

Victoria's Roadmap: Delivering the National Plan

Summary of proposed restriction levels - How we work

Note 1: The settings below are indicative only and subject to change. All changes to the Chief Health Officer's Directions are based on public health advice (including epidemiological evidence) and legal advice (including as to compatibility with the Charter for Human Rights and Responsibilities) at the relevant time, in light of the specific risks to public health and changes/measures proposed. All directions must be reasonably necessary to protect public health and the Chief Health Officer (or delegate) must act in a way that is compatible with the Charter for Human Rights and Responsibilities.

Note 2: Cleaning, signage, record keeping, and other COVIDSafe requirements for work premises continue to apply for all venues and facilities with onsite operations as per Workplace Directions and Workplace (Additional Industry Obligations) Directions. Density quotients (DQ) apply to all venues and spaces that are accessible to the public.

Note 3: All proposed easings from 80% fully vaccinated (indicatively 5 November) are dependent on the ability for venues and employers to confirm vaccination status of patrons and employees, respectively.

Note 4: APAW List will be dissolved at 70% 16+ fully vaccinated

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Metro Melbourne

| | National Plan: Phase A | National Plan: Phase B | National Plan: Phase C | National Plan: Phase D |
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| Travel | Intrastate travel: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must not travel further than 15km from place of primary residence, except for permitted reasons | Intrastate travel: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must not travel between metropolitan Melbourne and regional Victoria, except for permitted reasons. | Intrastate travel: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Allowed Interstate Borders: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Red Zone – to test on arrival and isolate until negative result for fully vaccinated Orange zone - no further obligations for fully vaccinated International Travel: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> From 1 Nov, fully vaccinated arrivals, no quarantine, test within 24 hours | No capacity limits No density limits No gathering limits Masks in high-risk indoor settings such as public transport, justice facilities, correctional facilities, hospitals and aged care. All vaccination requirements remain including for non-essential retail. Minimise cases in the community without ongoing restrictions or lockdowns. |
| | Work: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Only workers on the Authorised Provider and Authorised Worker (APAW) List may leave home to work. | Work: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must work from home | Work: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work from home if you can; OR Go to work if you are fully vaccinated DQ2 for areas non-accessible to public Masks must be worn indoors in workplaces. | |

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| Education and Childcare | Early childhood education and care: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open to vulnerable and children of single parents and APAW workers. Only one parent or guardian (if two parent / guardian family) is required to be on the APAW List, either working away from home or working at home but no alternative supervision. | Early childhood education and care: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open to children already attending (Vulnerable children and children of single parents and APAW workers list in place prior to 21/10) Open for children with fully vaccinated parent(s) | Early childhood education and care: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open | |
| Education and Childcare | Schools: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> In addition to children of Authorised Workers and vulnerable children On 5 October, GAT students From 6 October, on-site learning for VCE Unit 3/4, final year VCAL and IB students From 18 October, on-site learning for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prep (Monday - Wednesday) Year 1 & 2 (Thursday – Friday) Out of school hours care operating all days On-site learning must have safety measures in place | Schools: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vulnerable children VCE Unit 3/4, final year VCAL and IB students Prep (Monday - Wednesday) Year 1 & 2 (Thursday – Friday) From 22 October, on-site learning for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Years 3 & 4 (Tuesday – Wednesday) Years 5 & 6 (Thursday-Friday) Year 7 (full-time, five days) Years 8 & 9 (Tuesday – Wednesday) Years 10 (Thursday-Friday) Years 11 (full-time, five days) Out of school hours care operating all days On-site learning must have safety measures in place | Schools: On-site learning for all levels with safety measures in place | |
| | Adult education: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed, remote learning only. Final exams to proceed enabled by APAW List. | Adult education: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must learn from home, on-site learning for hands-on, skills-based learning Final exams to proceed enabled by APAW List from prior to 21 October. | Adult education: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Learn from home if you can, on-site learning for hands-on, skills-based learning AND, On-site if you are fully vaccinated (DQ2) Density limit does not apply to teaching and learning spaces | |
| Places of worship | Religion: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No in-person gatherings permitted. Broadcast permitted (maximum 5 people in attendance). | Religion: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated: Outdoor cap of 50 with DQ4 OR Indoor cap of 20 with DQ4 OR, Unknown vaccination status: indoor cap of 10 with DQ4 OR outdoor cap of 20 DQ4 | Religion: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap Unknown vaccination status: 30 cap, DQ4 | |

