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PUBLIC AUTHORITY RECORDS NEW CASE AGED 26 OF COVID-19 IN SEYCHELLES

ANSE ROYALE HEALTH FACILITY

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Members of the public are advised to continue observing the guidelines to prevent the spread of COVID 19. These are:

“☐ Frequently wash your hands with soap and water, or sanitise hands using alcohol based hand sanitisers

“☐ Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when coughing and sneezing and dispose of the tissue in a bin, then wash your hands. Alternatively you can cover your nose and mouth with a dab.

“☐ Practice social physical distancing. Keep between 1 and 2 meter distance from others.

“☐ Avoid gatherings. Follow the regulations to not socialize in a group consisting of more than 4 people in public places. Keep in touch with family by telephone instead of going for a visit.

“☐ Avoid going out unless necessary. Source: Department of Health, Seychelles.

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