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# Latest updates on COVID-19 (Coronavirus)

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## The latest news as of 6pm on Friday 29 January

48 deaths and 1,254 cases confirmed:

- the Health Protection Surveillance Centre (HPSC) has been informed of 48 additional deaths among people with COVID-19 in Ireland. 45 of these deaths occurred in January
- there have been 3,214 COVID-19 related deaths in Ireland
- 1,254 additional cases of COVID-19 have been confirmed
- there have now been 193,892 confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Ireland
- as of 2pm today, 1,518 COVID-19 patients are hospitalised, of which 211 are in ICU. 51 additional hospitalisations in the past 24 hours.

[View today's statement from NPHET.](#)

Saturday's NPHET press release will be published at a later time due to essential IT maintenance. The latest figures can be found on the Department of Health's Twitter page [@roinnslainte](#).

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# Epidemiology of COVID-19 in Ireland

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## NPHET meeting minutes and other technical documents

### ECDC correspondence

Read the [latest correspondence on COVID-19 between the Department of Health and the European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control \(ECDC\)](#).

### NPHET meeting minutes

Read the [meeting minutes of the National Public Health Emergency Team: COVID-19](#).

### Letters from the CMO to the Minister for Health

View the latest [letters from the CMO to the Minister for Health](#).

### Latest regulations

View the latest [Statutory Instruments related to the COVID-19 pandemic](#).

### Amárach public opinion survey

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

### Technical notes from the IEMAG

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

## 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

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## Nursing Homes: Preparedness and Ongoing Response to COVID-19

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