MINISTRY OF HEALTH SEYCHELLES

PRESS RELEASE

THURSDAY 18TH FEBRUARY 2021

Update on COVID-19 cases

69 new cases of COVID-19 were recorded since the last update bringing the total number of cases recorded in Seychelles to 2280. They are from samples taken on the 15th, 16th and the 17th February.

6 are foreigners and 63 are Seychellois.

112 cases, of which 105 Seychellois and 7 foreigners, met discharge criteria today and have been discharged into convalescence.

Below table provides further details:

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<th>Categories</th>
<th>Cumulative</th>
<th>Active</th>
<th>Recovered</th>
<th>Death</th>
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<td>Visitors/GOP</td>
<td>422</td>
<td>29</td>
<td>393</td>
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<td>Foreign Seafarers and crew</td>
<td>161</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>156</td>
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<td>Seychellois</td>
<td>1697</td>
<td>517</td>
<td>1170</td>
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<td><strong>Total</strong></td>
<td><strong>2280</strong></td>
<td><strong>551</strong></td>
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Everyone is advised to continue practice the different measures to stop the spread of COVID-19. Keep interactions to immediate households (the persons you live with) only and to not gather in crowds. Other measures to follow:

- Wear a mask in public places and where physical distancing cannot be maintained
- Practise hand hygiene regularly
• Avoid gatherings and crowds
• Avoid sharing objects
• Practise physical distancing of more than 1 metre

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The Ministry of Health invites you to share this update. Members of the public experiencing symptoms of COVID-19 are advised to go to special stations at the following centres: Glacis, Baie Lazare & Mont Fleuri. Alternatively use the QR below to report your symptoms.