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COVID-19 (novel coronavirus)

This section provides the latest updates, information and advice on COVID-19.

Current situation

On Monday 8 June at 11.59 pm New Zealand moved to **Alert Level 1**.
To find out more see [Health and disability services at Alert Level 1](#).

There are [no active cases of COVID-19 in New Zealand](#). New Zealand has had 1,504 confirmed and probable cases of COVID-19 - see our [current cases page](#).

The focus is now on protecting New Zealanders with:

- [robust border controls](#)
- [continued surveillance and testing](#)
- [contact tracing capability](#) and rapid isolation of new cases
- [public support to prevent any further spread, like good hygiene](#) and [keeping records of movement](#).

See our [elimination strategy for Aotearoa New Zealand](#).

NZ COVID Tracer app

The official Ministry of Health contact tracing app helps you keep a digital diary of the places you've been.

[Find out more >](#)



For COVID-19 health advice and information, contact the Healthline team (for free) on [0800 358 5453](#) or [+64 9 358 5453](#) for international SIMS.

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Latest updates

Our advice is under active review and is updated regularly. The latest updates include the following changes to the website:

8 June:

- [Health and disability services at Alert Level 1](#)
- [Protecting yourself and others from COVID-19](#)

2 June:

- [Moving forward in Alert Level 2 - Guidance for Well Child Tamariki Ora](#)
- [Updated: Deaths, funerals and tangihanga](#)
- [Updated: Quarantine and managed isolation numbers](#)
- [Updated: Guidance for specialist mental health and addiction services](#)

31 May:

- [Updated: Testing rates for ethnicity and DHB](#)

29 May:

- [Updated: Infection prevention and control procedures for DHB acute care hospitals](#)
- [Updated: Alert 2: Risk assessment questions if COVID-19 status is unknown](#)
- [Updated: Frequently asked questions about PPE](#)
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- [Updated: Use of face masks in the community and Review of science and policy around face masks and COVID-19](#)
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27 May:

- [Āwhina app for health workers launched](#)
- [Published: COVID-19 Health and Wellbeing Survey](#)

26 May:

- [Updated: Guidance for Mental Health Act processes and Mental Health Act information for service users](#)
- [Updated: Quarantine and managed isolation numbers](#)

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