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Testing results

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On 9 March 2020, The Director of Public Health, Dr Nicola Brink, announced the first positive case of COVID-19, in the island. See the following media release for more details.

### First case of COVID-19 in the Bailiwick confirmed

[2020.03.09\\_positive\\_case\\_of\\_COVID-19.pdf](#)

## COVID-19 testing and cases

Bailiwick of Guernsey

Samples tested

1835

Positive results

223

Negative results

1528

Awaiting results

84

No. of deaths\*

7

No. of presumptive deaths

3

Number recovered

53

\*There are 7 in total and 1 death in hospital

The positive results are a result of infections acquired in UK, France, Tenerife, Mainland Spain, Germany, Austria, Switzerland, Jersey and Guernsey.

### **Hospital Cases**

There are currently 9 patients being managed within the PEH with COVID-19. No patients are currently requiring intensive care support.

### **Deaths**

Seven confirmed COVID-19 deaths – COVID-19 positive on laboratory testing / throat swab.

Three presumptive COVID-19 deaths – no laboratory testing or negative laboratory testing, but cause of death thought to be COVID-19 related.

### **Demographics**

On 13th April, an analysis of the 219 confirmed cases showed that:

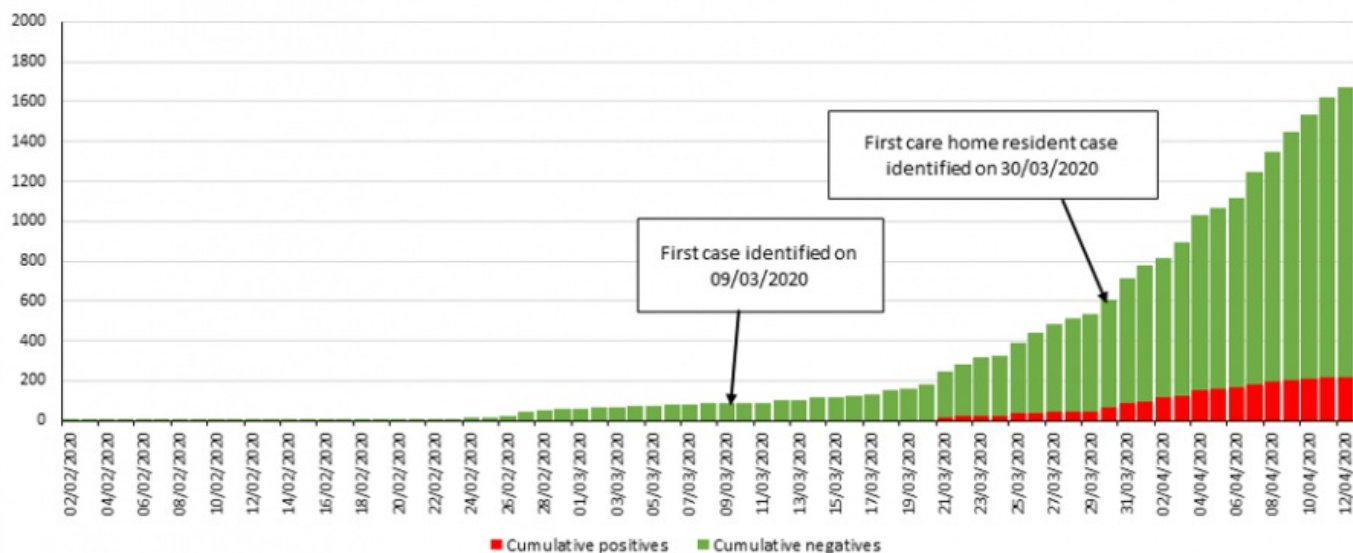
- 62% of cases were among females; 38% among males;
- Infections have been recorded in individuals aged from 0 to 99;
- 96% of infections have been in adults aged 18 and over; 4% have been among children under age 18.

