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COVID-19 UPDATE 12: FRIDAY 3 APRIL 2020

Building capacity at Wakefield Hospital and Repat Health Precinct

A new \$1.9 million CT-scanner and a VIE 7000 oxygen tank will arrive at the former Wakefield Hospital site today.

Significant works are also underway at the Repat where a crane is being used to install an important chiller to help service the facility's soon-to-be established 90 beds for coronavirus patients.

Two dedicated COVID-19 facilities at ECH College Grove and Wakefield Hospital are expected to be operational this month and will provide an additional 188 beds.

Stay at home this Easter and school holidays

The Chief Public Health Officer, Associate Professor Nicola Spurrier, along with mayors from Councils across South Australia are asking people to stay at home this Easter and school holidays, avoiding non-essential travel and reducing the risk of spreading COVID-19.

National update – places of worship

The Prime Minister has [announced](#) places of worship will be considered workplaces over Easter and will be able to live stream or broadcast religious services. Services will still have to adhere to social distancing restrictions.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA COVID-19 CASES

There have been 11 new cases of COVID-19 today bringing the total to **396** confirmed cases in South Australia since 1 February 2020.

To date, 46 people have been confirmed cleared of coronavirus, however we expect this number to increase as our data is updated.

We are continuing to investigate a cluster of 19 cases linked to baggage handlers at Adelaide Airport.

116 cases have been linked to cruise ships.

SA Health is your trusted source for information on COVID-19. For more information visit our [website](#) and follow us on [Facebook](#) or [Twitter](#).

[SA.GOV.AU](#) is a dedicated COVID-19 gateway, linking to relevant information on state and federal government websites.

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