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| Physical recreation & sport (Includes indoor playcentres, indoor skateparks and indoor trampoline centres) | Physical recreation & community sport: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outdoor personal training allowed with up to two people plus the trainer, or if fully vaccinated then up to 5 Outdoor recreation facilities (golf courses, tennis courts) Five people allowed to broadcast workout instructions at a gym | Physical recreation & community sport: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated: Outdoor only 50 cap, DQ4 Community sport permitted outdoors only for training. Minimum number required Change rooms closed | Physical recreation & community sport: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap Community sport permitted indoors and outdoors, regardless of vaccination status, with minimum number required, for spectators public gathering limits apply | |
| Swimming pools, hydrotherapy pools, spas, saunas, steam rooms, springs | Swimming pools, spas, saunas, steam rooms and springs (indoor and outdoor): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed, exceptions for hydrotherapy for essential medical care. | Swimming pools, spas, saunas, steam rooms and springs (indoor and outdoor): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated: Outdoor only, DQ4, 50 cap Change rooms closed Indoor pools, saunas, steam rooms closed, exceptions for hydrotherapy for essential medical care. | Swimming pools, spas, saunas, steam rooms and springs (indoor and outdoor): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap | |
| Community Facilities | Community Facilities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed, unless hosting an essential public support service Permitted for groups of 10 for essential support. Permitted to remain open for 'click and collect' purposes to facilitate loaning, and returning books, toys, and other items from these facilities | Community Facilities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated: Outdoor only, DQ4 50 cap Permitted for groups of 10 for essential support (vaccinated status does not apply). | Community Facilities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap | |
| Creative Studios | Creative Studios: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed | Creative Studios: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated: Outdoor only, DQ4, 50 cap | Creative Studios: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap | |

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| Entertainment and Leisure | Entertainment venues: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed Up to five people can attend an entertainment venue to broadcast a performance. | Entertainment venues: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated: Outdoor only, DQ4, 50 cap Animal facilities (zoos): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated: 25% capacity, indoor spaces closed | Non-seated indoor entertainment venues: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4. Seated indoor entertainment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated: 75% capacity, OR DQ4, up to 1000 Outdoor seated entertainment: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated: DQ2 up to 5000 per venue. Indoor spaces DQ4. Outdoor non-seated entertainment (for example animal facilities): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated: DQ2 up to 5000, indoor spaces DQ4 . <p>Significant venues to be considered for larger fully vaccinated crowds.</p> | |
| | Arcades, escape rooms, bingo centres: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed | Arcades, escape rooms, bingo centres: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed | Arcades, escape rooms, bingo centres: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap | |
| | Drive-in cinemas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed | Drive-in cinemas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open patrons must remain in cars unless accessing takeaway food or toilets | Drive-in cinemas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open, hospitality limits apply | |
| | Amusement parks: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed | Amusement parks: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated: Outdoor only, DQ4, 50 cap | Amusement parks: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap per space | |
| | Casino: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed | Casino: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed | Casino: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap per space | |
| | Retail betting venue: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed | No change | Retail betting venue: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with DQ4 | |

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| Entertainment and Leisure (cont) | Electronic gaming: • Closed | No change | Electronic gaming: • Remain seated • Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 , outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap | |
| | Sex on premises, brothels and sexually explicit venues: • Closed | No change | Sex on premises, brothels and sexually explicit venues: • Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 | |
| | Karaoke and Nightclubs: • Closed | No change | Karaoke and Nightclubs: • In line with food and drink facility limits • Seated service only indoors • Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 , outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap • Dance floors permitted outdoors | |
| General retail | Essential retail: • Open, DQ 1 person per 4sqm Other/general retail: • Closed (contactless click and collect/delivery only). Auction houses: • Closed (open for online only). | Essential retail: • Open, DQ 4 Other/general retail: • Open for outdoor service only (plus contactless click and collect/delivery). Auction houses: • Closed (open for online only). | All retail: • Open with DQ4 | |
| Hairdressing, beauty, personal care | Hairdressing, beauty, personal care: • Closed | Hairdressing, beauty, personal care: • Fully vaccinated: indoors DQ4 and 5 patron cap | Hairdressing, beauty, personal care: • Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 | |

