

### **Australian Government**

**Department of Health and Aged Care** 

# **COVID-19 Vaccine Rollout**

## **Total COVID-19 vaccine doses**

Australia's COVID-19 Vaccine Program

Data as at: 13 Sep 2023



65+ years

4.5<sub>m</sub>

individuals aged 65 years and over have received a vaccination



18-64 years

15.2<sub>m</sub>

individuals aged 18 to 64 years have received a vaccination



*5-17 years* 

2.5<sub>m</sub>

individuals aged 5 to 17 years have received a vaccination



68.7<sub>m</sub>

total vaccine doses administered

+30.6k weekly increase

NSW 21.3m +10.0k weekly increase

VIC 17.9m +7.1k weekly increase

12.9m
+4.7k weekly increase

WA
7.4m
+2.3k weekly increase

TAS
1.6m
+901 weekly increase

SA 4.8m +2.4k weekly increase

ACT
2.2m
+3.1k weekly increase

NT 642.9k +152 weekly increase

Key: m

m = million

k = thousand

Source: Australian Immunisation Register

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## **COVID-19 2023 Booster Doses**



946.2k (50.1%#)

individuals aged **75 years and over** have received a 2023 Booster Dose in the last six months##



911.7k (37.6%#)

individuals aged **65 to 74 years** have received a 2023 Booster Dose in the last six months##



**1.4**m (8.7%#)

individuals aged **18 to 64 years** have received a 2023 Booster Dose in the last six months##



3.9<sub>m</sub>

Total 2023 Booster Doses administered to **all ages** (18 years and over)



Total 2023 Booster Doses administered by age group (years)

*75*+

65-74

18-64

**1.2**m

**1.1**m

1.6m

#### Number of 2023 Booster Doses administered by provider state###

Provider state	2023 Booster Doses (18+ years)	Weekly increase	
National	<b>3.9</b> m	+27.5k	
ACT	116.1k	+959	
NSW	1.2m	+9.7k	
NT	17.3k	+146	
QLD	708.5k	+4.5k	
SA	303.0k	+2.3k	
TAS	127.7k	+881	
VIC	1.0m	+6.8k	
WA	384.3k	+2.2k	

#Coverage uses the Australian Bureau of Statistics June 2021 Estimated Resident Population (ERP) as denominator.

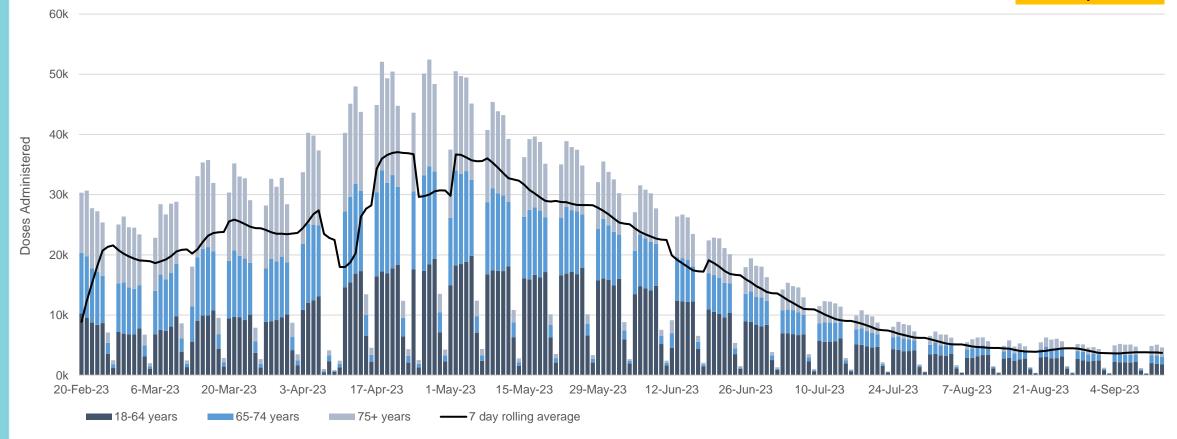
##The number of people with a dose will not match the number of doses administered. This can occur when a person receives a valid dose but then permanently leaves Australia,
when a person receives multiple doses in a short time period (such as a specific health recommendation or a vaccine administration error), or in the case of data input errors into the Australian Immunisation Register.
###State breakdown is based on the state in which a vaccine was physically administered, and may differ from a person's residential address.

### **COVID-19 2023 Booster Doses**

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#### Number of 2023 Booster Doses\* administered by day# and age group##



<sup>\*</sup>The 2023 Booster program commenced on 20 February 2023. Some doses may have been administered before the official commencement date.

when a person receives multiple doses in a short time period (such as a specific health recommendation or a vaccine administration error), or in the case of data input errors into the Australian Immunisation Register.

