Data Collection Highlights

- Over [redacted] percent of all Island Area BCUs have been completed
- All Island Areas have completed data collection in at least [redacted] percent of all BCUs

- Highlights from the last 2 weeks:
  - American Samoa has interviewed [redacted] percent of housing units, and completed [redacted] BCUs
  - CNMI has interviewed [redacted] percent of housing units, and completed [redacted] BCUs
  - Guam has interviewed [redacted] percent of housing units, and completed [redacted] BCUs
  - USVI has interviewed over [redacted] percent of housing units ([redacted])

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BCU Completion Rate for all Island Areas (as of 10/7/20)

[redacted]% of all BCUs have been completed since 9/22.

[redacted]% of BCUs still in progress

Progress through September 22

Progress September 23 – October 7

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IAC BCU Completion Progress (as of 10/7/20)

American Samoa

CNMI

Guam

USVI

[redacted]

Progress through September 22

Progress September 23 – October 7

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IAC Housing Unit Enumeration Progress (as of 10/7/20)

American Samoa CNMI Guam USVI

[redacted]

Progress through September 22

Progress September 23 – October 7

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IAC Group Quarters Enumeration Progress (as of 10/7/20)

American Samoa

CNMI

Guam

USVI

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Progress September 23 – October 7

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IAC Transitory Locations Enumeration Progress (as of 10/7/20)

American Samoa | CNMI | Guam | USVI

[redacted]

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Highlights from the Field

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American Samoa

- Data collection materials shipped on 9/5. NPC has confirmed receipt of all data collection materials.
- FITd equipment sanitized and shipped week of 9/21.
- Public Thank You events completed on 9/11 in Tutuila and 9/12 in Manu'a.

"The final partnership events to thank the public for their participation in the 2020 Census of American Samoa were a wonderful way to celebrate the tremendous effort the entire island put into ensuring a complete and accurate count."

-[redacted] Census Advisor

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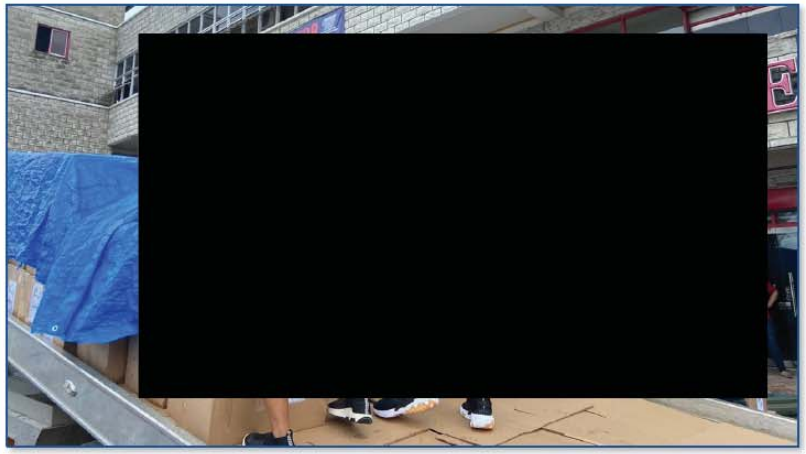
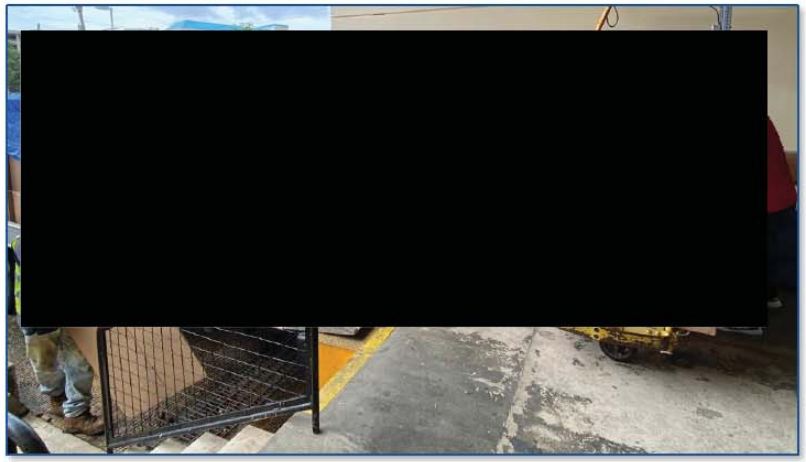
CNMI

- Data collection materials shipped to NPC on 9/30.
- FITd equipment sanitization began on 10/5. Scheduled to complete NLT 10/9. Equipment pickup scheduled for the week of 10/12.

