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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 25 August 2021 unless otherwise stated.

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

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August 2021 community cluster demographics

Total number of cases: 210

Number of cases by sex

Sex	Number of cases	% of Total
Female	111	53%
Male	99	47%

Number of cases by age group

Age groups (years)	Number of cases	% of Total
0 to 9	22	10%
10 to 19	44	21%
20 to 29	66	31%
30 to 39	18	9%
40 to 49	20	10%
50 to 59	24	11%
60 to 69	9	4%
70+	7	3%

Number of cases by ethnicity

Prioritised ethnicity*	Number of cases	% of Total
Maori	4	2%
Pacific Peoples	145	69%
Asian	20	10%
European or Other	33	16%
Unknown	8	4%

* 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 tapuae 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.

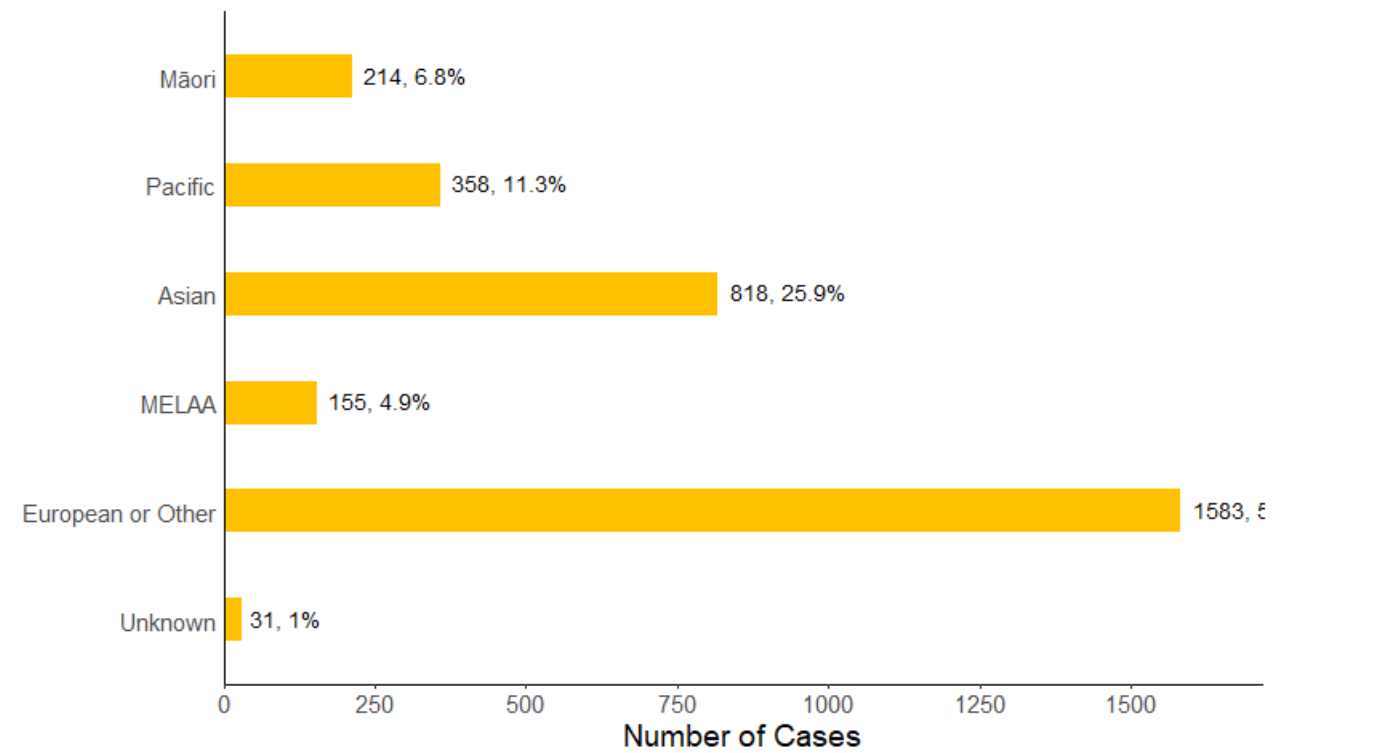
COVID-19 and ethnicity

Total cases and tests by ethnicity

	Total cases since first NZ case	Total tests for COVID-19 to date
Māori	214	366,307
Pacific peoples	358	327,851
Asian	818	474,864
European/other	1,738	1,517,505
Unknown	31	126,449
Total	3,159	2,812,976

