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COVID-19: Case demographics

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

Last updated 1pm 22 September 2021.

All data on this page is as at 9:00 am on 22 September 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: 1,108

Number of cases by sex

Sex	Number of cases	Percentage of Total
Female	573	52%
Male	533	48%
Unknown	2	0%

Number of cases by age group

Age group	Number of cases	Percentage of Total
0 to 9	192	17.3%
10 to 19	258	23.3%
20 to 29	280	25.3%
30 to 39	97	8.8%
40 to 49	113	10.2%
50 to 59	105	9.5%
60 to 69	37	3.3%
70+	26	2.3%
Unknown	0	0%

Number of cases by ethnicity

Prioritised ethnicity*	Number of cases	Percentage of Total
Māori	158	14.3%
Pacific peoples	751	67.8%
Asian	92	8.3%
Middle Eastern, Latin American and African (MELAA)	10	0.9%
European or Other	86	7.8%
Unknown	11	1%

^{*} 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	370	425,482
Pacific peoples	964	402,525
Asian	927	560,997
European/other	1,826	1,741,959
Unknown	32	136,898
Total	4,119	3,267,861

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

Cases by ethnicity



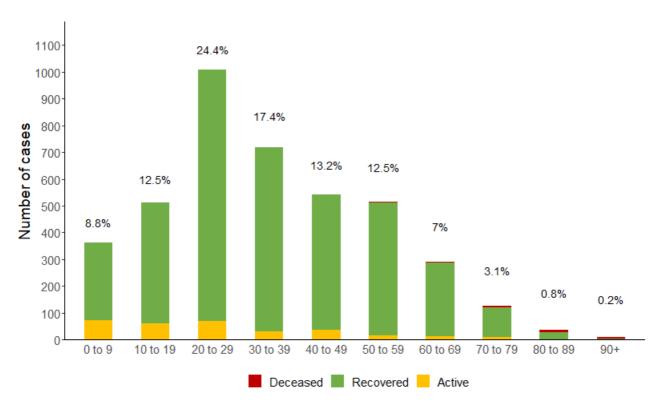
Cases of COVID-19 by ethnicity

Ethnicity	Active (confirmed and probable)	Recovered	Deceased	Total cases since first case	Percentage of all cases
Māori	95	269	6	370	9%
Pacific peoples	141	822	1	964	23.4%

	Active (confirmed and			Total cases since	Percentage of all
Ethnicity	probable)	Recovered	Deceased	first case	cases
Asian	23	904	0	927	22.5%
Middle Eastern, Latin American and African (MELAA)	4	162	2	168	4.1%
European or Other	25	1615	18	1658	40.3%
Unknown	13	19	0	32	0.8%
Total	301	3791	27	4119	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	71	292	0	363	8.8%
10 to 19	61	452	0	513	12.5%
20 to 29	69	938	0	1007	24.4%
30 to 39	29	688	0	717	17.4%
40 to 49	37	506	0	543	13.2%
50 to 59	14	498	3	515	12.5%
60 to 69	12	275	3	290	7%
70 to 79	8	111	7	126	3.1%
80 to 89	0	27	8	35	0.8%
90+	0	4	6	10	0.2%
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0%
Total	301	3791	27	4119	100%

Cases by sex

Total cases of COVID-19 by sex

Sex		Recovered	Deceased		
	Active (confirmed and probable)			Total cases	Percentage of all cases

Sex	Active (confirmed and probable)	Recovered	Deceased	Total cases	Percentage of all cases
Female	139	1879	13	2031	49%
Male	160	1909	14	2083	51%
Unknown	2	3	0	5	0%
Total	301	3791	27	4119	100%

Cases by hospitalisation and intensive care

Cases who have been in hospital and in intensive care (ICU) by age

Age group	Total people hospitalised	Total people in ICU
0 to 9	4	0
10 to 19	7	1
20 to 29	23	1
30 to 39	34	2
40 to 49	43	3
50 to 59	54	4
60 to 69	35	4
70 to 79	32	4
80 to 89	8	0
90+	5	0
Total	245	19

Cases who have been in hospital and in intensive care by sex

Sex	Total people hospitalised	Total people in ICU
Female	125	6
Male	119	13
Total	245	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 22 September 2021.

COVID-19 case details through 22 September 2021 (CSV, 288 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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