"Accompanying the data collection materials to the U.S. Post Office for shipping to NPC was the culmination of years of work, providing a huge sense of accomplishment for the entire team ."
-[redacted] Census Advisor





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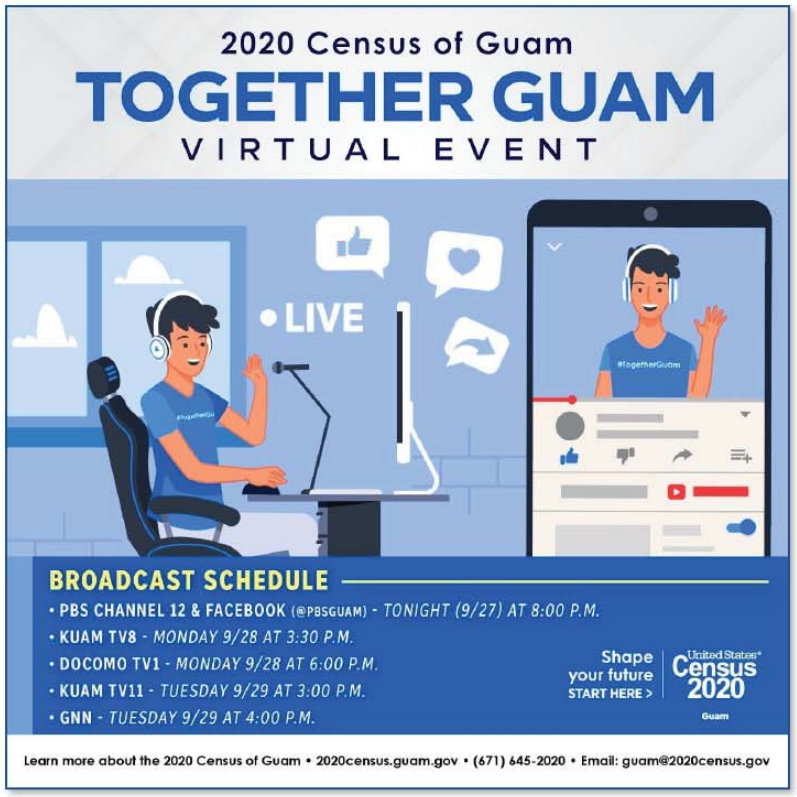
Guam

- On 9/23, the Guam Census Office hosted a virtual "2020 Census of Guam: Together Guam" event to highlight the importance of census data and to encourage response in the final week of data collection. The event premiered on PBS and was rebroadcast on several online platforms and local networks.

- Primary data collection ended on 9/30. Followup Activities will conclude 10/17, with shipping of the materials slated to happen on 10/31.

"The virtual event was a wonderful way to feature local leaders and trusted voices discussing the importance of census data and its impact on Guam, highlight the staff and their hard work, and to encourage individuals who had not yet responded to the 2020 Census. It was a huge success and provided the last boost we needed to complete data collection!"

– [redacted] Census Advisor



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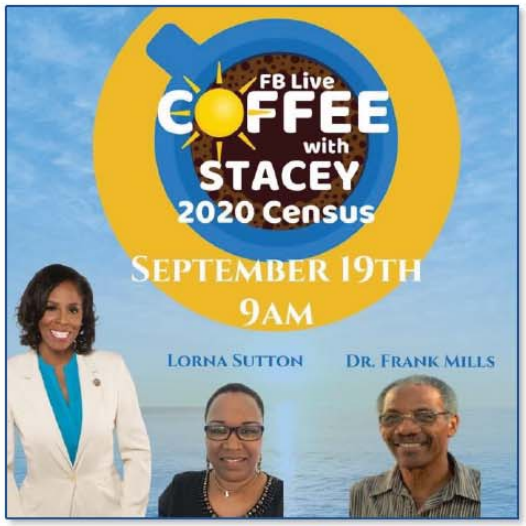
USVI – St. Croix District

- Operating under a Safer-at-Home order since 9/8. COVID-19 cases have decreased. The Census office continues to be fully operational.
- The goal is to finish data collection by 10/31.
- Community Engagement & Communication Campaign
  - USVI Delegate to Congress, Mrs. Stacey Plaskett, dedicated her weekly Facebook Live event to support the 2020 Census.
  - Conducted two outreach events to distribute Statistics In School materials to five public and private schools.
  - Conducted four Drive-by Community Outreach events where we distributed over 3,000 promotional items

"COVID-19 restrictions still exist on the island. Public schools are virtual for the 2020-21 school year, large gatherings still prohibited and in person interactions discouraged or restricted. We are addressing these challenges by making use of virtual platforms and creativity to engage with respondents, such as drive-by community outreach events, where we hand out promotional items to drivers."

