

- There have now been almost 11.3 million vaccines administered across NSW! 91.1% of people over 16 have received a first dose, and 76.5% have received both doses. 71% of 12-15 year olds have received one dose and 23.3% are now fully vaccinated.
- This is a fantastic achievement. Thank you to everyone involved in delivering vaccinations and everyone in the community who has come forward to be vaccinated.
- There were 406 locally acquired cases of COVID-19 reported in NSW in the 24 hours to 8pm last night. Sadly, six people have died.
- There has been sewage detection in Wentworth, Jerilderie, Lake Cargelligo, Quirindi and Lightning Ridge. If you live in these areas or have recently visited, please monitor for symptoms, get tested and get vaccinated if you haven't already.
- We are concerned about rising cases in the Hunter region and also about communities on the border with Victoria.
- As NSW reopens, please be cautious wherever you live and make sure that you are familiar with the changing rules. These are all available on [nsw.gov.au](https://nsw.gov.au)
- Please remember that the most important thing to do is to get vaccinated. It is crucial to protect yourself, your loved ones and all the people you come into contact with. It's particularly important to protect against serious illness.
- Other important things to prevent the spread of COVID-19 include good hand hygiene, wearing a mask and practicing social distancing.
- Please continue to get tested if you have even the mildest of symptoms, whether you've been vaccinated or not.
- Thank you for all the work you've done to keep yourself and the community safe. Please continue to stay safe as we enjoy the freedoms laid out in the roadmap in front of us.