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### **NEW COVID-19 TESTING REQUIREMENTS FOR INDIVIDUALS TRAVELING TO THE UNITED STATES**

The Ministry of Health and Human Services (MHHS) would like to inform the public of the following new testing requirements for the United States.

- Starting December 6, 2021, all air passengers, regardless of vaccination status, must show a negative COVID-19 test taken **no more than 1 day** before travel to the United States. This is required for all air passengers two years of age or older boarding a flight from a foreign country to the United States.
- COVID-19 testing for all US bound travelers will be conducted at the Belau National Hospital (Foyer) on Sunday, December 5, 2021 from 8:00am to 10:00am.
- Because of this last-minute change, the cost of testing will be waived this one time.

MHHS continues to thank the community for its support and understanding.

If you have any questions or need further information, please contact MHHS EOC Incident Commander, Ms. Ritter Udui at 775-0084.