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Honoring a Century: Nominate a Centenarian for Senior Citizens Month 2026

Hågatña, Guam - The Department of Public Health and Social Services (DPHSS), Division of Senior Citizens (DSC) will celebrate our island's Centenarians in May 2026 as part of Senior Citizens Month. A *Centenarian* is any senior citizen who is or will be 100 years of age or older between the time period of January 1, 2026 and December 31, 2026. In addition, for the purpose of this program, and to be eligible, the Centenarian's primary residence must be in Guam.

To assist DSC in recognizing Guam's Centenarians, the public is encouraged to inform a Centenarian or the Centenarian's family or caregiver about this hallmark event. To participate, Biographical forms and Consent for Release of Information forms must be filled out for the Centenarian.

The Biographical and Consent for Release of Information forms can be found via the DPHSS website at www.dphss.guam.gov or requested via email to be sent directly to Biba.SeniorCitizens@dphss.guam.gov.

The deadline to submit all Biographical forms is 3:00 p.m., Friday, March 6, 2026.

For more information, please contact Cherika Diego, Administrative Officer or Krisinda C. Aguon, Human Services Program Administrator at Biba.SeniorCitizens@dphss.guam.gov. Individuals can also contact the DSC by calling (671) 735-7415 or (671) 735-7421 for more information.

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