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COVID-19: Case demographics

Full details of the confirmed and probable cases of COVID-19 in New Zealand.

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All data on this page is as at 9:00 am on 23 April 2021 unless otherwise stated.

Data is collected from the EpiSurv database (administered by ESR) unless otherwise stated.

The next update to the data on this page will take place on Sunday, 25 April.

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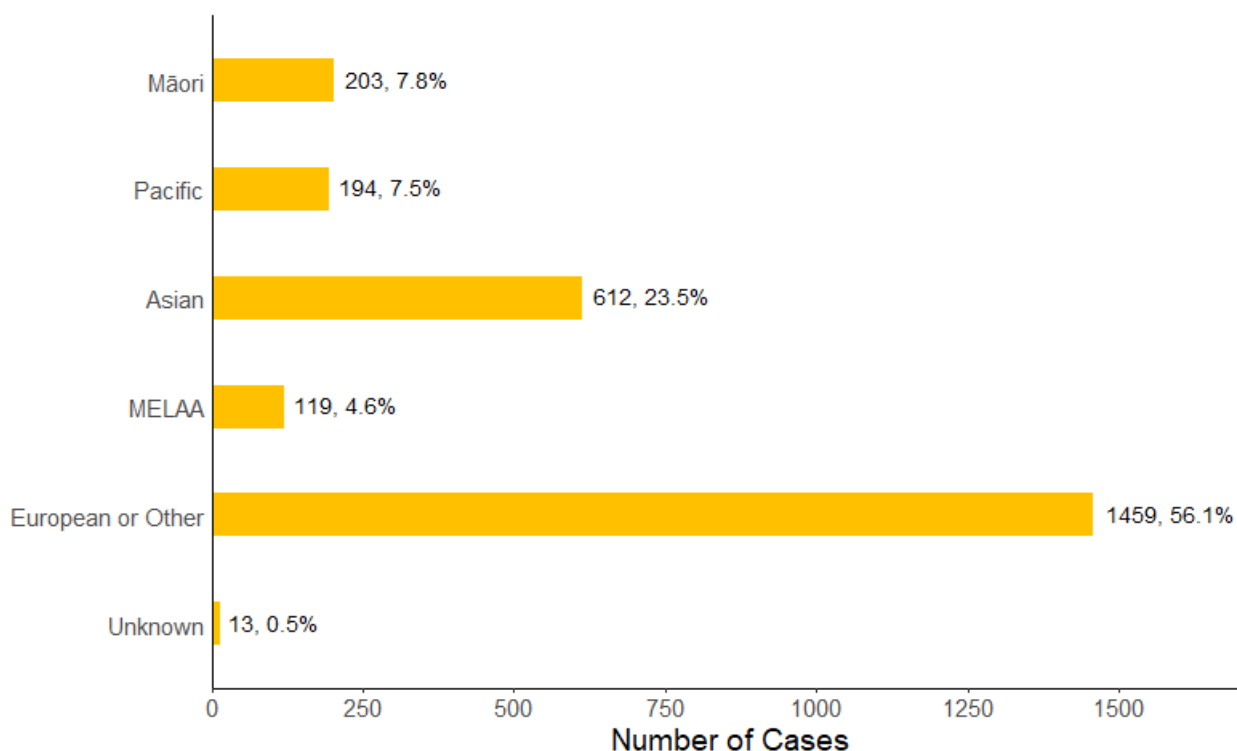
COVID-19 and ethnicity

Total cases and tests by ethnicity

	Total cases since first NZ case	Total tests for COVID-19 to date
Māori	203	276,319
Pacific peoples	194	236,386
Asian	612	322,400
European/other	1,578	1,067,246
Unknown	13	90,356
Total	2,600	1,992,707

Note: This table shows the number of tests, and some people are tested more than once.

