STATISTICS PRESS NOTICE – WEEKLY DEATH STATISTICS (Week ending 1 July 2022)



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Covid-19 related deaths: week ending 1 July 2022

Latest figures published today by NISRA show that 20 deaths involving Covid-19 <u>occurred</u> in Week 26 ending 1 July 2022. The total number of Covid-19 related deaths that occurred up to 1 July 2022 has now reached 4,684. Of these, 3,263 (69.7%) took place in hospital, 986 (21.1%) in care homes and 435 (9.3%) at residential addresses, hospices or other locations.

Separate analysis, based on the <u>date of death registration</u>, shows that the provisional number of total deaths from all causes registered in Northern Ireland in the week ending 1 July 2022 (week 26 2022) was 347, 25 more than in week 25 of 2022 and 65 more than the 5-year average (2017-2021) of 282.

Covid-19 was mentioned on the death certificate of 19 (5.5%) of the 347 deaths registered in week 26, nine more than the previous week (10). The total number of Covid-19 related deaths registered since the start of the pandemic is 4,674 up to 1 July 2022.

Persons aged 75 and over accounted for 73.9% of the 4,674 Covid-19 related deaths registered between 19 March 2020 and 1 July 2022.

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NOTES TO EDITORS

- 1. Statistics on weekly deaths registered in Northern Ireland can be found at: <u>weekly</u> <u>death registration in Northern Ireland.</u>
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- To allow for delays in death registrations, quoted figures based on occurrence take into account registrations up to 6 July 2022. Please note that the number of occurrences can be subject to change depending on when the deaths are registered.
- 4. There will be no release on 15 July 2022 due to the July holidays, but reporting on weekly deaths will recommence on 22 July.
- Further information on the statistics provided in this publication can be obtained from NISRA Customer Services at: Telephone: +44 (0)300 200 7836

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