<sup>\*</sup>Date is based on the date a dose was physically administered rather than the date the information was recorded/known.

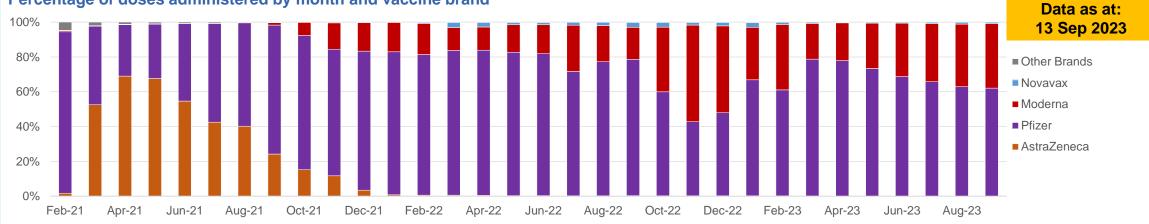
<sup>##</sup>The number of doses by age group is based on an individual's current age and may be different from the age at vaccination.

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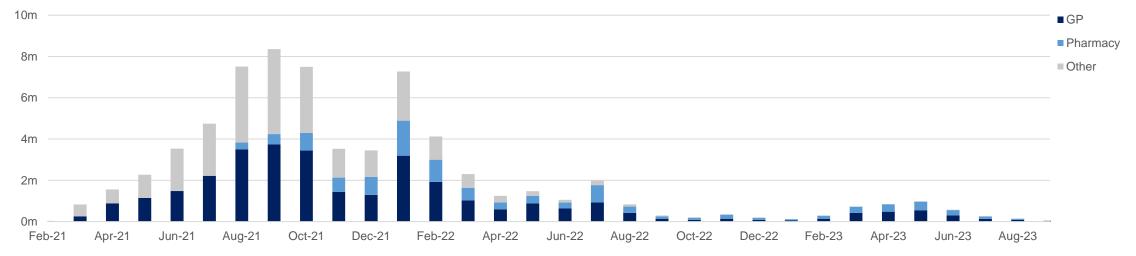
## **COVID-19 vaccines administered over time**

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#### Number of doses administered by month since start of rollout



A small number of doses are not included in the above graph as they were administered internationally to Australians prior to 20 February 2021. Other consists of Aged Care and Disability, Jurisdictions, and Other Primary Care channels.

**Key:** m = million k = thousand

Source: Australian Immunisation Register

# Vaccinations by age and location

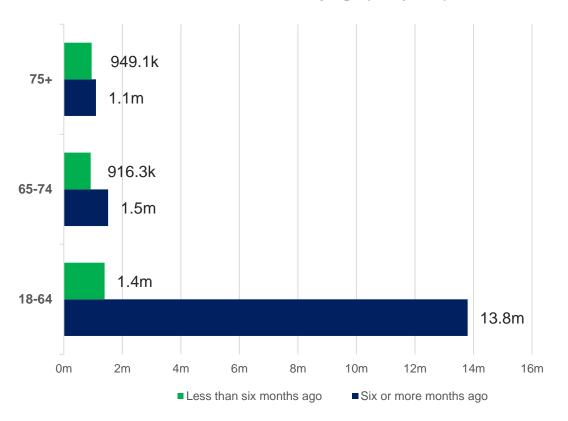
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#### Time since individuals last vaccination by residential state (18+ years)

Residential state*	Recently vaccinated (last six months)	Not recently vaccinated (over six months)	Unvaccinated <sup>#</sup>	
National	3.3 <sub>m</sub>	16.4m	370.1k	
ACT	80.7k	265.0k	9.5k	
NSW	1.0 <sub>m</sub>	5.2m	142.9k	
NT	14.3 <sub>k</sub>	151.8 <sub>k</sub>	21.0k	
QLD	QLD 591.1 <sub>k</sub>		217.7k	
SA	<b>SA</b> 243.7 <sub>k</sub>		79.0k	
TAS	<b>TAS</b> 106.7k		20.5k	
VIC	VIC 867.1k		55.5k	
WA	WA 329.1k		49.6k	
Unknown/Other	16.7 <sub>k</sub>	212.8k	N/A	

#### Time since individuals last vaccination by age (18+ years)



\*Residential state is based on a person's usual state of residence. In some cases, a residential address may be in Other Territories or unable to be linked to a state and result in unknown values. #Unvaccinated population is based on the total Estimated Resident Population minus individuals who have a dose recorded in the Australian Immunisation Register.

