

National Public Health Emergency Team (NPHET) Report

19TH May – 14th June



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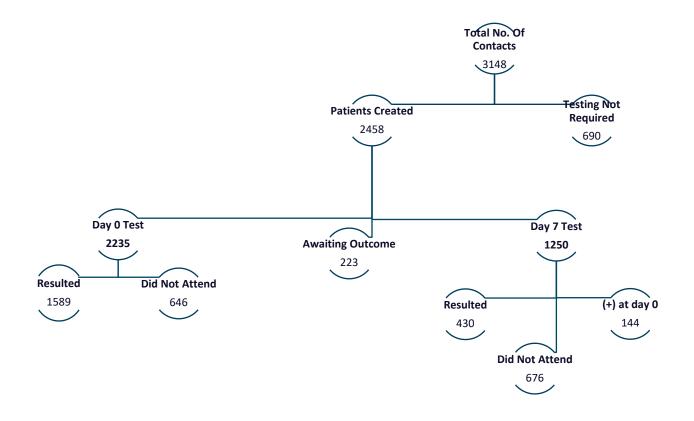


Introduction

This report covers close contacts of cases of COVID-19 identified for the period from 19th May to 14th June. Day 0 testing commenced on 19th May. Day 7 testing commenced on 28th May (for those whose last date of exposure was 21st May). Data are provisional. Analysis is based on a data extract from the Covid Care Tracker at 5pm on 15th June 2020. Referral information and results are not yet available for some more recently identified close contacts.



Contact Tracing Overview – Day 0 and Day 7 Testing



Data are provisional

Those who had tested positive within the past three months were not re-tested A day 7 test is not indicated for all patients e.g. in instances where a previous test was conducted within a 24 hour window.



COVID-19 Day 0 Test Results

Day 0 - Reporting Period 19th May - 14th Jun

Day 0 Test					
Result	Symptomatic	Asymptomatic	Not recorded	Total	
	No. (%)	No. (%)	No.	No. (%)	
Positive	29 (14)	100 (8)	15	144 (9)	
Negative	185 (86)	1200 (92)	58	1443 (91)	
Other	1 (<1)	1 (<1)		(<1)	
	215 (100)	1301 (100)	73	1589	

COVID-19 Day 7 Test Results

Day 7 – Reporting Period 19th May – 14th Jun

Day 7 Test					
Result	Symptomatic	Asymptomatic	Not recorded	Total	
	No. (%)	No. (%)	No.	No. (%)	
Positive	4 (8)	10 (3)	1	15 (3)	
Negative	45 (92)	360 (97)	10	415 (97)	
Other					
	49 (100)	370 (100)	11	430 (100)	

Data are provisional

Other includes invalid/inhibitory/indeterminate

Those who had tested positive within the past three months were not re-tested

Some close contacts are managed off the CCT



Result Changes

Of 420 close contacts who were negative at Day 0, and were also tested at Day 7, 9 (2%) converted to positive.

Number of Close Contacts per Case

The median and mean number of contacts per case ranged from a low of 1.5 and 2, respectively, on Wednesday 10th June, to 2 and 6.3, respectively, on Thursday 11th June.

Ends.