

## Christmas Close Down 2020-21 and Additional Public Holiday 2020

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## CHRISTMAS CLOSEDOWN 2020-21 AND ADDITIONAL PUBLIC HOLIDAY 2020

### PURPOSE

This Information Bulletin is to inform NSW Health staff of the dates of the Christmas Closedown period 2020-2021 and the additional public holidays for 2020.

### KEY INFORMATION

#### Christmas Closedown Dates

The Christmas Closedown period for 2020-2021 is Friday 25 December 2020 to Friday 8 January 2021 inclusive.

Public holidays during this period are:

- Friday 25 December 2020 – Christmas Day
- Saturday 26 December 2020 – Boxing Day
- Monday 28 December 2020 – additional Boxing Day public holiday
- Friday 1 January 2021 – New Year's Day

NSW Health Information Bulletin IB2019\_043 provides the dates of public holidays from 2019 – 2021.

#### Additional Public Holiday for 2020/2021 Christmas Closedown Period

In accordance with the provisions of relevant industrial instrument/s, an additional public holiday for NSW Health staff may be observed during the Christmas/New Year period.

NSW Health staff (with the exception of NSW Ambulance) will observe an additional public holiday on Thursday 31 December 2020.

NSW Ambulance staff will observe an additional public holiday on Tuesday 29 December 2020.

#### Gazetted Public Holidays published by NSW Industrial Relations

The full list of gazetted public holidays for NSW is published by [NSW Industrial Relations](#).