

Australia's Epidemiology and COVID-19 Vaccine Roadmap



Where we are now

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As at 1500, **06 January 2021**:

A total of **28,536 cases**, including **909 deaths** have been reported since January 2020.

Over the past week, there were **158 cases**. Just over half were overseas acquired.

There are currently **299 active** cases.

Logarithmic epidemic curve of confirmed cases in the days after the first 100 cases of COVID-19 for various countries

Data Source: WHO Coronavirus 2019 Dashboard, as at 06 January 2021



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COVID-19 vaccine national roll-out strategy



Population numbers are current estimates for each category.

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COVID-19 vaccine national roll-out strategy **First priority populations**

The Australian COVID-19 vaccination program will commence with priority populations including aged care and disability care residents and workers, frontline healthcare workers and quarantine and border workers.

Residential Disability and Aged Care

Facilities



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 healthcare workers
Communications through states and territories and peak bodies to advise of priority groups, locations and rollout plans

Priority frontline

- 2. Vaccination date(s) scheduled and communicated to individual
- 3. Schedule and doses coordinated within State Governments to align with shifts and rosters

 Vaccination doses received as per steps outlined below - proof of eligibility, consent and clinical screening conducted on check-in at vaccination Hub



Vaccination

Hubs

Priority quarantine and border workers

- 1. Communications to advise of priority groups, locations and rollout plans
- 2. Scheduling coordinated through State Government and communicated to individual
- 3. Individual attends Hub for vaccination at advised time by employer if applicable
- Vaccination doses received as per steps outlined below- proof of eligibility, consent and clinical screening conducted on check-in at vaccination Hub



through 30 - 50 hospital sites across Australia - in metro and regional areas (pending advice from states and territories) plus in residential aged care and disability care facilities.

Vaccine doses will be available

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Aged care and disability care residents

- 1. Communications to facilities to advise of priority groups, locations and rollout plans
- 2. Patient consent coordinated by contracted workforce in consultation with facility
- 3. Vaccination date(s) communicated
- 4. Vaccination doses received

Doses quarantined in Hub based on readiness checklist information by facilities and picked up by contracted workforce on scheduled date(s) for vaccination day.

> Residential aged care and disability care workers

- 1. Communications to facility staff to advise of priority groups, locations and rollout plans
- Coordinate schedule of first and second doses by facility
- Facilities to provide readiness checklist including staff numbers on vaccination date(s) to inform dose requirements
- 4. Vaccination date(s) communicated
- 5. Vaccination doses received

COVID-19 vaccine national roll-out strategy

Pfizer Hubs

- 30-50 ongoing Hospital Hubs in urban and rural Australia
- Hub locations to be finalised in conjunction with States and Territories

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- Will manage cold chain storage and Pfizer vaccine only
- Will provide a distribution hub for:
 - o Hospital
 - Quarantine and border staff
 - Residential aged care and disability residents and staff

COVID-19 vaccine national roll-out strategy – first priority populations

Locations to be confirmed pending advice from States and Territories and expanding to more than a 1000 points of distribution nationwide.