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| Hospitality | Food and drink facility <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open for take-away only, masks cannot be removed to consume food and drinks in shopping centres. | Food and drink facility <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Seated service only Fully vaccinated customers and staff: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outdoor cap of 50 with DQ4 Indoor cap of 20 with DQ4 Unknown vaccination status: existing settings continue to apply, open for take away only. | Food and drink facility <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Seated service only indoors Small venues: up to 25 people if fully vaccinated before DQ applies Fully vaccinated: indoors DQ4, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap Dance floors permitted outdoors | For all settings, align with National Plan to transition Australia's National COVID-19 Response |
| | Food courts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed Takeaway only, mask cannot be removed indoors to consume food or drink | No change | Food courts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open at DQ4 Mask can be removed to consume food and drink | |
| | Accommodation: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed, unless for permitted reasons, or shelter in place. No new bookings except for authorised reasons. An authorised worker is allowed to book accommodation if they are required to travel for their work irrespective of them being a Victorian resident or not | Accommodation: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Household and up to 10 additional people (dependents included) permitted (in line with private gathering) | Accommodation: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open, in line with private gathering limits Vaccination strongly recommended | |
| Real Estate Services | Real estate: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Single household can inspect vacated property (with agent outdoors) for end of lease or new purchase | Real estate: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Inspections: Single household can inspect vacated property (with agent outdoors) for end of lease or new purchase Commercial: single business permitted to inspect vacated premises (with agent outdoor) for end of lease or new purchase Marketing and staging services permitted Auctions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated: Outdoor only, DQ4, 50 cap | Real estate: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated: indoors DQ4, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap Unknown vaccination: inspection by private appointment, single household only | |

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| Tours and tour transport | Tours (e.g. walking tours, cycling tours): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed Tour transport (e.g. tour buses): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed | Tours (e.g. walking tours, cycling tours): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated: Outdoor only, DQ4, 50 cap Tour transport (e.g. tour buses): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closed | Tours (e.g. walking tours, cycling tours): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap Tour transport (e.g. tour buses): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap | |
| Care Facilities Visitors | Visitor restrictions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No change | No change | Visitor restrictions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Up to 5 visitors per resident per day (dependants included), strongly recommend that all residents and visitors are fully vaccinated. | |
| Hospital Visitors | Visitor restrictions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No change | No change | Visitor restrictions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No change | |
| Veterinary and pet care services | No change – APAW list and restrictions remain in place | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings. In home services permitted. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings. DQ2 | |
| Repairs, maintenance and cleaning | No change – APAW list and restrictions remain in place | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings. In home services permitted. High risk industries to retain controls | | |
| Construction | Refer to <i>Construction Industry Roadmap</i> | | Construction: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings and additional obligations Workers may move between sites. No site limits for specialist contractors | |
| Waste Services | No change – APAW list and restrictions remain in place | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ4 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ2 | |
| Wholesale trade & warehousing | No change – APAW list and restrictions remain in place | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ4 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ2 | |
| Supermarket and food distribution | No change – APAW list and restrictions remain in place | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ4 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ2 | |
| Agriculture | No change – APAW list and restrictions remain in place | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ4 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ2 | |
| Postal distribution | No change – APAW list and restrictions remain in place | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ4 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ2 | |

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| Ports and freight | No change – APAW list and restrictions remain in place | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings and additional obligations DQ 4 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings and additional obligations DQ2 | |
| Meat and seafood processing | No change – APAW list and restrictions remain in place | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings and additional obligations DQ 4 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings and additional obligations DQ2 | |
| Manufacturing | No change – APAW list and restrictions remain in place | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ4 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ2 | |
| Professional sport and racing | No change – APAW list and restrictions remain in place | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ 4 Abide by venue limits | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ2 | |
| Arts and recreation services | No change – APAW list and restrictions remain in place | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ 4 Abide by venue limits | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ2 | |
| Media and film production | No change – APAW list and restrictions remain in place | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ4 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ2 | |
| Courts | No change – APAW list and restrictions remain in place | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ2 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ4 Jury trials DQ2 | |
| Commercial passenger vehicles | No change – APAW list and restrictions remain in place | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings and additional obligations | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings and additional obligations | |
| Public transport | No change – APAW list and restrictions remain in place | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings | |
| Emergency and safety service | No change – APAW list and restrictions remain in place | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ4 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ2 | |
| Defence and national security | No change – APAW list and restrictions remain in place | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings | |
| Healthcare and social assistance | No change – APAW list and restrictions remain in place | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ4 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ2 | |
| Mining | No change – APAW list and restrictions remain in place | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ4 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ2 | |
| Utilities | No change – APAW list and restrictions remain in place | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ4 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open with COVIDSafe settings DQ2 | |