Australian Immunisation Register - Influenza Data - 1 March to 29 May

Notes and Caveats

All data is based on influenza vaccinations reported to the Australian Immunisation Register (AIR) as at COB 29 May 2023.

- Data is from 1 March to 29 May for each encounter year.

Influenza vaccination data is not directly comparable across years due to a range of factors, including:

- The introduction of mandatory reporting of influenza vaccines to the Australian Immunisation Register (AIR) on 1 March 2021

- The impact of the COVID-19 pandemic and national and local responses to the pandemic over time

- Early in the influenza season, the timing of seasonal events such as Easter

- Timing of vaccines provided by pharmaceutical companies for clearance through the Therapeutic Goods Administration (TGA)

- Supply of vaccines and commencement of flu season.

Vaccinations reported to the AIR are more comprehensive and accurate since 2021 due to the introduction of mandatory reporting.

Vaccinations where the person has since been 'End dated' in the Medicare Consumer Directory (due to death, emigration, etc) are included in the data.

Data includes influenza vaccinations given to Medicare eligible and non-Medicare eligible individuals.

- The counted values represent a count of all vaccination episodes.

- A 'Vaccination episode' is linked to a State or Territory based on the vaccinated individuals Medicare residential address at the time of the report's creation.

Encounter Year	Jurisdiction	Total	Age				Provider types		
			<5 Years	5-64 Years	65+ Years	First Nations People	GP	Pharmacy	Other
2020	AUS	8,286,528	576,654	4,951,409	2,758,465	226,719	6,681,378		
	ACT	153,504	14,446	95,591	43,467	2,216	112,760	35,741	5,003
	NSW	2,474,631	171,159	1,449,855	853,617	69,381	2,041,547		
	NT	61,136	5,000	45,528	,	26,880	26,279	4,728	,
	QLD	1,609,411	106,370	927,244	575,797	62,354	1,361,912	,	69,906
	SA	649,115	40,625	376,898	,	12,342	497,735	,	48,870
	TAS	200,101	9,393	113,861		7,718	146,338		11,719
	VIC	2,153,422	159,265	1,317,468	676,689	16,545	1,802,298	232,034	119,090
	WA	975,627	70,287	616,789	288,551	29,247	689,591	234,939	51,097
	Unknown	9,581	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2021	AUS	6,738,762		3,929,380		118,525	4,752,006		
	ACT	148,431	6,847	99,554	,	1,692	89,679	,	31,861
	NSW	2,005,102	60,112	1,128,640	,	41,353	1,475,498		246,595
	NT	41,268		30,859		12,829	19,246		17,979
	QLD	1,340,843	30,996	780,288	,	30,277	932,638	,	187,232
	SA	596,335	14,887	351,465		7,107	394,536		98,626
	TAS	158,444	3,622	88,167	66,655	4,829	107,356	36,410	14,678
	VIC	1,832,087	62,669	1,091,697	,	10,684	1,325,390	,	,
	WA	614,974	16,200	357,577	241,197	9,746	407,243	142,592	65,139
	Unknown	1,278	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2022	AUS	7,272,614	205,772	4,217,857		129,336	4,801,224		1,065,924
	ACT	161,387	7,203	108,451		1,695	87,092		35,674
	NSW	2,191,465	65,830	1,226,720	,	42,000	1,530,193		271,061
	NT	45,761	1,928	34,429	,	15,084	18,506	,	22,970
	QLD	1,405,537	31,584	812,055	,	33,565	934,548		
	SA	612,241	14,044	347,773	,	7,682	378,320		104,752
	TAS	189,625	4,060	106,515	,	5,560	112,967		30,753
	VIC	2,014,976	· ·	1,214,587	,	11,836	1,359,741	,	305,401
	WA	650,686	15,768	366,561	268,357	11,908	379,411	187,474	83,801
	Unknown	936	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	AUS	6,953,242	229,152	3,967,063		121,573	4,380,908		
	ACT	155,260	· ·	103,615	,	1,598	75,877		36,598
	NSW	2,137,232	74,799	1,188,199		40,817	1,414,969		292,886
	NT	42,059	2,063	30,982	,	11,755	17,730	,	,
2023	QLD	1,345,324	37,753	747,207	,	33,703	876,095		195,618
	SA	550,219		301,836		6,366	330,974		88,501
	TAS	172,884	4,534	91,799	,	5,005	103,199	,	20,075
	VIC	1,860,423	69,593	1,101,491	,	10,624	1,210,415		,
	WA	688,061	18,705	400,419	268,937	11,698	351,063	253,748	83,250
	Unknown	1,780	-	-	-	-	-	-	-