– [redacted], *Census Advisor*



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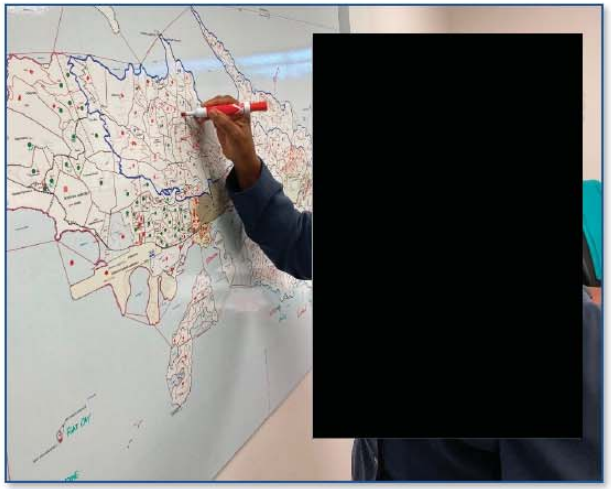
USVI – St. Thomas/St. John District

- Operating under a Safer-at-Home order since 9/8. COVID-19 cases have decreased. The Census office continues to be fully operational.
- The goal is to finish data collection by 10/31.
- We are in the rainy season and poor weather has made field operations less productive than we would like.

"Our entire office is working extremely hard to complete data collection this month. It is encouraging to see the progress we have made and the dedication shown by all."
–[redacted], Census Advisor



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Quick Facts: 2010 Data

	Population	Housing Units
American Samoa	55,519	10,963
Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands (CNMI)	53,883	20,850
Guam	159,385	50,567
U.S. Virgin Islands (USVI)	106,405	55,901
Total	**375,192**	**138,281**

Source: 2010 Census

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Island Areas Censuses Key Activities

Activity	Start	Finish
Conduct Address Listing (Pacific Islands)	02/03/2020 A	02/28/2020 A
Conduct Guam Military Enumeration	03/02/2020 A	03/15/20 A
Conduct Housing Unit Enumeration (Pacific Islands)	03/02/2020 A	08/30/20
Conduct Address Listing/Housing Unit Enumeration (U.S. Virgin Islands)	03/01/2020 A	09/30/20
Conduct Special Enumeration	03/02/2020 A	08/01/20
Conduct Field Followup	07/16/20	09/30/20
Prepare and Ship Completed IAC Data Collection Materials to NPC	10/01/20	10/31/20
American Samoa Goal		*08/31/20*
CNMI Goal		*09/30/20*
Guam Goal		*09/30/20*
USVI Goal		*10/31/20*
Conduct Closeout Activities for Census Offices	11/01/20	12/31/20

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Data Collection Progress (as of 10/7/20)

Enumeration	BCUs Completed (%)	BCUs Completed (#)	Change since September 22	Total BCUs
American Samoa	[redacted]			
CNMI				
Guam				
USVI				

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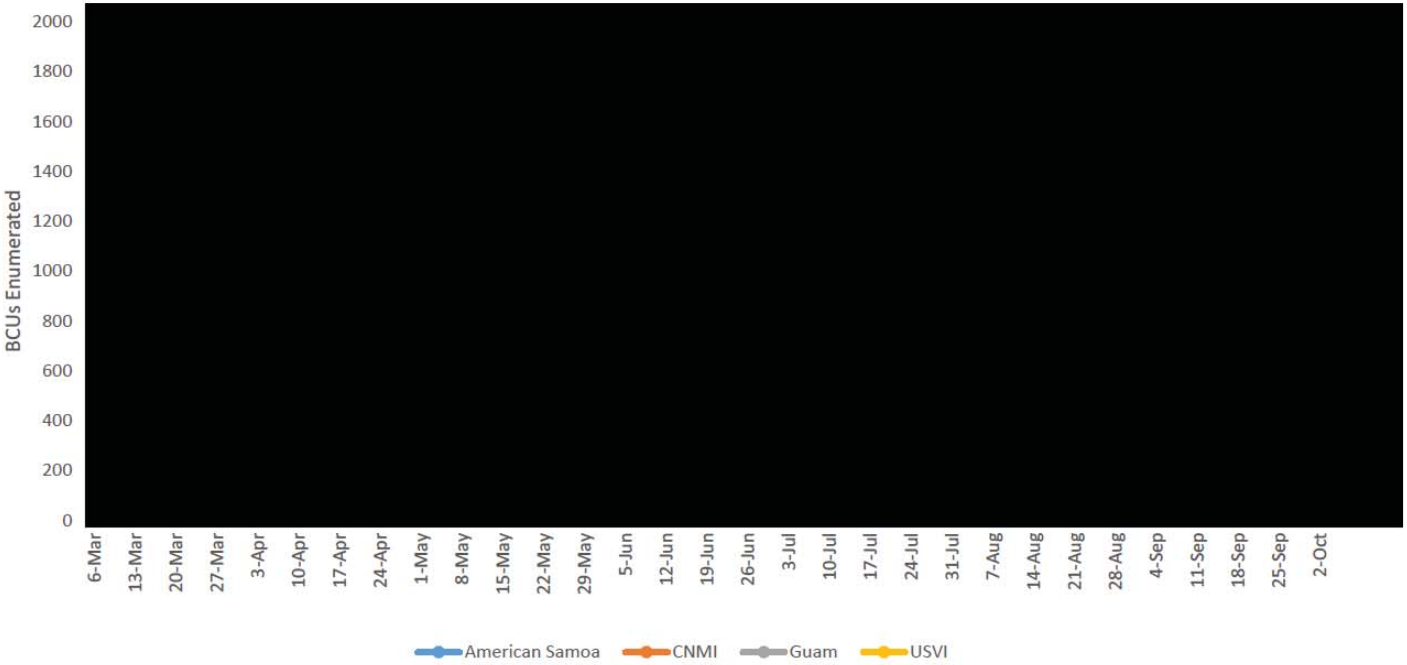