# **Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples**

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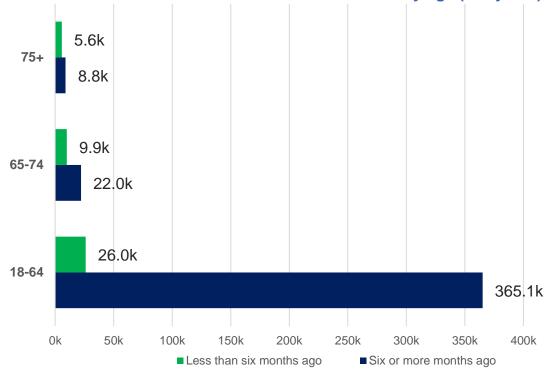
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47.4k (9.3%#)
First Nations individuals aged 18 years and over have received a 2023 Booster Dose

Time since First Nations individuals last vaccination by state (18+ years)

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Residential state*	Recently vaccinated (last six months)	Not recently vaccinated (over six months)	Unvaccinated##	
National	41.6k	396.0k	71.0k	
ACT	704	4.0k	<500	
NSW	14.1k	120.1k	17.8k	
NT	2.3k	36.0k	<b>4.1</b> k	
QLD	10.8k	104.9k	23.6k	
SA	2.2k	17.9k	4.4k	
TAS	2.3k	11.3k	1.6k	
VIC	4.2k	32.0k	3.6k	
WA	3.8k	48.8k	7.1k	
Unknown/Other	1.1k	21.0k	8.5k	

#### Time since First Nations individuals last vaccination by age (18+ years)



<sup>#</sup>Coverage uses the total First Nations population in the Australian Immunisation Register (AIR) as denominator.

<sup>\*</sup>Residential state is based on a person's usual state of residence. In some cases, a residential address may be in Other Territories or be unable to be linked to a state and result in unknown values. Identification as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander in the Australian Immunisation Register is optional and the estimated population may be under reported.

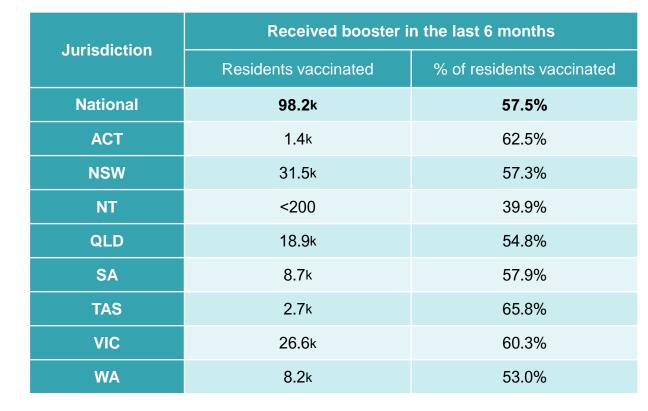
<sup>##</sup>Unvaccinated population is based on the total First Nations population in the AIR minus First Nations individuals who have a dose recorded in the AIR.

# Residential aged care vaccination rollout

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#### Aged care COVID-19 2023 Booster Doses



98.2k (57.5%)

aged care residents received a booster dose in the last 6 months\*#

**863** aged care residents received a booster dose in the last week

\*In September 2023, ATAGI provided updated advice on 2023 COVID-19 Booster Doses in relation to aged care residents. The revised advice recommended an additional 2023 COVID-19 vaccine dose for aged care residents if their last COVID-19 vaccine dose was 6 months ago or longer, regardless of recent COVID-19 infection. The reporting metric was adapted to align with ATAGI's updated advice. #For reporting accuracy, the total aged care resident population only includes residents who have been linked with their vaccination records. As residential aged care populations are fluid, the total population for vaccination are an estimate only and there is an administrative lag with the aged care recipient data which is linked to Australian Immunisation Register data. Counts may fluctuate due to enhancements to data over time.

**Key:** m = million k = thousand

Source: Matched Australian Immunisation Register data of residents in permanent residential aged care homes

## National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) reported vaccinations

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2023 Booster Doses administered to NDIS participants (18+ years)

68.9k (22.5%)

+499

(weekly increase)

#### Time since NDIS participants last vaccination by state (18+ years)

State	Recently vaccinated (last six months)	Not recently vaccinated (over six months)	Unvaccinated <sup>#</sup>
National	<b>62.4</b> k	218.7k	<b>24.7</b> k
ACT	1.6k	3.6k	289
NSW	19.1k	67.1k	6.8k
NT	420	2.1 <sub>k</sub>	228
QLD	11.2k	44.1k	6.9k
SA	4.9k	18.1 <sub>k</sub>	2.6k
TAS	2.0k	4.9k	607
VIC	17.6k	57.5k	5.2k
WA	5.6k	21.1k	2.0k

