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## **Current status and contact tracing alerts**

#### Status as at 19 March 2020

Queensland has had 144 confirmed cases of COVID-19 coronavirus.

For details of individual confirmed cases please see Department of Health media releases.

#### Changes to health advice

There are new self-quarantine requirements for all overseas travellers.

Australians should cancel or postpone all unnecessary travel until further notice. For more information, visit the <u>Australian Government</u> website.

There is new advice for public gatherings and visits to vulnerable groups.

For more information, visit the Australian Government website.

Queensland's Chief Health Officer has provided new <u>public health directives</u> in regard to <u>Trading hours</u>, <u>Mass</u> <u>gatherings</u> and <u>Non-essential indoor gatherings</u>.

### **Contact tracing**

Public health alerts for contact tracing are in place for the following locations:

Region	Location	Date and time	Health advice
Brisbane	Friday's Nightclub	Between 6pm Friday 6 March and 11pm Monday 9 March	Anyone who attended this location during this period should monitor their health for 14 days. If you become unwell, contact a doctor immediately. Call ahead and advise of your symptoms and exposure so they can prepare for your visit.

### Symptoms and testing

If you have been overseas in the last 14 days and are feeling unwell, see a doctor immediately. Before your appointment, call ahead and advise of your symptoms and recent travel so they can prepare for your visit.

Common symptoms of COVID-19 coronavirus include:

- fever
- a cough
- sore throat
- fatigue
- shortness of breath.

See a doctor immediately if you have these symptoms and have travelled overseas in the past 14 days or have had contact with a confirmed case of COVID-19 coronavirus. Before your appointment, call ahead and advise of your

symptoms and recent travel so necessary precautions can be taken.

# For information on COVID-19 coronavirus, contact 13 HEALTH (<u>13 43 25 84</u>) or visit <u>www.health.qld.gov.au/coronavirus</u>.

#### **Testing update**

As at 19 March 2020	Patients tested
Total	27,064
Tests pending (not included in total above)	1,373

Read more about <u>testing</u> including current testing criteria.

#### **Travel advice**

The Australian government has implemented border control measures and <u>travel advice</u> to help contain the spread of the virus. These measures are regularly updated so we recommend checking the latest <u>statements on the COVID-19</u> <u>coronavirus situation.</u>

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