

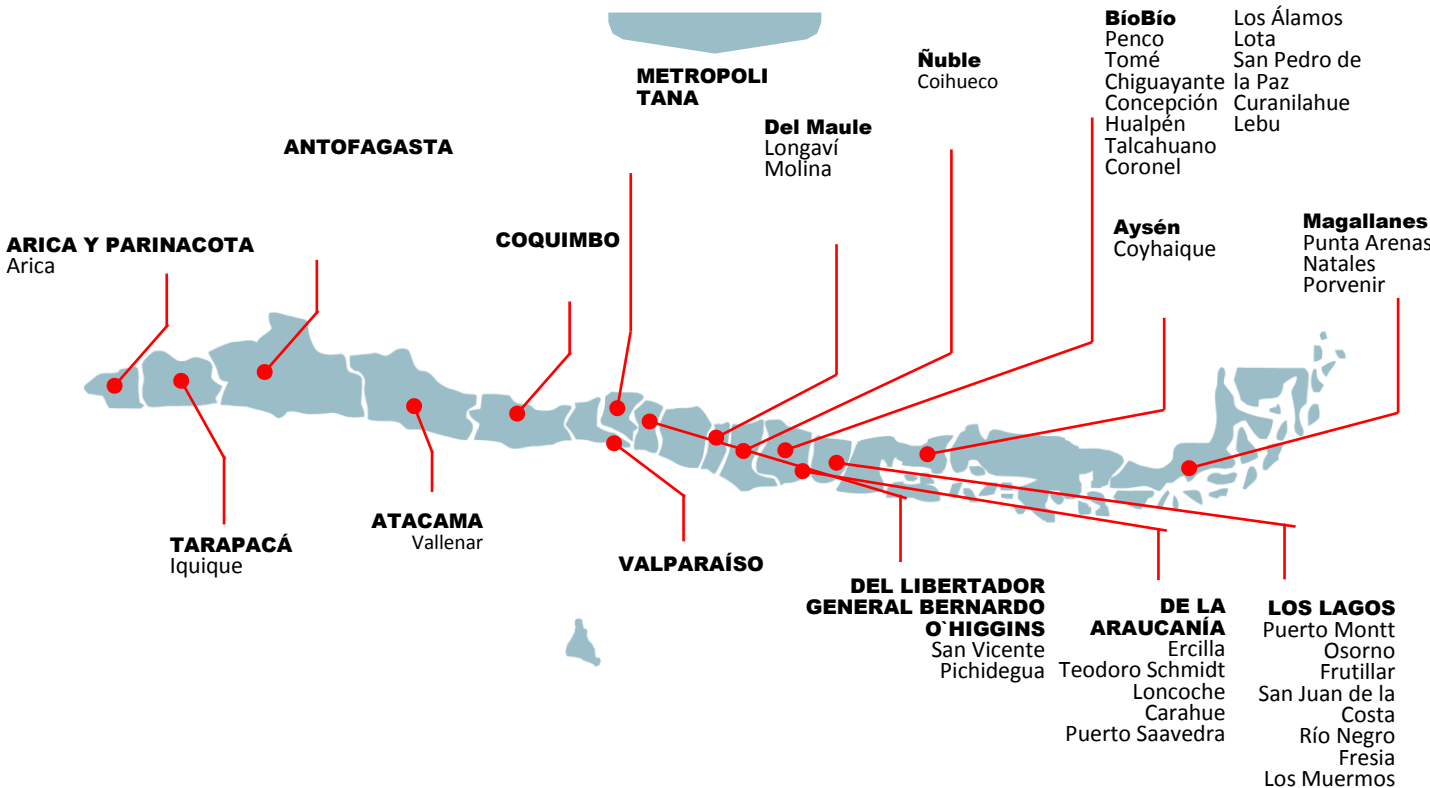
CHILE WEEKLY REPORT COVID-19

13 OCTOBER, 2020

NUMBERS

14.385	ACTIVE CASES
1.392	NEW CASES
462	ASYMPTOMATIC
13.396	DEATHS
84	IN CRITICAL CONDITION
612	HOSPITALIZED PATIENTS
3.754.762	TOTAL PCR EXAMS PERFORMED
25.603	TOTAL PCR EXAMS PERFORMED IN THE LAST 24 HOURS

