

Task force on hand to help travellers with MySejahtera

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KOTA KINABALU: Health authorities will be on hand to assist international travellers upon their arrival at the airport here.

Sabah Health department director Datuk Dr Rose Nani Mudin said a task force team would be ready to welcome the first direct international flight scheduled to arrive on Saturday.

She added that the team had prepared themselves for the task ahead through simulations being carried out in the last two weeks and holding two meetings with the relevant agencies for the reopening of the borders.

"Based on observations at the Kuala Lumpur International Airport, travellers have not updated their MySejahtera upon arrival.

"(By right), they are supposed to complete (update details on) MySejahtera, otherwise it will turn red and they cannot move around in Sabah," she said when met after Chief Minister Datuk Seri Hajiji Noor handed over Raya cookies to security enforcement agencies and health personnel at the Menara Kinabalu here.

Dr Rose said that the deployment of the non-medical and medical staff as well as the volunteers at the airport would assist travellers in terms of checking the vaccination status and on MySejahtera matters.

As for the Covid-19 RTK Antigen rapid tests, she said there would be appointed agents at the airport or travellers could get the test from appointed clinics.

Earlier, Hajiji said Sabah government was able to implement its development plan smoothly due to the commitment of the security forces in maintaining peace as well as the health frontliners in combating Covid-19.

"The peace that we are enjoying now has allowed the nation to continue moving forward.

"In the context of the nation's border reopening on April 1, a peaceful Malaysia is instrumental in securing investors' confidence as well as attracting foreign tourists to come to our country.

"Also not forgotten are the health workers, doctors, nurses and paramedics who have worked tirelessly, especially during the Covid-19 pandemic.

"On behalf of the state government I would like to express my sincere appreciation and gratitude for the services and sacrifices of our men and women in the security forces as well as the health frontliners," he said.