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Latest statistics

As of 8pm 23 March 2020

Cases	Count
Confirmed cases (incl. interstate residents in NSW health care facilities)	818
Cases tested and excluded	61,030
Total	61,848

- New cases reported since 8pm 23 March: 149
- Total deaths reported: 7

Latest press conference

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New cases

There have been an additional 149 cases reported in NSW in the past 24 hours.

Age and sex breakdown of confirmed cases reported in NSW

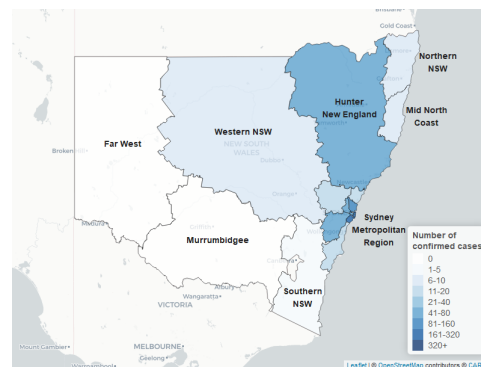
Age group	Female	Male	Total
10-19	18	9	27
20-29	84	66	150
30-39	76	73	149
40-49	52	72	124
50-59	60	72	132
60-69	69	64	133
70-79	29	42	71
80-89	7	15	22
90-100	7	2	9
Total	402	416	818

Likely source of infection of confirmed cases reported in NSW

Source	Cases
Overseas acquired	425
Locally acquired - contact of a confirmed case	174
Local acquired – contact not identified	72
Under investigation	147
Total	818

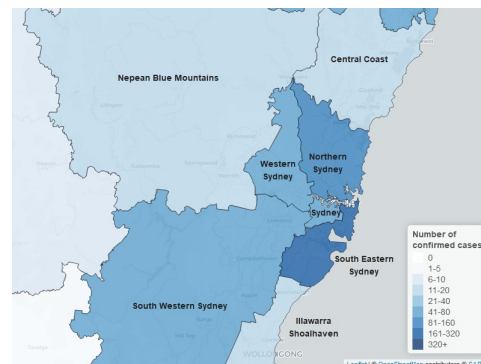
Confirmed cases by local health district (LHD)

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.

Across Sydney Metropolitan region



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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. On 23 March 2020, a total of 1,259 passenger arrivals were screened for possible symptoms of COVID-19. 25 people were transferred to hospital for further evaluation and COVID-19 testing where clinically indicated.

Public Health Orders

- [23 March 2020 - Public Health \(COVID-19 Places of Social Gathering\) Order 2020 under the Public Health Act 2010](#)
- [21 March 2020 - Public Health \(COVID-19 Gatherings\) Order 2020 under the Public Health Act 2010](#)
- [20 March 2020 - Public Health \(COVID-19 Lord Howe Island\) Order 2020 under the Public Health Act 2010](#)

More information

NSW Health

- [Press conference - 23 March](#)
- [View all COVID-19 \(Coronavirus\) press conferences](#)
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Commonwealth

- [Australian Health Protection Principal Committee \(AHPPC\) coronavirus \(COVID-19\) statement - 22 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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