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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 16 August 2021 unless otherwise stated.

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

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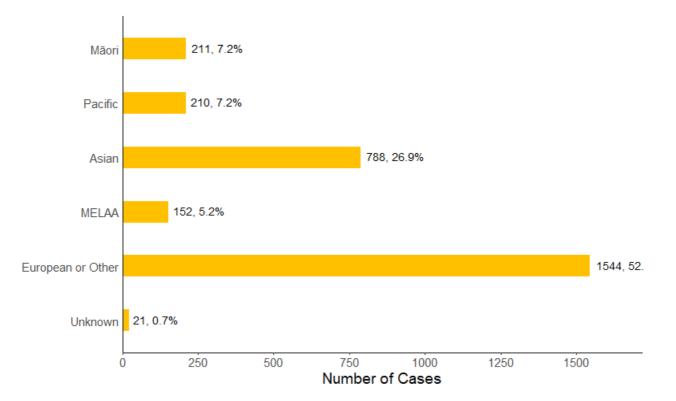
COVID-19 and ethnicity

Total cases and tests by ethnicity

	Total cases since first NZ case	Total tests for COVID-19 to date
Māori	211	338,298
Pacific peoples	210	297,164
Asian	788	428,153
European/other	1,696	1,376,535
Unknown	21	121,656
Total	2,926	2,561,806

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

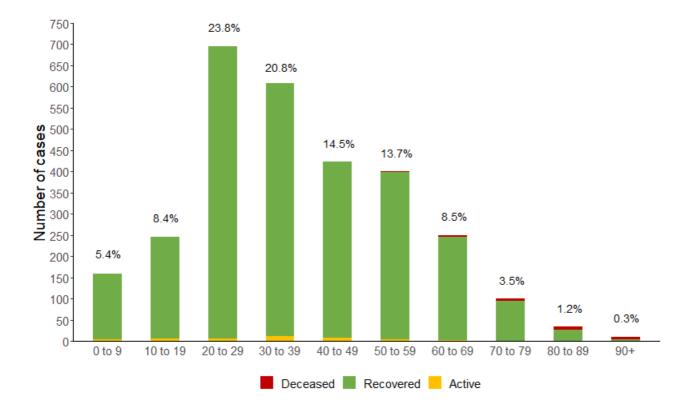
Ethnicitv*	Active (confirmed and probable)	Recovered	Deceased	Total cases since	Percentage of all cases
Māori	1	205	5	211	7.2%
Pacific peoples	3	206	1	210	7.2%
Asian	22	766	0	788	26.9%
Middle Eastern, Latin American and African (MELAA)	8	142	2	152	5.2%
European or Other	5	1521	18	1544	52.8%
Unknown	5	16	0	21	0.7%
Total	44	2856	26	2926	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 <u>Ngā</u> <u>tapuae me ngā raraunga: Methods and data sources</u> 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	155	0	159	5.4%
10 to 19	6	240	0	246	8.4%
20 to 29	6	690	0	696	23.8%
30 to 39	12	596	0	608	20.8%
40 to 49	8	415	0	423	14.5%
50 to 59	4	394	3	401	13.7%
60 to 69	3	243	3	249	8.5%
70 to 79	1	93	7	101	3.5%
80 to 89	0	26	8	34	1.2%
90+	0	4	5	9	0.3%
Total	44	2856	26	2926	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	13	1403	12	1428	49%
Male	31	1451	14	1496	51%
Unknown	0	2	0	2	0%
Total	44	2856	26	2926	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	19	2

Age group	Total people hospitalised	Total people in ICU
40 to 49	19	3
50 to 59	31	4
60 to 69	26	4
70 to 79	18	4
80 to 89	8	0
90+	4	0
Total	136	19

Cases in hospital and in intensive care by sex

Sex	Total people hospitalised	Total people in ICU
Female	67	6
Male	69	13
Total	136	19

Note: To protect privacy ICU status has not been updated since June 15, 2021

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 16 August 2021.

COVID-19 case details through 16 August 2021 (CSV, 208 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 -

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