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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 21 active cases of COVID-19 in New Zealand. New Zealand's confirmed and probable cases of COVID-19 to date is 1533 – 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](#).

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.

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 >](#)



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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:

3 July:

- [Updated: Infection prevention and control procedures for DHB acute care hospitals](#)
- [Updated: Managed isolation and quarantine](#)
- [Updated: Advice for travellers](#)
- [Updated: COVID-19: Advice for all health professionals](#)
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- [Updated: No Change of Health Status Report for Health Pratique form](#)
- [Updated: Frequently asked questions about PPE and COVID-19](#)

1 July:

- [Added: Guidance on the provision of face masks on inbound international flights](#)
- [Added: Quarantine/isolation process at the maritime border](#)
- [Updated: quarantine and managed isolation numbers](#)

30 June:

- Added: [Maritime sector](#) and [Aviation sector](#)
- Updated: [Epidemic Notice and Orders](#)
- Updated: [Getting disability support](#)
- Updated: [Primary care quick reference guide](#)
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