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ACT COVID-19 Epidemiology Overview

Reporting period Friday 12 April 2024 to Thursday 18 April 2024 inclusive.

Weekly COVID-19 update - as at 19 April 2024

Weekly ACT COVID-19 update 19 April 2024		
252,378 Total cases since March 2020	52 New cases this week (PCR only)	
12 In hospital	0 In ICU	0 Ventilated
0 Lives lost	308 Total lives lost	

- Due to data cleaning, the total number of cases reported will not necessarily equal last week's total plus new cases reported this week.

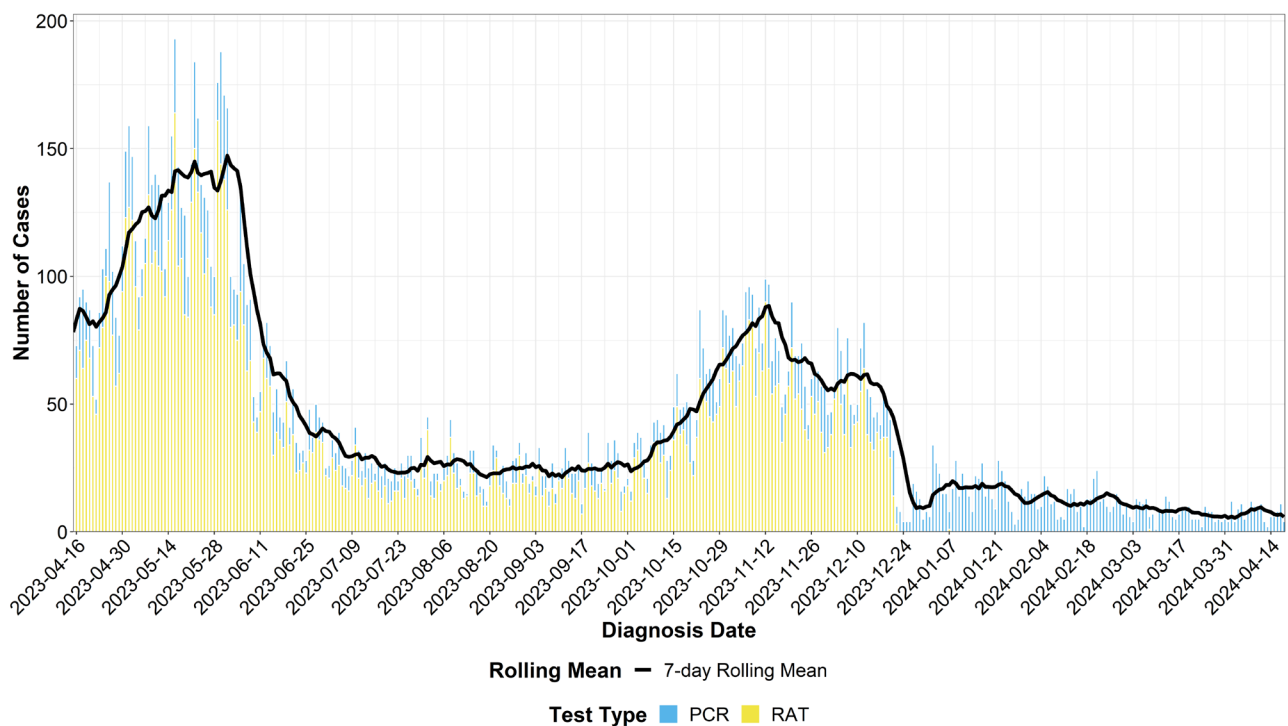
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COVID-19-related deaths

No deaths were reported to ACT Health during this reporting period.

There have been 16 COVID-19 related deaths in 2024, bringing the total number of COVID-19-related deaths for the pandemic to 308.

Figure 1: COVID-19 cases since 15 April 2023 (with 7-day rolling mean) by test type and diagnosis date^{ab}



Notes:

^aFrom 22 December 2023, ACT Health has stopped collecting self-reported positive Rapid Antigen Tests (RATs).

^bThe DIAGNOSIS DATE will be the TRUE ONSET DATE if known, otherwise it will be earliest of the SPECIMEN DATE, the NOTIFICATION DATE or the NOTIFICATION RECEIVED DATE.

^cDue to the case processing system, there is a small proportion of cases that will not appear before the end of the cut-off period. This will result in an under-reporting of the case numbers and average mean for the 48 hours prior to the cut-off period.