

# Coronavirus (COVID-19) and your workplace



## VICTORIAN BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY – ‘RESET TO RESTART’

1st October 2021

The Victorian Government has announced an end to the Shutdown and a reopening of the Building and Construction Industry from 5<sup>th</sup> October 2021, subject to declarations by employers of commitment to enhanced COVIDSafe practices.

RESET TO RESTART is a concise representation of key aspects of the Industry COVID-19 Guidelines and Workplace Directions that give employers and all workers precise information about what they are required to do to reopen in a COVIDSafe way.

The Industry COVID-19 Guidelines (Revision 14) remain in force and provide the most comprehensive advice available to the industry, agreed and supported by the following industry stakeholders.



# WHAT IS EVERY WORKPLACE REQUIRED TO DO?



Confirm the **vaccination status** of all workers entering the workplace

Click here for [CHO Vaccination Directions](#) & [FAQ's](#)



Comply with **workforce capacity limits** (as per daily average calculation in the directions)

[CHO Workplace \(AIO\) Directions](#)



Update the workplace **COVIDSafe Plan** (when restrictions change) and consult/communicate with all workers

Guidelines Ref. 2.5  
[COVIDSafe Plan Construction template](#)



**Screen the health of all workers** entering the workplace and preferably conduct temperature testing (mandatory on large scale sites)

Guidelines Ref. 3.2 & Att.8.4



Get expert advice and ensure adequate **airflow and ventilation** in enclosed areas including amenities

Guidelines Ref. Att. 8.5

Our maximum number of patrons at any time is:



Apply **density quotients** in each area e.g. based on 1 person per 4sqm

Guidelines Ref. 3.5  
[How to calculate](#)



Implement a **hygiene and cleaning regime** (display cleaning log)

Guidelines Ref. 3.6 & 3.8  
[Cleaning & disinfection](#)



Display the **Service Vic QR Code**

Guidelines Ref. 3.1  
[About the QR Code](#)



Use a record keeping system for **workplace mapping** (preferably digital)

Guidelines Ref. 3.3



Appoint a **COVID Marshal** to monitor compliance and provide infection control training

Guidelines Ref. 3.14  
[COVID Marshals](#)



Report any **confirmed** cases immediately to Department of Health and WorkSafe

Guidelines Ref. 4.0  
[Confirmed Cases](#)

# WHAT IS EVERY WORKER REQUIRED TO DO?



Ensure you have available **proof of vaccination** (or medical certificate for a vaccination exemption)

[How to get proof](#)



**Stay home** if unwell and **get tested** if you have any symptoms or have been at a tier 1 or 2 exposure site

[Getting tested](#)  
[Exposure sites](#)



Comply with all **directions** to work in a COVIDSafe way (e.g. from Employer, DHHS, CHO, WorkSafe etc.)

[CHO Directions](#)



Carry your current **Authorised Worker Permit**

Guidelines Ref. 2.4  
[Worker Permits](#)



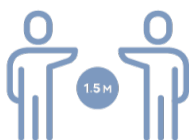
Scan into **Services Vic QR code** and provide details to your employer for workplace mapping

Guidelines Ref. 3.1



Wear an approved **face mask that is fitted correctly**, over your mouth and nose

Guidelines Ref. 3.11  
[Face Masks](#)



**Physically distance** 1.5 metres and **avoid gathering** as groups indoors such as near hoists, in lunchrooms etc.

Guidelines Ref. 3.4



Stay in the **worker shift bubble** that you've been allocated, to reduce the mixing of workers

[Worker shift bubbles](#)



Report any **suspected or confirmed cases** of immediately to your Employer

Guidelines Ref. 4.0

## HERE ARE THE LINKS FOR FURTHER INFORMATION AND ADVICE

- Vic Department of Health: <http://www.dhhs.vic.gov.au/coronavirus>
- Vic Workplace Directions: <https://www.dhhs.vic.gov.au/victorias-restriction-levels-covid-19>
- Vic Department of Jobs, Precincts and Regions: <http://www.coronavirus.vic.gov.au>
- WorkSafe: <https://www.worksafe.vic.gov.au/coronavirus-covid-19>