

## New Zealand – Situation update 2 June 2021

Information presented in this assessment is based on New Zealand's publicly available information provided on the New Zealand Ministry of Health website.<sup>1</sup>

## **Current Assessment Summary**

- There have been no locally acquired cases of COVID-19 in the last 7 days
- New Zealand is currently accepting passengers under 'green zone' travel arrangements from all Australian states and territories, with the exception of Victoria.
  - o From 7.59 pm NZT 25 May 2021, New Zealand's quarantine free travel with Victoria will be paused.
  - o Currently, the pause is in place until 7:59pm on Friday, 4 June 2021, and is being reassessed regularly as the situation develops.
  - Pre-departure testing has been introduced for anyone who has been in Victoria in the days prior to the quarantine free travel pause for Victoria. People flying to New Zealand from Australia must return a negative COVID-19 test within 72 hours of departure if they have been in Victoria on or after 20 May and who are not otherwise prevented from travelling to New Zealand. Pre-departure testing requirements came into force after 11.59pm (NZT) on 31 May 2021.
- As at 2 June 2021, anyone who has been at one of the locations of interest in New South Wales between 23 and 24 May 2021 is not permitted to travel to New Zealand within 14 days of exposure.
- All of New Zealand is at Alert Level 1.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> https://www.health.govt.nz/our-work/diseases-and-conditions/covid-19-novel-coronavirus

Summary of Cases as at 11:00 AEDT, 2 June 2021			
	Total	Change in last 7 days	
Confirmed cases	2323	10	
Deaths	26	0	
Current hospitalised	0	0	

Source of acquisition of cases* for the 7 days to 2 June 2021		
Overseas acquired/associated	10	
Locally acquired	0	

<sup>\*</sup>New Zealand categorises overseas acquired/associated cases (including those in managed isolation in New Zealand) as 'at the border'; New Zealand categorises locally acquired cases as 'in the community'.

## Summary of locally acquired cases

	Notification Date	Number of days
Last locally acquired case	20/04/2021	43
Last locally acquired case of unknown source	13/02/2021	109

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