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# Individuals with Culturally and Linguistically Diverse\* (CALD) backgrounds

2023 Booster Doses administered (18+ years)



People born overseas

555.7k (12.8%)

+4.6k

(weekly increase)

People who speak a language other than English at home

**382.9**k (9.6%)

+3.4k

(weekly increase)

#### Time since CALD individuals last vaccination by state (18+ years)

	Born overseas		Speaks a language other than English at home			
State	Recently vaccinated (last six months)	Not recently vaccinated (over six months)	Unvaccinated#	Recently vaccinated (last six months)	Not recently vaccinated (over six months)	Unvaccinated#
National	474.6k	3.7 <sub>m</sub>	211.2k	322.3k	3.5m	209.5k
ACT	14.1k	70.5k	3.0k	9.8k	64.9k	3.0k
NSW	170.7k	1.4m	74.1 <sub>k</sub>	124.6k	1.4 <sub>m</sub>	83.0k
NT	2.0k	27.0k	1.2k	1.3k	24.0k	1.3k
QLD	60.7k	478.1k	41.9k	34.7k	387.4k	30.9k
SA	27.4k	196.7k	15.4k	17.9k	186.6k	16.4k
TAS	7.4k	33.1k	2.3k	3.6k	26.6k	1.6k
VIC	144.5k	1.1 <sub>m</sub>	53.9k	104.8k	1.1 <sub>m</sub>	58.8k
WA	47.5k	362.2k	19.0k	25.5k	293.3k	14.2k

<sup>\*</sup>Individuals with culturally and linguistically diverse (CALD) backgrounds are as reported in the 2021 Census and do not include Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. The Born Overseas cohort excludes those born in the United Kingdom, Ireland and New Zealand. The data excludes those who have since departed Australia and deceased persons since the 2021 Census. There is an overlap across CALD cohorts where individuals may have reported they had more than one CALD characteristic in the 2021 Census.

Small negative changes may appear when compared with the previous report due to perturbation, data maturity and changes in population sizes.

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Source: Australian Immunisation Register linked to the Multi-Agency Data Integration Project (MADIP)

<sup>#</sup>Unvaccinated population is based on the total cohort from the 2021 Census linked in MADIP minus those who have a dose recorded in the Australian Immunisation Register. Counts may fluctuate due to enhancements to data over time.

## **Explanatory notes**

Please note that a person's COVID-19 infection history cannot be linked to their vaccination records at this time. This means we cannot estimate population eligibility or provide information on population coverage. For this reason, the number of boosters and the number of people based on their time since last vaccination have been provided.

The Australian Immunisation Register (AIR): the Australian Immunisation Register is a national register that records all vaccines given to people in Australia.

Doses administered: the total number of COVID-19 vaccination records in the Australian Immunisation Register. This includes all records, including vaccine administration errors, doses that were administered to people who are no longer active in Australia (relocated or passed away), and doses administered to people overseas who have since interacted with the Australian health system. The number of doses administered is different to the number of people with a dose. The number of doses administered is normally shown by the provider state, while the number of people with a dose is normally shown by a person's residential state.

Time Since Last Vaccination: the time that has elapsed since a person's last recorded COVID-19 vaccine, based on the administration date in the Australian Immunisation Register.

2023 Booster Doses: any third or higher dose administered in sequence since 1 January 2023 to individuals aged 18 and over.

Age: unless otherwise specified, age is calculated based on the age of a person at the time of reporting. It is possible for a person to move across cohorts over time however they are counted in only one cohort at the time of reporting.

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples: the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander population refers to the number of individuals that identify as Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander in the Australian Immunisation Register. Identifying as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander is optional, and the estimated population may be under reported. Numbers include all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples who have received a vaccination and are not limited to those administered in an ACCHS setting.

Other Priority Populations: some cohorts of interest are unable to be identified in the Australian Immunisation Register alone. For information on these priority populations, please refer to the caveats with the data, as these use different data assets and may have different methodologies that are not directly comparable to the general population.

International doses: vaccination doses that are recognised by the Therapeutic Goods Administration (TGA) and were physically administered outside of Australia to people included in the Australian Immunisation Register. Please note that many of these doses are assigned to a default provider with a location in the Australian Capital Territory.

Weekly increases: are the difference between the reported total from last week and the total this week. This captures all new records uploaded into the Australian Immunisation Register, even if the doses were not physically administered during this time period (i.e., if a provider enters a record late).

Rounding: please note that numbers may not add up to their total due to rounding of figures.

Update information: vaccine data is sourced from the Australian Immunisation Register as at 11:59pm 13 September 2023 unless otherwise noted.