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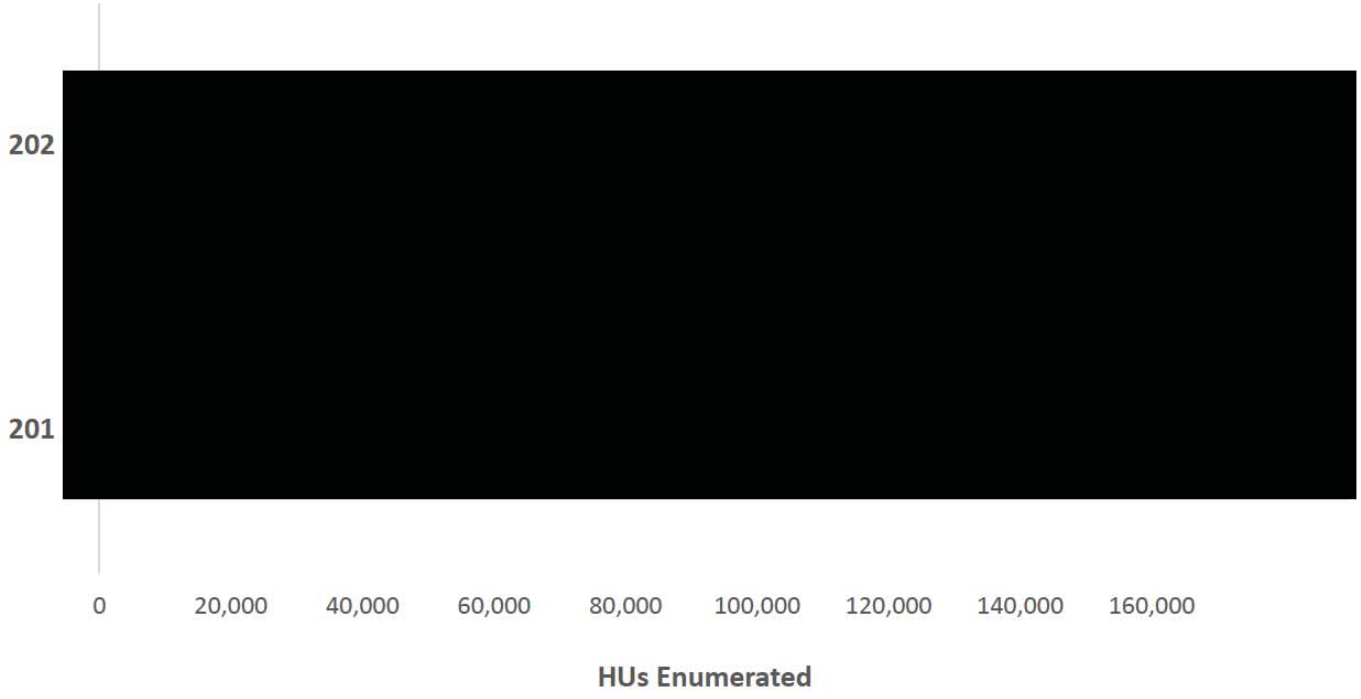

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