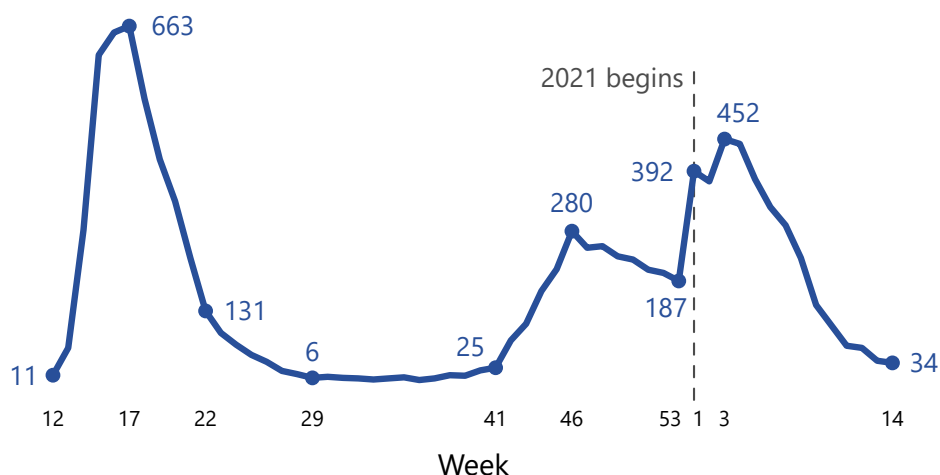


COVID-19 deaths back to early October levels

As of 11th April 2021, 10,031 deaths have been registered which mentioned COVID-19. The highest number were registered in week 17 (20th to 26th April). Since the recent high point of 452 in week 3 (18th to 24th January) deaths have fallen for 11 consecutive weeks.

Deaths per week involving Covid-19

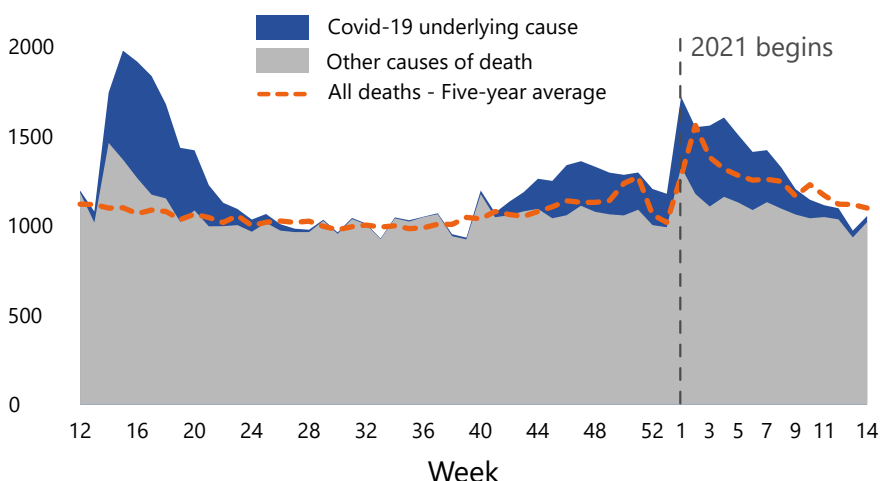


Deaths were below average levels in week 14

Deaths where COVID-19 was the underlying cause have driven periods of increased 'excess deaths', where deaths have risen above the five year average (orange line).

In recent weeks, deaths have fallen below the average

Deaths registered per week



Date of occurrence versus date of registration

Trends based on date of registration are more timely but can be unreliable at times of year when registration offices are closed due to public holidays. The trend based on date of occurrence gives a clearer picture.

Deaths involving COVID-19 by dates of occurrence and registration

