



Search...



[PUBLIC](#)

[PROFESSIONALS](#)

[HEALTHY LIVING](#)

[ABOUT](#)

[MEDIA](#)

[PUBLICATIONS](#)

[CAREERS](#)

[MINISTERS](#)

[Home](#) [»](#) [Infectious diseases](#) [Diseases](#)

Latest updates on COVID-19  
(Coronavirus)

[A-Z of infectious diseases](#)

[Fact sheets](#)

[Control guidelines](#)

Latest updates on COVID-19  
(Coronavirus)

## On this page

[Latest statistics](#)

[Latest press conference](#)

[New cases](#)

[Age and sex breakdown of confirmed cases reported in NSW](#)

[Likely source of infection of confirmed cases reported in NSW](#)

[Confirmed cases by local health district \(LHD\), across NSW](#)

[Confirmed cases by local health district \(LHD\), across Sydney Metropolitan region](#)

[Airport screening](#)

[More information](#)

## Latest statistics

As of 8pm 19 March 2020

Cases	Count
Confirmed cases	353
Deaths	6
Cases tested and excluded	40,298

## Latest press conference

## New cases

There have been an additional 46 cases reported in NSW in the past 24 hours.

## Age and sex breakdown of confirmed cases reported in NSW

Age group	Female	Male	Total
10-19	8	6	14
20-29	30	24	54
30-39	45	42	87
40-49	25	40	65
50-59	27	32	59
60-69	21	30	51
70-79	8	6	14
80-89	2	3	5
90-100	4	0	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>353</b>

## Likely source of infection of confirmed cases reported in NSW

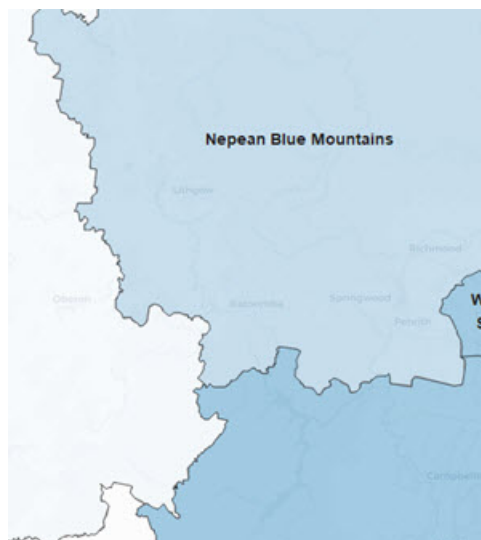
Source	Number of cases
Overseas acquired	158
Epi link (contact of confirmed case)	69
Under investigation	74
Unknown	52
<b>Total</b>	<b>353</b>

### Confirmed cases by local health district (LHD), across NSW



This map shows confirmed COVID-19 cases only (based on location of usual residence). Cases without a NSW residential address are not shown. The case definition of a confirmed case is a person who tests positive to a validated specific SARS-CoV-2 nucleic acid test or has the virus identified by electron microscopy or viral culture, at a reference laboratory.

### Confirmed cases by local health district (LHD), across Sydney Metropolitan region





This map shows confirmed COVID-19 cases only (based on location of usual residence). Cases without a NSW residential address are not shown. The case definition of a confirmed case is a person who tests positive to a validated specific SARS-CoV-2 nucleic acid test or has the virus identified by electron microscopy or viral culture, at a reference laboratory.

## Airport screening



Since 2 February 2020, NSW Health has been assisting the Australian Government in assessing passengers who arrive at Sydney International Airport from countries with high levels of COVID-19 community transmission. Up to 6pm 19 March 2020, a total of 28,517 passenger arrivals have been screened for possible symptoms of COVID-19. This includes 302 passengers screened on 19 March.



A total of 173 people have been transferred to hospital for further evaluation and COVID-19 testing where clinically indicated. This includes 5 people who arrived on 19 March.

## More information

### NSW Health

- [Press conference - 16 March](#)
- [View all COVID-19 \(Coronavirus\) press conferences](#)
- [View all media releases](#)

### Commonwealth

- [Australian Health Protection Principal Committee \(AHPPC\) coronavirus \(COVID-19\) statement - 08 March 2020](#)
- [Australian Government Department of Health - Coronavirus \(COVID-19\) health alert](#)
- [Australian Government Department of Health - Coronavirus \(COVID-19\): National Health Plan resources](#)

Page Updated: Friday 20 March 2020

Contact page owner: [Health Protection NSW](#)