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As of 9 August 2020, 12pm, the Ministry of Health (MOH) has confirmed 175 new cases of COVID-19 infection in Singapore.

Among the cases:

- Imported cases: 3
  - o 1 Singaporean, 2 Work Pass holders

Amongst the 3 imported cases, 1 is a Singaporean who returned to Singapore from India on 25 July. The remaining 2 are Work Pass holders who are currently employed in Singapore. They arrived in Singapore from India on 26 July. All of them had been placed on 14-day Stay-Home Notice (SHN) upon arrival in Singapore, and were serving their SHN at dedicated facilities. They had been tested while serving their SHN.

- Cases in the community: 1
  - o 1 Singaporean

There is 1 case in the community today who is currently unlinked.

Overall, the number of new cases in the community has remained stable at an average of 2 cases per day in the past 2 weeks. The number of unlinked cases in the community has also remained stable at an average of 1 case per day in the past 2 weeks.

• Cases residing in dormitories: 171

The Inter-agency Taskforce has completed the testing of all workers in the dormitories on 7 August, and some of the test results are still being processed. There are currently about 23,500 workers who are still serving out their isolation period at quarantine facilities. These workers will be tested when their isolation ends, and we expect the case counts to remain high in the coming days, before tapering down thereafter.

Of the new cases, 98% are linked to known clusters, while the rest are pending contact tracing.

332 more cases of COVID-19 infection have been discharged from hospitals or community isolation facilities. In all, 48,915 have fully recovered from the infection and have been discharged from hospitals or community care facilities.

Most of the 135 confirmed cases who are still in hospital are stable or improving. 0 is in critical condition in the intensive care unit.

6,027 cases who have mild symptoms, or are clinically well but still test positive for COVID-19 are isolated and cared for at community facilities.

27 have passed away from complications due to COVID-19 infection.

Related link: List of public places visited by confirmed cases in the community during Infectious Period

For more details, refer to MOH's press release.

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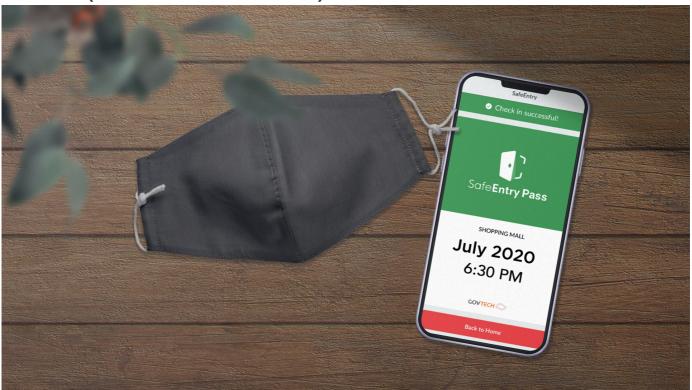






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