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# Latest updates on COVID-19 (Coronavirus)

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## The latest news as of 5.45pm on Saturday 18 July

2 deaths and 21 cases confirmed:

- the Health Protection Surveillance Centre (HPSC) has been notified of 2 deaths from COVID-19
- there have been 1,753 COVID-19 related deaths in Ireland
- 21 additional cases of COVID-19 have been confirmed
- there have now been 25,750 confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Ireland

[Statement from the National Public Health Emergency Team - Saturday 18 July](#)

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## Download the COVID Tracker App

[You can download the COVID Tracker app here.](#)

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## Guidance on face coverings

Face coverings are now required on public transport. [Guidance on safe use of face coverings is available here.](#)

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## Latest regulations

[You can view Statutory Instruments related to the COVID-19 pandemic here.](#)

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## Amárach public opinion survey

View the [Amárach Public Opinion Survey](#).

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## View the Roadmap for reopening

[You can view the roadmap for easing the COVID-19 restrictions here.](#)

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## Technical notes from the IEMAG

View [Technical Notes from the Irish Epidemiological Modelling Advisory Group to NPHE](#).

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## NPHE meeting minutes

[Minutes and Agendas from meetings of the National Public Health Emergency Team: COVID-19.](#)

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[Letters from the CMO to the Minister for Health.](#)

## Minister and Health leadership meeting minutes

[Minutes from meetings of the Minister for Health and health leadership.](#)

## Department correspondence with Nursing Homes Ireland

[Department correspondence with Nursing Homes Ireland: January - May 2020.](#)

## HSE Correspondence

[View the latest correspondence on COVID-19 between the Department of Health and the HSE.](#)

## Overview of the health system response to COVID-19 LTRCs



Overview of the health system response to COVID-19 Long Term Residential Centres

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## Nursing Homes Papers: Special COVID-19 Committee - June 2020

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