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As of 8pm 19 March 2020

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

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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
Total	170	183	353

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
Total	353

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
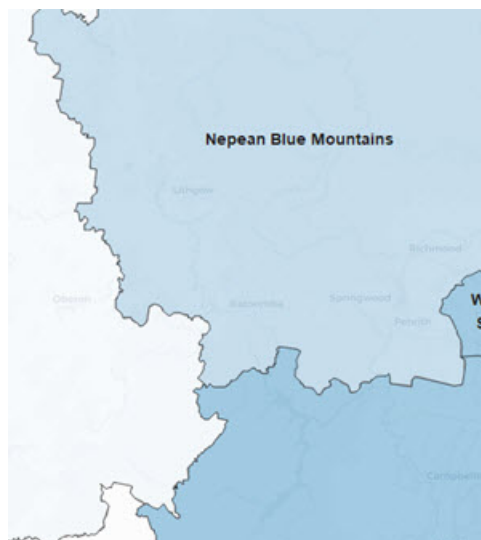
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Airport screening

Since 2 February 2020, NSW Health 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

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