

Explaining COVID-19 contacts (Phase 2)

What is the difference between a positive case, whānau of a positive case and a close contact?

Positive case - someone who has tested positive for COVID-19.

Whānau of positive case - the people who live in the same house as someone who has tested positive.

Close contact - someone who has had contact with a person with COVID-19 when they were infectious.

Secondary and casual contacts are no longer impacted by COVID-19 restrictions but you should monitor for symptoms and get tested if you are feeling unwell.

