

## Australian Immunisation Register - Influenza Data - 1 March to 4 June

### Notes and Caveats

- All data is based on influenza vaccinations reported to the Australian Immunisation Register (AIR) as at COB 4 June 2023.
- Data is from 1 March to 4 June 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			First Nations People	Provider types		
			<5 Years	5-64 Years	65+ Years		GP	Pharmacy	Other
2020	AUS	8,490,169	606,723	5,097,869	2,785,577	234,283	6,832,520	1,243,614	414,035
	ACT	156,582	15,036	97,821	43,725	2,286	114,713	36,720	5,149
	NSW	2,539,895	180,513	1,495,218	864,164	71,597	2,090,446	379,902	69,547
	NT	63,322	5,385	47,181	10,756	28,041	27,175	4,886	31,261
	QLD	1,646,555	112,057	954,372	580,126	64,563	1,390,843	184,401	71,311
	SA	661,149	42,609	385,584	232,956	12,689	505,924	105,584	49,641
	TAS	205,033	10,060	117,142	77,831	8,008	150,153	43,090	11,790
	VIC	2,214,087	167,613	1,362,253	684,221	17,102	1,849,327	242,492	122,268
	WA	993,634	73,335	629,828	290,471	29,959	700,915	240,333	52,386
	Unknown	9,912	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2021	AUS	7,202,742	225,620	4,237,009	2,740,113	130,524	5,074,422	1,159,769	968,551
	ACT	155,983	7,585	104,828	43,570	1,799	94,369	28,724	32,890
	NSW	2,146,978	67,882	1,222,056	857,040	45,081	1,574,824	310,046	262,108
	NT	44,609	3,000	33,302	8,307	14,003	20,818	4,327	19,464
	QLD	1,434,139	36,136	840,979	557,024	33,731	999,476	238,543	196,120
	SA	632,779	16,993	374,975	240,811	7,693	418,134	111,160	103,485
	TAS	171,562	4,221	95,804	71,537	5,345	116,261	39,073	16,228
	VIC	1,944,359	70,011	1,169,847	704,501	11,507	1,403,810	273,402	267,147
	WA	670,982	19,769	394,018	257,195	11,355	446,270	154,272	70,440
	Unknown	1,351	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2022	AUS	8,164,349	257,453	4,874,830	3,032,066	148,801	5,333,429	1,675,066	1,155,854
	ACT	175,504	8,395	119,436	47,673	1,873	95,485	42,830	37,189
	NSW	2,468,259	82,213	1,428,765	957,281	47,998	1,704,541	472,453	291,265
	NT	52,623	2,419	39,951	10,253	17,755	21,127	5,073	26,423
	QLD	1,583,963	40,868	942,184	600,911	38,751	1,043,939	316,246	223,778
	SA	672,918	17,021	392,646	263,251	8,536	409,228	152,561	111,129
	TAS	207,488	5,018	118,913	83,557	6,155	121,965	50,988	34,535
	VIC	2,260,814	81,500	1,401,289	778,025	13,457	1,513,895	413,985	332,934
	WA	741,680	20,002	430,743	290,935	14,265	422,725	220,644	98,311
	Unknown	1,100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2023	AUS	7,365,618	255,376	4,251,187	2,859,055	131,752	4,614,750	1,660,345	1,090,523
	ACT	164,423	8,369	110,493	45,561	1,696	81,167	45,469	37,787
	NSW	2,255,054	82,551	1,268,048	904,455	43,638	1,486,055	460,100	308,899
	NT	46,272	2,440	34,294	9,538	13,757	19,128	6,004	21,140
	QLD	1,413,891	41,931	793,083	578,877	35,925	917,749	293,327	202,815
	SA	577,691	15,724	320,331	241,636	6,809	345,456	139,471	92,764
	TAS	182,859	5,119	98,319	79,421	5,331	108,649	53,009	21,201
	VIC	1,970,024	77,046	1,178,427	714,551	11,385	1,276,416	378,705	314,903
	WA	753,442	22,174	446,504	284,764	13,202	379,506	283,478	90,458
	Unknown	1,962	-	-	-	-	-	-	-