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Update on NDIS participants and COVID-19

Below is the daily update on NDIS participants and workforce and COVID-19 for Wednesday, 16 September 2020.

The reporting will ensure accurate and timely information is being provided to the community. The data is collated through reporting mechanisms of the NDIS Quality and Safeguard Commission and compiled by the Commonwealth's NDIS Critical Response Group.

Visit www.ndis.gov.au/coronavirus for more information.

COVID-19 cases notified to the NDIS Quality and Safeguards Commission as at 10.00 – Wednesday, 16 September 2020

National Positive COVID-19 Case Notifications		
	Cumulative since March 2020	Current Active Cases
Participant	154 (+1)	17 (-1)
Worker	198 (+3)	9 (-2)
Total	352 (+4)	26 (-3)

Current Active Positive COVID-19 Cases by State and Territory								
	NSW	VIC	QLD	WA	SA	TAS	ACT	NT
Participant	-	17 (-1)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Worker	-	9 (-2)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	26 (-3)	-	-	-	-	-	-

- Notes:
- Data only includes cases of COVID-19 in NDIS funded supports and services notified to the NDIS Quality and Safeguards Commission by registered NDIS providers. NDIS supports and services include those provided to people with disability in their own homes, or in disability accommodation supports under the NDIS. Infections may not occur due to the provision of NDIS supports and services and include acquired infections in the community.
 - Data does not include: reports of people with disability who manage their own supports in the NDIS, as they are not required to report; all NDIS participants who may be residing in residential aged care where their providers are not required to be registered NDIS providers; and in-kind supports or other services that are under the jurisdiction of any other state and territory government, which may include Supported Residential Services, public housing, social and community housing.
 - Active cases are determined by advice from providers to the NDIS Quality and Safeguards Commission. In order to protect individuals' privacy, active cases are not specified in jurisdictions where there are low reports of infection.

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