LOCATIONS IN QUARANTINE



LATEST MEASURES



- The government met with Sinovac for the first clinical trial in Chile of a COVID-19 vaccine. Within the framework of the Government's strategy to obtain potential vaccines against Coronavirus, the Minister of Science, Andrés Couve, together with the Minister of Health, Enrique Paris, and the Undersecretary of International Economic Relations, Rodrigo Yañez, met this morning with senior representatives of the Sinovac laboratory, which is about to begin clinical trials of its "Coronovac" vaccine project in Chile.
- Undersecretary of Health, Paula Daza, confirmed on the ground the advance of Viña del Mar and Valparaíso to Transition. Health authority recalled the self-care measures to avoid contagion.
- Undersecretary of Healthcare Networks, Arturo Zúñiga, led the operation to take CRP tests in Viña del Mar. The health authority traveled to the Valparaíso region to reinforce the call to citizens for self-care and early consultation for symptoms.
- Undersecretary Paula Daza visited Magallanes and announced measures to strengthen TTA's strategy in the region. The authority inaugurated a new traceability center and announced the incorporation of new auditors. In addition, he reported the early inauguration of a PCR laboratory and a Sanitary Residence in Puerto Natales.
- The Undersecretary of Crime Prevention, Katherine Martorell, announced that seven communes will be out of quarantine as of Tuesday, October 13 at 5:00 am, the communes of Viña del Mar, Valparaíso, Licantén, San Clemente, Hualqui, Lonquimay and Maullín. On the contrary, as of Saturday, October 10 at 5:00 am, the communes of Fresia and Los Muermos go into quarantine.

MAIN GOVERNMENT SPOKESPERSONS



**President
Of Chile**
Sebastián Piñera



Health Minister
Enrique Paris



**Undersecretary of
Assistance Networks**
Arturo Zúñiga



Undersecretary of Health
Paula Daza



Science Minister
Andrés Couve



**Undersecretary of
Crime Prevention**
Katherine Martorell

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LINKS OF THE MAIN NEWS OF THE WEEK

- Regenerón, remdesivir, dexamethasone: the treatment for Trump's Covid
<http://portal.nexnews.cl/showN?valor=ettj4>
- SARS-CoV-2 transmission through the air adds overwhelming evidence
<http://portal.nexnews.cl/showN?valor=etvby>
- In the northern hemisphere they are already concerned about a double pandemic
<http://portal.nexnews.cl/showN?valor=etvu0>
- Less science and scholarships: the 2021 budget cuts that Covid-19 took
<http://portal.nexnews.cl/showN?valor=etvi4>
- Historic commitment to the production of safe vaccines against Covid-19
<http://portal.nexnews.cl/showN?valor=etr2k>
- Covid lethality in young Chileans is three times higher than in European countries
<http://portal.nexnews.cl/showN?valor=eu55y>
- FDA Calls for More Safety Assurances in COVID-19 Vaccines: Approval Could Come After Elections
<http://portal.nexnews.cl/showN?valor=eu190>
- China asks WHO to authorize its coronavirus vaccines for international use
<http://portal.nexnews.cl/showN?valor=eu1as>
- Be careful: again two contraceptives are withdrawn due to quality failures
<http://portal.nexnews.cl/showN?valor=euf5y>
- Bill Gates Says Antibody Drugs Could Dramatically Reduce Covid-19 Death Rate
<http://portal.nexnews.cl/showN?valor=eufb0>
- Minister Andrés Couve: "We made the decision to prioritize our national research capacities"
<http://portal.nexnews.cl/showN?valor=eu9du>
- Federal agency strengthens requirements to approve vaccine against covid-19: Trump accuses "political attack"
<http://portal.nexnews.cl/showN?valor=eucee>
- Bill Gates' forecast: rich countries could return to normal by the end of 2021
<http://portal.nexnews.cl/showN?valor=eu59a>
- Government supports neuro-rights Project
<http://portal.nexnews.cl/showN?valor=eunzi>
- Low in the science budget confronts the scientific community with the authorities
<http://portal.nexnews.cl/showN?valor=eunze>
- Lessons from the pandemic: the need to strengthen primary care, rethink the health system and invest in prevention
<http://portal.nexnews.cl/showN?valor=euogw>
- Johnson & Johnson to deliver doses of COVID-19 vaccines to the EU to benefit 400 million people
<http://portal.nexnews.cl/showN?valor=eulg8>