sent directly to Kwajalein (for the Ebeye program to pick up) as planned
    - A portion of the January allotment to RMI was approved to be flown directly to Ebeye but was left in Majuro
    - Majuro still has to forward shipments by air to Ebeye at local cost
  - Ebeye will likely run out of first doses of vaccine before their February allocation arrives

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**USAPI Vaccine Summary Tables:**

Vaccine Distribution in USAPI (as of 01/21/2021)

Jurisdiction	December Total	January Total	Total Vaccine Allocated	Total Vaccine Received	Doses Not Yet Ordered	Doses Not Yet Delivered	First Doses Given	Second Doses Given	First Dose %*
<b>Regional Totals</b>	<b>55,900</b>	<b>54,600</b>	<b>110,500</b>	<b>97,100</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>9,600</b>	<b>25,939</b>	<b>4,771</b>	<b>53%</b>
American Samoa	8,250	10,200	18,450	18,450	0	0	4,734	933	54%
CNMI	8,450	10,200	18,650	18,650	0	0	4,606	2,700	49%
Guam	18,900	15,000	33,900	33,900	0	0	13,038	1,138	58%
Palau	2,800	3,200	6,000	6,000	0	0	0	0	80%
FSM - Pohnpei	3,900	3,800	7,700	3,900	0	3,800	850	0	44%
FSM - Chuuk	2,500	3,200	5,700	2,500	0	3,200	700	0	56%
FSM - Yap	1,500	2,000	3,500	1,500	0	2,000	24	0	3%
FSM - Kosrae	2,400	600	3,000	2,400	0	600	300	0	25%
RMI - Majuro	5,000	4,400	9,400	9,400	0	0	712	0	15%
RMI - Ebeye	2,200	2,000	4,200	400	0	0	975	0	89%

\* "First Dose Percent" based on available doses reported during PIHOA-OWS-CDC 1-on-1 Meeting each week.

Vaccine Shipping Status for USAPI Jurisdictions (as of 01/21/2021)

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Jurisdiction	December Wave			Status**	January Wave			Status**	January Wave Shipping Status
	Pfizer	Moderna	Total		Pfizer	Moderna	Total		
Regional Totals	23,400	32,000	55,900		23,400	31,200	54,600		
American Samoa	5,850	2,400	8,250	Delivered	7,800	2,400	10,200	Delivered	Arrived. No cold-chain problems
CNMI	5,850	2,600	8,450	Delivered	7,800	2,400	10,200	Delivered	Arrived. No cold-chain problems
Guam	11,700	7,200	18,900	Delivered	7,800	7,200	15,000	Delivered	Arrived. No cold-chain problems
Palau	-	2,800	2,800	Delivered	-	3,200	3,200	Delivered	Arrived. No cold-chain problems
FSM - Pohnpei	-	3,900	3,900	Delivered	-	3,800	3,800	Ordered	FSM Order is awaiting CDC-OWS logistics for release
FSM - Chuuk	-	3,200	2,500	Delivered	-	3,200	3,200	Ordered	FSM Order is awaiting CDC-OWS logistics for release
FSM - Yap	-	1,500	1,500	Delivered	-	2,000	2,000	Ordered	FSM Order is awaiting CDC-OWS logistics for release
FSM - Kosrae	-	1,200	2,400	Delivered	-	600	600	Ordered	FSM Order is awaiting CDC-OWS logistics for release
RMI - Majuro	-	5,000	5,000	Delivered	-	4,400	4,400	Delivered	Arrived. No cold-chain problems
RMI - Ebeye	-	2,200	2,200	Delivered	-	2,000	2,000	Delivered	Arrived in Majuro. Shipper unable to deliver

Note: Vaccine sub-allocations for RMI and FSM are only estimates and will be updated weekly

February allotments are not yet available to order and are expected to be similar to January



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Vaccine Distribution Phase for USAPI Jurisdictions (as of 01/21/2021)

Jurisdiction	Phase 1a		Phase 1b		Phase 1c			Phase 2	
	HCWs	Long-term care facility residents	≥75 years of age	First responders and Frontline essential workers	≥65 years of age	16–64 years with high-risk conditions	Other Essential Workers	16-64 No special risk	Under age 16
American Samoa	X	n/a	X	X	X	X			
CNMI	X	n/a	X	X	X	X			
Guam	X	X	X	X	X				
Palau	X	n/a	X	X	X	X			
FSM - Pohnpei	X	n/a	X	X	X				
FSM - Chuuk	X	n/a	X	X	X				
FSM - Yap	X	n/a	X	X	X				
FSM - Kosrae	X	n/a	X	X	X				
RMI - Majuro	X	n/a	X	X	X				
RMI - Ebeye	X	n/a	X	X	X				

X: Has begun vaccinating in this category