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## New COVID-19 cases in Southern NSW

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

This brings the total cases in SNSWLHD to **290** since the start of the current outbreak in June.

Of the **19** new cases:

- **Eight** are in the **Queanbeyan-Palerang** region. **Two** are linked to known cases. (One is in Queanbeyan, two are in Karabar, one is in Crestwood, four are in Jerrabomberra).
- **One** is in the **Eurobodalla** region. The case is located in Dalmeny and is under investigation.
- **Ten** are in the **Snowy Monaro** region. **Three** are linked to known cases. Seven cases are in Jindabyne and three are in Cooma.

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](#) 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>

Those aged 12 years and above are now eligible for the COVID-19 vaccination. People can make bookings via the Commonwealth Government's [Vaccine Clinic Finder](#).

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.