



CAAS Circular 14/2022

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WEARING OF PROPER PERSONAL PROTECTION EQUIPMENT (PPE)

Personal protection equipment (PPE) such as face masks and personal hygiene are the first line of defence to protect ourselves and our colleagues against COVID-19.

2 Since the start of the year, we have spotted 6 cases of airport workers who did not wear or were improperly wearing their PPEs. We further spotted 5 workers who did not wear masks at all, whilst 16 workers did not wear their masks properly (under the nose, chin etc). As part of the enforcement measures, notices of composition or letters of advisory were issued by CAAS.

3 As many of you may be aware, recovery of air travel in Changi has started since we launched the Vaccinated Travel Lane in September 2021. Passenger traffic has increased from about 3% to 15% over the last few months and is poised to increase further. At the same time, Singapore is also experiencing an Omicron wave. Therefore, to ensure that we have the necessary staff strength to continue to support the continued recovery in air travel, all of us will need to play our part to protect ourselves and our fellow colleagues.

4 CAAS would like to seek the cooperation of the entire airport community to adhere to the Safe Management Measures (SMMs). Companies should remind and conduct checks on your staff to ensure PPEs are properly worn. For individuals, do look out and remind each other too.

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