

COVID-19 UPDATE

Local COVID-19 cases, including a breakdown of Local Government Area and postcodes.



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Illawarra Shoalhaven
Local Health District

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Illawarra Shoalhaven Local Health District COVID-19 update

ISLHD case numbers

There were 995 positive COVID-19 test results (cases) notified for the 24 hour period to 8pm last night – including 348 positive rapid antigen tests (RATs) and 647 positive PCR tests.

Please note there may be some cases included in these numbers where people have reported positive RATs on multiple days and/or where people have also had a positive PCR test during the same reporting period.

A breakdown of the positive PCR tests is provided below:

- 302 cases from Wollongong Local Government Area (LGA)
- 180 cases from Shellharbour LGA
- 131 cases from Shoalhaven LGA
- 34 cases from Kiama LGA

As at 8pm, 22 January there were 149 COVID-19 cases in hospital in the District (please note, this total may include patients who are no longer COVID-19 positive).

Sadly NSW Health is today reporting the deaths of two people with COVID-19 from our Local Health District: A male in his 60s from the Wollongong Local Government Area who had been vaccinated against COVID-19 and a male in his 70s, also from the Wollongong Local Government Area who had been vaccinated against COVID-19. The Local Health District expresses its sincere condolences to their loved ones.

Postcode breakdown

Below we have provided postcodes for confirmed cases reported today as a guide to alert the community who live in these areas that COVID-19 may be circulating in their suburb and surrounds. We do this to ensure all residents within the postcode know they need to be extra vigilant when leaving their home, when monitoring for symptoms and getting tested if they feel unwell. Individual suburb breakdowns are not provided as it does not accurately reflect where cases may have been during their infectious period.

Wollongong LGA – 302 cases

- 2500 – 51
- 2502 – 20
- 2505 – 6
- 2506 – 25
- 2508 – 19
- 2515 – 20
- 2516 – 6
- 2517 – 28
- 2518 – 26
- 2519 – 24
- 2525 – 15
- 2526 – 20

- 2530 – 42

Shellharbour LGA – 180 cases

- 2527 – 74
- 2528 – 35
- 2529 – 71

Shoalhaven LGA – 131 cases

- 2535 – 7
- 2538 – 1
- 2539 – 23
- 2540 – 62
- 2541 – 38

Kiama LGA – 34 cases

- 2533 – 22
- 2534 – 12

To view all case data for our District, visit our website: <https://bit.ly/ISLHD-case-numbers>

For a full list of local testing clinic locations visit: <https://bit.ly/ISLHD-COVID-testing>.