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GARDEN ROUTE DISTRICT MULTI-AGENCY COMMAND CENTRE

UPDATE: COVID-19 POSTIVE CASES, 26 May 2021

Sub-district	TOTAL	Active	Recovered	Deaths
Bitou	2 815	38	2 677	100
George	12 198	88	11 655	455
Hessequa	1 985	15	1 864	106
Kannaland	909	7	857	45
Knysna	4 872	25	4 690	157
Mossel Bay	7 563	62	7 293	208
Oudtshoorn	4 158	53	3 812	293
Sub-total	34 500	288	32 848	1 364

Active cases / 100 000 pop	Previous: 1 week ago
57	58
42	44
28	20
31	49
33	35
65	98
56	66
47	54

WC: 51

44

Petrosa

Quarantine	7
Isolation	10

Total new cases

7-14d ago vs 7d ago: 148: 145
2% decrease

WC 1 606 : 2 199
37% increase

General points:

1. There is a slight decrease in new cases with a good decrease in the active/100 000.

This is for all sub-districts except Hessequa, which has a slight increase but is not problematic.

Mossel Bay has the highest rate.

2. Distribution is wide-spread.
3. George Hospital stable at the moment. Covid ward 28% full and High Care 8% full.

All district hospitals manageable presently and not under pressure.

Vaccine Program: Phase 2

1. The only vaccine available and being used is the Pfizer vaccine. We await delivery of the J&J vaccine.

2. For this week, George sub-district has started with vaccinations of the >60 years of age.

This is happening at old-age homes only at this point.

3. Next week all other sub-districts will begin with vaccinations in old-age homes.

Depending on availability of vaccine, a fixed site in George (Harry Comay Hospital) will also open for scheduled vaccinations.

4. We are going to try to have as many scheduled vaccinations as possible, rather than walk-ins.

5. Awaiting further information on the opening of private sites in our district.