

## **New Zealand, other than Auckland, to move to Alert Level 1 next Monday**

On 14 September 2020 Prime Minister Jacinda Ardern announced that New Zealand, other than Auckland, will move to Alert level 1 next Monday 21 September at 11.59pm. Auckland is currently at Level 2.5, while the rest of the country is at Level 2.

The move, however, is contingent on no Covid-19 cases appearing outside of Auckland between now and then.

Auckland's Alert Level 2.5 will be reviewed next Monday, September 21 - with a view to increasing gathering limits. Provided that cabinet agrees any changes will take effect from Wednesday, September 23 at 11.59pm.

Auckland moved to Alert Level 2.5 on 30 August after being at Alert Level 3 since the beginning of the August community outbreak, and the rest of New Zealand has been at Level 2 since 12 August.

Public transport operators will also no longer enforce seating and social distancing rules, but mask use will still be compulsory.

### **Resources:**

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<https://www.tvnz.co.nz/one-news/new-zealand/new-zealand-other-than-auckland-move-alert-level-1-next-monday> >