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

Cases by ethnicity

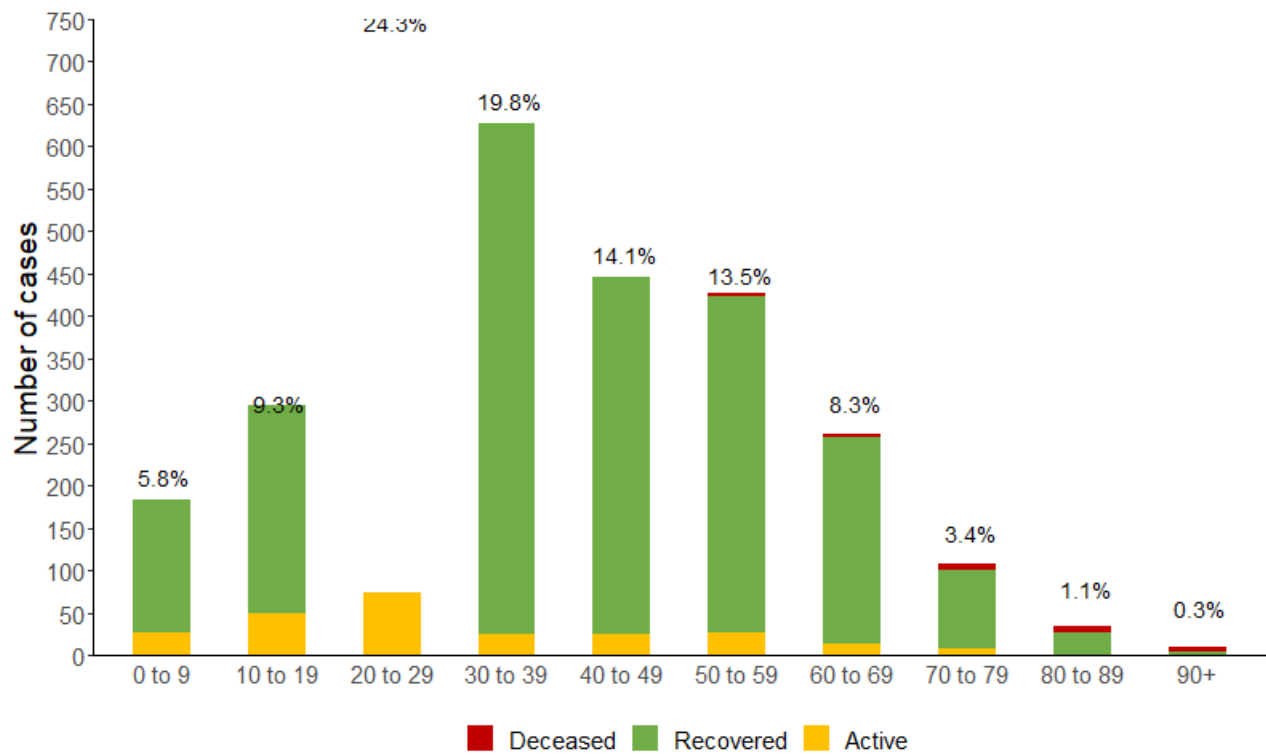


Cases of COVID-19 by ethnicity

Ethnicity	Active (confirmed and probable)	Recovered	Deceased	Total cases since first case	Percentage of all cases
Māori	4	205	5	214	6.8%
Pacific peoples	151	206	1	358	11.3%
Asian	31	787	0	818	25.9%
Middle Eastern, Latin American and African (MELAA)	5	148	2	155	4.9%
European or Other	42	1523	18	1583	50.1%
Unknown	13	18	0	31	1%
Total	246	2887	26	3159	100%

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	26	158	0	184	5.8%
10 to 19	50	245	0	295	9.3%
20 to 29	73	695	0	768	24.3%
30 to 39	24	603	0	627	19.8%
40 to 49	25	421	0	446	14.1%
50 to 59	27	397	3	427	13.5%
60 to 69	13	245	3	261	8.3%
70 to 79	7	93	7	107	3.4%
80 to 89	1	26	8	35	1.1%
90+	0	4	5	9	0.3%
Total	246	2887	26	3159	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	125	1412	12	1549	49%
Male	121	1473	14	1608	51%
Unknown	0	2	0	2	0%
Total	246	2887	26	3159	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
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Age group	Total people hospitalised	Total people in ICU
0 to 9	2	0
10 to 19	4	1
20 to 29	8	1
30 to 39	20	2
40 to 49	22	3
50 to 59	34	4
60 to 69	26	4
70 to 79	20	4
80 to 89	8	0
90+	4	0
Total	148	19

Cases in hospital and in intensive care by sex

Sex	Total people hospitalised	Total people in ICU
Female	71	6
Male	77	13
Total	148	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 25 August 2021.

[COVID-19 case details through 25 August 2021 \(CSV, 224 KB\)](#)

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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