

Updates on COVID-19 (Coronavirus) from January 2021

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January

3 January

The latest news as of 5.45pm on Sunday 3 January

7 deaths and 4,962 cases confirmed:

- the Health Protection Surveillance Centre (HPSC) has been informed of 7 additional deaths among people with COVID-19 in Ireland
- there have been 2,259 COVID-19 related deaths in Ireland
- 4,962 additional cases of COVID-19 have been confirmed
- there have now been 101,887 confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Ireland
- as of 2pm today (Sunday), 685 COVID-19 patients are hospitalised, of which 62 are in ICU. There have been 96 additional hospitalisations in the past 24 hours

[You can view the full statement from NPHET here, as well as more data and a county-by-county breakdown of cases.](#)

2 January

The latest news as of 6.15pm on Saturday 2 January

4 deaths and 3,394 cases confirmed:

- the Health Protection Surveillance Centre (HPSC) has been informed of 4 additional deaths among people with COVID-19 in Ireland
- there have been 2,252 COVID-19 related deaths in Ireland
- 3,394 additional cases of COVID-19 have been confirmed
- there have now been 96,926 confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Ireland
- as of 2pm today (Saturday), 607 COVID-19 patients are hospitalised, of which 56 are in ICU. There have been 71 additional hospitalisations in the past 24 hours

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1 January

The latest news as of 6.45pm on Friday 1 January

11 deaths and 1,754 cases confirmed:

- the Health Protection Surveillance Centre (HPSC) has been informed of 11 additional deaths among people with COVID-19 in Ireland
- there have been 2,248 COVID-19 related deaths in Ireland
- 1,754 additional cases of COVID-19 have been confirmed in the last 24 hours
- there have now been 93,552 confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Ireland
- as of 2pm today (Friday), 504 COVID-19 patients are hospitalised, of which 47 are in ICU. There have been 46 additional hospitalisations in the past 24 hours