## Australian Immunisation Register - Influenza Data - 1 March to 20 August

Notes and Caveats

All data is based on influenza vaccinations reported to the Australian Immunisation Register (AIR) as at COB 20 August 2023.

- Data is from 1 March to 20 August 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
	AUS	9,394,967	790,489	5,707,931	2,896,547	276,385	7,522,296	1,401,841	470,83
2020	ACT	172,738	19,143	108,303	45,292	2,608	124,895	41,228	6,61
	NSW	2,830,570	233,603	1,693,638	903,329	82,761	2,317,090	435,831	77,649
	NT	76,831	8,502	56,723	11,606	35,405	32,340	5,558	38,93
	QLD	1,825,320	148,603	1,074,384	602,333	76,668	1,535,402	210,295	
	SA	714,131	54,512	421,235	,	14,455	544,348	116,903	
	TAS	228,844	14,248	132,797		9,423	167,450		
	VIC	2,439,184	215,256	1,514,178	709,750	19,787	2,024,754	273,565	
	WA	1,096,303	96,467	697,183	302,653	35,235	772,505	262,552	61,24
	Unknown	11,046		-	-	-	-	-	
2021	AUS	8,715,471	395,528	5,260,959		184,931			
	ACT	185,136	12,856	124,405		2,277	112,461		36,93
	NSW	2,597,206	114,184	1,528,265		60,997	1,892,425	392,449	
	NT	60,869	5,780	44,779	,	20,817	26,265	5,487	
	QLD	1,735,309	67,436	1,046,442		49,345	1,216,386		
	SA	756,392	29,178	458,168		10,462	498,231		
	TAS	217,789	8,371	125,288	84,130	7,423		48,653	22,59
	VIC	2,291,799	116,674	1,403,620	771,505	14,998	1,650,749	319,642	321,40
	WA	869,399	41,010	528,590	299,799	18,602	576,535	202,474	90,39
	Unknown	1,572	-	-	-	-	-	-	
2022	AUS	10,945,734	539,522	6,979,401		229,254		2,624,545	
	ACT	217,214		150,013		2,626			
	NSW	3,381,537	174,522	2,120,107		71,305	2,257,891		
	NT	79,679	6,187	60,389	,	29,551	29,934	8,215	
	QLD	2,082,815	88,872	1,311,498		59,184	1,347,028		
	SA	880,193	· ·	552,350	,	12,397	506,429	248,125	
	TAS	271,587	11,444	165,655		8,593	150,542		47,97
	VIC	2,952,919	, í	1,931,209	,	19,208		,	,
	WA	1,077,501	49,932	686,231	341,338	26,372	570,198	350,358	156,94
	Unknown	2,289	-	-	-	-	-	-	
2023	AUS	9,139,787	457,630	5,454,375		192,615	5,664,332		
	ACT	199,667	13,986	134,977	,	2,294	98,195	58,143	
	NSW	2,744,710		1,589,955		58,770			350,64
	NT	67,764	5,395	50,397	,	24,393	24,927	7,793	
	QLD	1,783,813	78,642	1,051,533		52,453	1,139,771		
	SA	701,543	· ·	402,687	,	9,653	· · ·	179,769	
	TAS	226,691	10,225	126,358	,	7,195	132,837	69,332	,
	VIC	2,431,016	131,031	1,493,357	806,628	15,590	1,558,539	488,102	
	WA	982,000	49,457	602,887	329,656	22,254	489,376	375,939	116,68
	Unknown	2,583	-	-	-	-	-	-	