

# HAD distributes complimentary COVID-19 rapid test kits to households, cleansing workers and property management staff in Sham Shui Po and Tsuen Wan Districts

In light of positive test results for the COVID-19 virus from sewage samples collected in Sham Shui Po and Tsuen Wan Districts, the Home Affairs Department (HAD) said today (August 10) that the Sham Shui Po District Office (SSPDO) and the Tsuen Wan District Office (TWDO) have distributed a total of about 167 000 COVID-19 rapid test kits to households, cleansing workers and property management staff living and working in the Districts.

The SSPDO commenced distributing rapid test kits to households, cleansing workers and property management staff living and working in Nam Cheong Estate, Cullinan West, Cullinan West II, Cullinan West III, Yee Ching Court, Yee Kok Court, Manor Centre, Golden Building, Trinity Towers, and residential premises around Dianthus Road and Peony Road for voluntary testing through the property management companies and the owners' corporations.

In addition, the TWDO commenced distributing rapid test kits to households, cleansing workers and property management staff living and working in Tsuen Cheong Centre, Ho Fai Garden, Fou Wah Centre, Tsuen Fung Centre, Waldorf Centre, Fairview Garden, Luk Yeung Sun Chuen, The Cliveden and The Cairnhill for voluntary testing through the property management companies. The TWDO also commenced distributing rapid test kits to households living in Ham Tin Tsuen, Yeung Uk Tsuen, Ho Pui Tsuen, Hoi Pa San Tsuen and Kwan Mun Hau Tsuen for voluntary testing through the Village Representatives.

The HAD made the above arrangements in the hope of identifying infected persons early.

Members of the public may refer to the demonstration video produced by the Centre for Health Protection (CHP) under the Department of Health (DH) via [www.youtube.com/watch?v=yzFAUzTtmKk](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yzFAUzTtmKk) to learn how to use the rapid antigen test (RAT) kit.

Persons testing positive through an RAT should take a photo of the test result and declare the result within 24 hours via the Declaration System for Individuals Tested Positive for COVID-19 Using Rapid Antigen Test ([www.chp.gov.hk/ratp](http://www.chp.gov.hk/ratp)). If members of the public encounter difficulties in using the online platform, they can call the automated system at 183 6119 to register their identification document and telephone number. The CHP under the DH will contact the relevant person later to complete the report procedure. There is no need to declare negative test results.

The Government appeals for the co-operation of members of the public to safeguard the health of themselves and their families by undergoing testing on a voluntary basis and fighting the virus together. The Government urges all individuals who are in doubt about their own health condition, or individuals with infection risks (such as individuals who visited places with epidemic outbreaks or had contact with cases that tested positive), to undergo testing promptly for early identification of infected persons to reduce the transmission risks of COVID-19.