



Current status and contact tracing alerts – coronavirus (COVID-19)

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Status as at 12 April 2020

Queensland has 12 new confirmed cases of coronavirus (COVID-19) raising the state total to 983.

HHS*	Active cases	Recovered cases	Deaths	Total confirmed cases
Cairns and Hinterland	11	21	0	32
Central Queensland	8	1	0	9
Central West	0	0	0	0
Darling Downs	21	19	2	42
Gold Coast	108	73	0	181
Mackay	9	5	0	14
Metro North	225	75	2	302
Metro South	148	85	0	233
North West	0	0	0	0
South West	0	0	0	0
Sunshine Coast	26	60	1	87
Torres and Cape	0	0	0	0
Townsville	12	11	0	23

HHS*	Active cases	Recovered cases	Deaths	Total confirmed cases
West Moreton	23	14	0	37
Wide Bay	19	4	0	23
Overseas	0	0	0	0
Total	610	368	5	983**

* HHS level case data may include a patient's residential address, Public Health Unit managing or location where test was ordered.

** Changes may occur in the number of notifications reported from day to day. This is due to ongoing maintenance and update of notification details as new information becomes available, or where discrepancies are detected through data quality assurance activities.

The majority of cases are from patients who have travelled overseas, or have had direct contact with a confirmed case who had travelled overseas.

View [maps of Hospital and Health Service \(HHS\) boundaries](#).

Changes to health and travel advice

All Australians must practice [social distancing](#) and stay home except for essential trips and exercise. Queenslanders are urged to stay home this long weekend.

Queensland introduced further [border restrictions](#) from midnight Friday 10 April.

There are new [self-quarantine](#) requirements for all overseas and interstate travellers, and people arriving from an identified [COVID-19 hotspot](#).

There is new [advice for public gatherings and visits to vulnerable groups](#).

Queensland's Chief Health Officer has provided new [public health directions](#).

Contact tracing

There are currently no flights requiring contact tracing.

Please note that public contact tracing alerts are removed after 14 days as they are no longer applicable.

Advice for passengers arriving on any flights with a confirmed case of COVID-19

All travellers arriving into Queensland from interstate or overseas are advised to self-quarantine for 14 days (unless you are an [exempt person](#)). This applies to all travellers, even if you have no symptoms. Please follow the advice provided to you at the airport.

If you develop symptoms during your quarantine period, you must call your GP or 13 HEALTH ([13 43 25 84](#)). For severe symptoms, such as shortness of breath at rest or difficulty breathing, dial 000.

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 ([13 43 25 84](tel:13432584)) or visit www.health.qld.gov.au/coronavirus.

Testing update as at 12 April

Total samples tested: **72,313**

Read more about [testing](#) including current testing criteria.

Travel advice

The Australian government has implemented border control measures and [travel advice](#) to help contain the spread of the virus. These measures are regularly updated so we recommend checking the latest [statements on the COVID-19 coronavirus situation](#).

Queensland introduced [border restrictions](#) from midnight Wednesday 25 March.

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