

22 September 2021

New cases and venues of concern in Southern NSW

Southern NSW Local Health District (SNSWLHD) has been notified of **five** new COVID-19 cases in the 24 hours to 8.00pm last night.

This brings the total cases in SNSWLHD to **89** since the start of the current outbreak in June.

Of the five new cases:

- **Two** new cases are in the **Yass** area and are linked to known cases (one is in Murrumbateman).
- **Two** new cases are in **Queanbeyan** and are linked to known cases.
- **One** new case is in **Batemans Bay** and is linked to a known case.

One previously reported Upper Lachlan case has been removed from the SNSWLHD total after further investigation determined the case was located in Greater Sydney.

Southern NSW Local Health District (SNSWLHD) has been notified of new venues of concern associated with COVID-19 cases.

Anyone who visited one of these venues at the times listed is **a casual contact and must immediately get tested and isolate until a negative result is received**. Staff will be contacted separately by SNSWLHD's Public Health Unit regarding their testing and isolation requirements.

Venue	Location	Address	Time
Mogo	Ultra Petroleum	33 Sydney Street	Friday 17 September 2.05pm to 2.10pm 2.40pm to 2.45pm
Queanbeyan	Coles Riverside Plaza	Cnr Collett & Monaro Streets	Thursday 16 September 8.45am to 9.30am Friday 17 September 6.00pm to 6.45pm
Queanbeyan	Woolworths	Corner Crawford and Antill Streets	Monday 13 September 9.30am to 10.15am Saturday 18 September 1.45pm to 3.00pm
Queanbeyan	4 th Seed Cafe	227 Crawford Street	Sunday 19 September

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Queanbeyan	ALDI	134-136 Crawford Street	Thursday 16 September 8.45am to 9.30am
Batehaven	Batehaven Pharmacy	256 Beach Road	Monday 13 September 10.10am to 10.30am
Bungendore	Gunna Doo Bakery	18 Gibraltar Street	Sunday 19 September 1.30pm to 1.50pm
Braidwood	Westside Petroleum	71 Wallace Street	Sunday 19 September 2.40 to 2.50pm

The following venue of concern has an updated time since being announced last night.

Yass	My Pharmacy	1a/63 Laidlaw Street	Wednesday 15 September 1.50pm to 2.10pm (was 1.58pm to 2.00pm)
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The SNSWLHD Public Health team has completed risk assessments with My Medical Centre in Yass, Murrumbateman Health Hub and Provolution Health Queanbeyan following possible contact with COVID-19 cases. All staff and clients affected at these venues have now been notified.

If additional venues are identified through further contact tracing these will be announced as soon as they are known.

Anyone who checked in to a venue of concern during the times listed, using the Service NSW QR app, will be notified by SMS from NSW Health as soon as possible over the next 48 hours.

Everyone in the District should be alert for any symptoms that could signal COVID-19, including headache, nausea, sore throat, runny nose, cough, loss of smell or taste, or fever. If symptoms appear, people must isolate and get tested immediately, and remain isolated until a negative result is received.

There are more than 500 [COVID-19 testing locations](https://www.snswlhd.health.nsw.gov.au/our-services/infectious-disease/covid-19) across NSW. A full list of SNSWLHD's clinic sites and hours is available on our website: <https://www.snswlhd.health.nsw.gov.au/our-services/infectious-disease/covid-19>

If you are eligible, please also come forward for vaccination as soon as possible. There are more than 200 mobile and outreach vaccination clinics across the state in addition to GPs and pharmacists.

[To book please visit the Vaccine Clinic Finder](https://covidvaccine.healthdirect.gov.au/eligibility)
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To help stop the spread of COVID-19:

- If you are unwell, get tested and isolate right away – don't delay.
- Wash your hands regularly. Take hand sanitiser with you when you go out.
- Keep your distance. Leave 1.5 metres between yourself and others.
- Wear a mask at all times when outside your home, except when exercising.