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October 15, 2020

TO: All Department of Education Employees

FROM: Dr. Christina M. Kishimoto
Superintendent

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SUBJECT: **Update on 14 Day Travel Quarantine**

This updated guidance supersedes the memorandum entitled, "Update on 14-Day Quarantine" dated July 29, 2020.

On October 13, 2020, Governor David Ige signed a 14th Proclamation related to the State's COVID-19 emergency. Based on his guidance, beginning October 15, 2020, a Pre-Travel Testing Program will allow travelers an alternative to the state's current 14-day mandatory self-quarantine.

All Department of Education employees and public school students will need to comply with their particular county's quarantine guidelines to avoid a mandatory 14-day quarantine in order to be able to return to work or school.

These county-by-county guidelines, which are subject to change, can be found on the Department of Transportation's (DOT) website. Employees and families should continue to refer to the DOT's website for the most current information at <https://hidot.hawaii.gov/coronavirus/>.

Any employee/student that has not fulfilled these new requirements is subject to the 14-day mandatory self-quarantine and cannot return to work or school.

For questions regarding this process, please contact James Lynch-Urbaniak, Personnel Specialist, Teacher Recruitment Unit, via email at james.lynch-urbaniak@k12.hi.us.

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