## Australian Immunisation Register - Influenza Data - 1 March to 24 September

Notes and Caveats

All data is based on influenza vaccinations reported to the Australian Immunisation Register (AIR) as at COB 24 September 2023.

- Data is from 1 March to 24 September 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.

			Age					Provider types	
Encounter Year	Jurisdiction	Total	<5 Years	5-64 Years	65+ Years	First Nations People	GP	Pharmacy	Other
2020	AUS	9,497,385	818,188	5,771,096	2,908,101	283,760	7,593,479	1,420,830	483,076
	ACT	174,834	19,929	109,409	45,496	2,653	126,020	41,794	7,020
	NSW	2,860,303	240,219	1,713,494	906,590	84,303	2,337,919	443,249	79,135
	NT	80,226	9,434	59,043	11,749	37,514	33,394	5,680	41,152
	QLD	1,848,165	154,223	1,088,625	605,317	78,596	1,553,355	213,566	81,244
	SA	722,014	56,545	426,330	239,139	14,777	549,601	118,843	53,570
	TAS	231,616		134,582	82,059	9,639	169,398		12,340
	VIC	2,460,038	223,030	1,524,874	712,134	20,098	2,039,408	275,643	144,987
	WA	1,108,952	99,671	705,072	304,209	36,139	780,819	265,274	62,859
	Unknown	11,237	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2021	AUS	8,840,214		5,340,864	3,075,205	192,810	6,200,203		
	ACT	187,195	13,835	125,342	48,018	2,330	113,465	,	37,697
	NSW	2,622,830	120,559	1,544,264	958,007	62,299	1,910,188		315,435
	NT	64,985	6,729	47,615	10,641	22,768	27,275		
	QLD	1,767,103	72,985	1,068,170	625,948	51,803	1,237,278	,	226,990
	SA	768,848	31,460	466,640	270,748	10,860	505,637	,	121,377
	TAS	220,924	9,078	127,103	84,743	7,627	148,835		22,824
	VIC	2,319,133	125,311	1,419,433	774,389	15,410	1,669,626		
	WA	887,612	44,144	540,887	302,581	19,704	587,365	207,187	93,060
	Unknown	1,584	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2022	AUS	11,064,744	· ·	7,054,194	3,438,040	237,827	6,993,039		1,424,347
	ACT	219,428		151,079	52,471	2,694	118,810		42,213
	NSW	3,416,288	183,121	2,143,230	1,089,937	73,090	2,280,097		337,254
	NT	83,300	7,062	62,957	13,281	31,740	30,748		44,133
	QLD	2,103,158		1,324,124	684,984	61,068	1,360,540		260,009
	SA	890,303	37,939	559,076	,	12,815	511,814	,	,
	TAS	274,250	12,266	167,243	94,741	8,789	152,230		48,377
	VIC	2,979,392	166,780	1,946,628	865,984	19,667	1,957,703		,
	WA	1,096,281	55,370	697,854	343,057	27,944	580,143	355,100	161,038
	Unknown	2,344	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2023	AUS	9,279,483	488,633	5,541,250	3,249,600	202,014	5,752,369		
	ACT	202,246		136,343	50,990	2,358			
	NSW	2,779,468		1,611,504	1,020,687	60,410	1,829,379		354,246
	NT	72,307	6,351	53,665	12,291	27,178	25,991	,	38,293
	QLD	1,819,753	85,374	1,075,179	659,200	54,907	1,162,839		245,325
	SA	711,926		408,991	271,606	10,143	420,691		108,706
	TAS	229,937	11,266	128,049	90,622	7,425	135,151	,	24,727
	VIC	2,466,539	139,675	1,514,311	812,553	16,053	1,581,862		
	WA	994,615	52,401	610,882	331,332	23,527	495,979	379,423	119,213
	Unknown	2,692	-	-	-	-	-	-	-