### **Recovered**

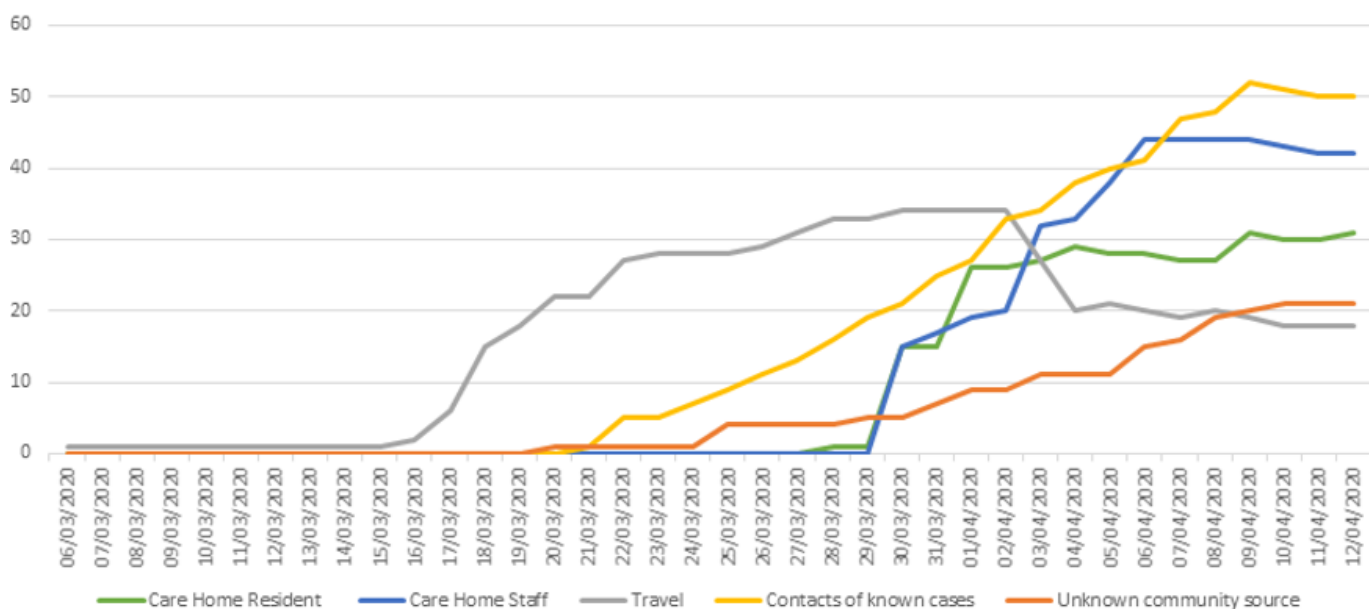
We are defining recovery as having no virus detectable on their nose/throat swab on Day 14.

53 people with proven COVID-19 have been confirmed to have recovered from COVID-19 and have no virus detectable on their nose/throat swab.

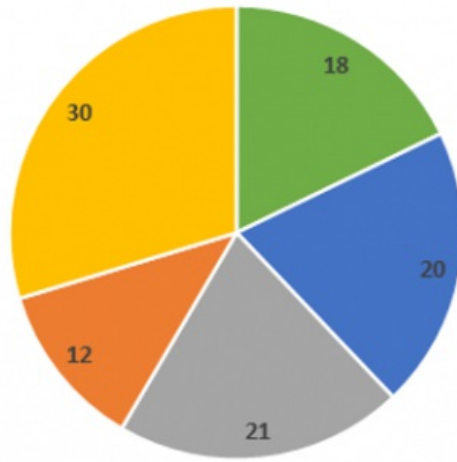
Cumulative positive and negative results by date received



Case grouping by date of diagnosis



## Case grouping (%)



■ Care Home Resident ■ Care Home Staff ■ Travel ■ Unknown community source ■ Contacts of known cases

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### Welfare calls

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### Re-tests for positive cases

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### How is COVID-19 testing carried out in Guernsey?

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## COVID-19 contacts

### Clinical questions



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