

UPDATE May 23:

Number of confirmed coronavirus cases in Lithuania: 1616*

Deaths: 63

Recovered: 1135

Number of tests performed yesterday: 5839

A total of samples tested in relation to the suspected coronavirus to date: 264 882

*The number of confirmed infection cases. Until 28 April, information has been provided on positive laboratory test results rather than on positive cases (people).

An elderly person with chronic illnesses has died from Covid-19 in Telšiai, western Lithuania, bringing the country's total number of deaths from the coronavirus to 63. Eight people who had the virus died from other causes.

In the last 24 hours, Vilnius City Clinical Hospital reported three new infections – a worker, a patient and his relative. Two infections were also reported at Santara Clinics in Vilnius – a patient and his relative.

Out of the 12 new infections, two were so-called imported cases – one person who recently came back from St Petersburg, Russia via Belarus, and another person who returned from Finland via Estonia.