# **COVID-19 UPDATE**

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



Friday, 28 January 2022

## Illawarra Shoalhaven Local Health District COVID-19 update

Given NSW Health reports COVID case numbers by Local Health District in its 11am update, including on weekends, starting today, the Illawarra Shoalhaven Local Health District will be updating COVID case numbers and postcode breakdowns on weekdays only.

The next detailed District update will be provided on Monday and can be found on our website <u>https://bit.ly/ISLHD-case-numbers</u>

### **ISLHD case numbers**

There were 602 positive COVID-19 test results (cases) notified for the 24 hour period to 8pm last night – including 259 positive PCR tests and 343 positive rapid antigen tests (RATs).

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 cases is provided below, **please note starting yesterday this breakdown now includes positive PCR tests and RAT results**:

- 328 cases from Wollongong Local Government Area (LGA)
- 134 cases from Shellharbour LGA
- 121 cases from Shoalhaven LGA
- 19 cases from Kiama LGA

As at 8pm, 28 January there were 167 COVID-19 cases in hospital in the District (please note, this total may include patients who are no longer COVID-19 positive).

#### Vaccination update

In an effort to make it easier for people to come forward for their booster doses, walk-in vaccinations are now available to everyone over the age of five at the Mass Vaccination Centre in Wollongong, from 10am to 4pm each day.

#### 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 – 328 cases

• 2500 – 47

- 2502 27
- 2505 9
- 2506 10
- 2508 33
- 2515 13
- 2516 19
- 2517 18
- 2518 44
- 2519 17
- 2525 20
- 2526 27
- 2530 44

#### Shellharbour LGA – 134 cases

- 2527 39
- 2528 38
- 2529 57

#### Shoalhaven LGA – 121 cases

- 2535 6
- 2539 22
- 2540 47
- 2541 46

#### Kiama LGA – 19 cases

- 2533 17
- 2534 2

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

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