Cases by ethnicity



Cases of COVID-19 by ethnicity

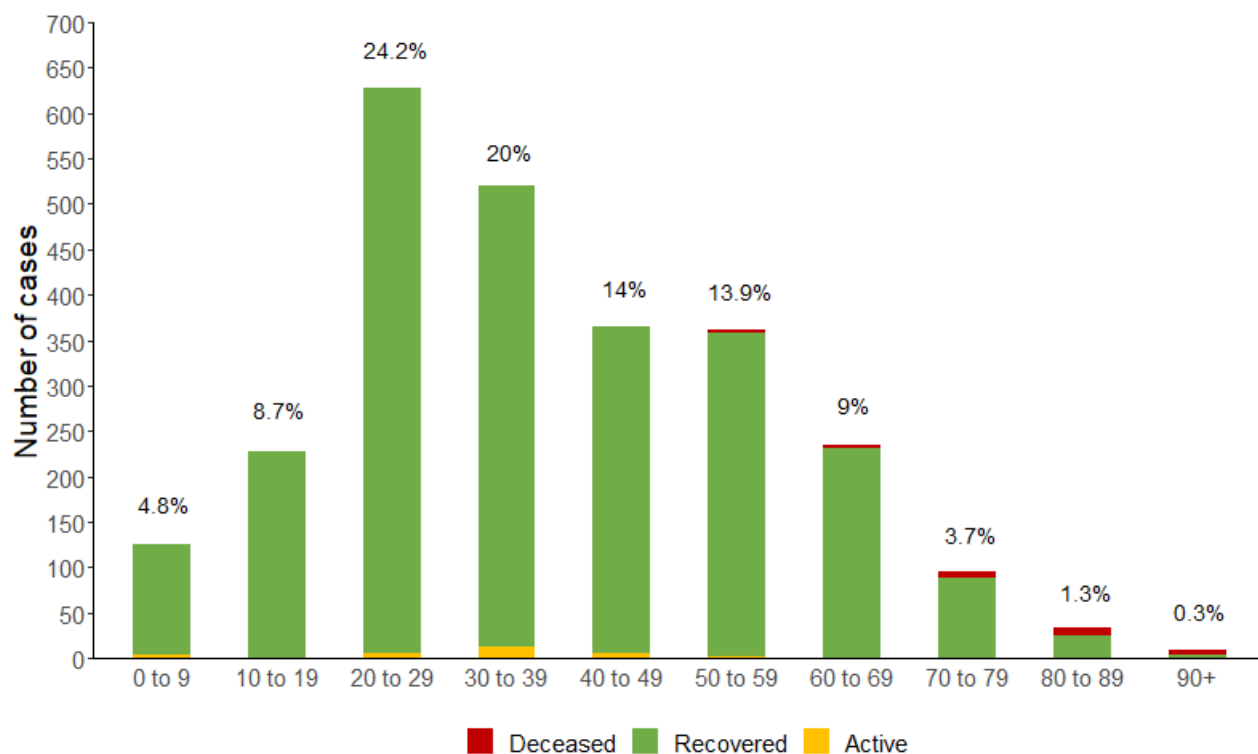
Ethnicity*	Active (confirmed and probable)	Recovered	Deceased	Total cases since first case	Percentage of all cases
Māori	1	197	5	203	7.8%
Pacific peoples	1	192	1	194	7.5%
Asian	20	592	0	612	23.5%
Middle Eastern, Latin American and African (MELAA)	6	111	2	119	4.6%
European or Other	4	1437	18	1459	56.1%
Unknown	0	13	0	13	0.5%
Total	32	2542	26	2600	100%

* The prioritised ethnicity classification system is used in this table and below. This means each person is allocated to a single ethnic group, based on the ethnic groups they identify with. Where people identify with more than one group, they are assigned in this order of priority: Māori, Pacific Peoples, Asian, and European/Other. So, if a person identifies as being Māori and New Zealand European, the person is counted as Māori. See [Ngā tapuāe me ngā raraunga: Methods and data sources](#) for further information.

The data categorized by ethnicity come from National Health Index (NHI) data collection, linked to data held in the EpiSurv database.

COVID-19 by age and sex

Cases by age



COVID-19 cases by age group

Age group	Active (confirmed and probable)	Recovered	Deceased	Total cases	Percentage of all cases
0 to 9	4	121	0	125	4.8%
10 to 19	1	226	0	227	8.7%
20 to 29	6	622	0	628	24.2%
30 to 39	12	509	0	521	20%
40 to 49	6	359	0	365	14%
50 to 59	2	356	3	361	13.9%
60 to 69	1	231	3	235	9%
70 to 79	0	89	7	96	3.7%
80 to 89	0	25	8	33	1.3%
90+	0	4	5	9	0.3%
Total	32	2542	26	2600	100%

Cases by sex

Total cases of COVID-19 by sex

Sex	Active (confirmed and probable)	Recovered	Deceased	Total cases	Percentage of all cases
Female	15	1305	12	1332	51%
Male	17	1237	14	1268	49%
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0%
Total	32	2542	26	2600	100%

Cases by hospitalisation and intensive care

Cases in hospital and in intensive care (ICU) by age

Age group	Total people hospitalised	Total people in ICU
0 to 9	1	0
10 to 19	3	1
20 to 29	7	1
30 to 39	17	1

Age group	Total people hospitalised	Total people in ICU
40 to 49	17	3
50 to 59	29	4
60 to 69	24	4
70 to 79	18	4
80 to 89	8	0
90+	4	0
Total	128	18

Cases in hospital and in intensive care by sex

Sex	Total people hospitalised	Total people in ICU
Female	66	6
Male	62	12
Total	128	18

Details of past cases

We publish details about every person with COVID-19 (confirmed or probable) in a downloadable spreadsheet below. For privacy reasons, this data only includes:

- Date potential case was notified
- Sex of case
- Age group of case
- DHB where the case lives - listed as "Managed isolation & quarantine" for border cases
- If the case is related to overseas travel

This file covers all cases from 26 February 2020 to 23 April 2021.

[COVID-19 case details through 23 April 2021 \(CSV, 173 KB\)](#)

Researchers can request detailed data on COVID-19 in New Zealand by sending an email to the Ministry of Health COVID-19 Response and Coordination team - [\[email protected\]](#)

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