Victoria's Roadmap: Delivering the National Plan

Summary of proposed restriction levels - Regional Victoria

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.

	National Plan: Phase A		National Plan: Phase B	National Plan: Phase C	National Plan: Phase D
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Social gatherings, leaving home and visitors	 Stay safe: No restrictions on reasons to leave home and distance No curfew 	 Stay safe: No restrictions on reasons to leave home and distance No curfew 	 Stay safe: No restrictions on reasons to leave home and distance No curfew 	No change Intrastate travel: • Allowed	For all settings, align with National Plan to transition Australia's National COVID-19 Response
	 Intrastate travel: Allowed across area with same restrictions. Movement between MM and RV restricted to specified purposes Allow a resident cross the MM/RV boundary to receive a COVID-19 vaccination if it is in an adjacent LGA to where they reside. 	 Intrastate travel: Allowed across area with same restrictions. Movement between MM and RV restricted to specified purposes Allow a resident cross the MM/RV boundary to receive a COVID-19 vaccination if it is in an adjacent LGA to where they reside. 	 Intrastate travel: Allowed across area with same restrictions. Movement between MM and RV restricted to specified purposes Allow a resident cross the MM/RV boundary to receive a COVID-19 vaccination if it is in an adjacent LGA to where they reside. 	 Interstate Borders: May exempt vaccinated residents from all domestic restrictions (National Plan); International Travel: Revised quarantine arrangements for vaccinated International arrivals (returning citizens or permanent residents) to Victoria subject to requirements of the National Plan 	
	Face coverings:Required indoors and outdoors	Face coverings:Required indoors and outdoors	Face coverings:Required indoors and outdoors	Face coverings:Required indoors only	
	 Private gatherings: Private gatherings not permitted - intimate partner visits and single-person bubble visits are allowed. 	 Private gatherings: Private gatherings not permitted - intimate partner visits and single-person bubble visits are allowed. 	 Private gatherings: Private gatherings not permitted - intimate partner visits and single-person bubble visits are allowed. 	 Private gatherings: Private gatherings permitted for up to 10 people including dependants. 	 Private gatherings: By 25 Dec, 30 visitors to the home

Category Social gatherings, leaving home and visitors (cont)	80% of 16+ with a single doseIndicative date: 26 September 2021Subject to Public Health consideration of epidemiology at the timePublic gatherings: • Up to 10 people outdoors	Returning Students to the ClassroomIndicative date: 5 October 2021Subject to Public Health consideration of epidemiology at the timePublic gatherings: • Up to 10 people outdoors	 70% of 16+ fully vaccinated Indicative date: 26 October 2021 Subject to Public Health consideration of epidemiology at the time Public gatherings: Fully vaccinated up to 20 people outdoors 	 80% of 16+ fully vaccinated Indicative date: 5 November 2021 Subject to Public Health consideration of epidemiology at the time Public gatherings: Fully vaccinated: up to 30 people outdoors 	80% of 12+ fully vaccinated Indicative date: Two weeks later Subject to Public Health consideration of epidemiology at the time For all settings, align with National Plan to transition Australia's National COVID-19
			 If unknown vaccination: no change from previous 	 Unknown vaccination status: no change from previous Remove mask for alcohol permitted 	Response
	 Work: Requirement to work from home if you can DQ4 Capacity limit of 25% applies / cap of 10 (whichever is greater for office settings) 	 Work: Requirement to work from home if you can DQ4 Capacity limit of 25% applies / cap of 10 (whichever is greater for office settings) 	 Work: Requirement to work from home if you can DQ4 Capacity limit of 25% applies / cap of 10 (whichever is greater for office settings) 	 Work: 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. 	
Education and Childcare	 Early childhood education and care: Open for regional Victorian children Open to children of MM APAW workers and vulnerable children In-home childminding in the home allowed, must be from RV. x2 weekly PCR testing for employees crossing in-out of metro/regional 	 Early childhood education and care: Open for all regional Victorian children and metropolitan Melbourne children of APAW workers In-home childminding in the home allowed, must be from RV. x2 weekly PCR testing for employees crossing in-out of metro/regional 	 Early childhood education and care: Open for all regional Victorian children and metropolitan Melbourne children already attending (vulnerable children, children of single parents and children of APAW parents prior to 26/10) workers prior In-home childminding in the home allowed, must be from RV. 	Early childhood education and care: • Open	

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Education and Childcare (cont)	 Schools: Vulnerable and children of authorised workers to attend All Prep-2 & VCE units 3&4 final years VCAL and IB, with the rest remaining remote learning Students must be from regional Victoria, in addition to those already attending from metro Melbourne x2 weekly PCR testing for school employees crossing in- out of metro/regional On- site learning must have safety measures in place 	 Schools: The CHO will provide advice on the return to onsite learning for remaining year levels in Regional Victoria by 30 September Vulnerable and children of authorised workers to attend All prep to Year 2 & VCE units 3&4, final years VCAL and IB attend All other students, CHO to indicate closer to start of term 4 Students must be from Regional Vic, in addition to those already attending from MM x2 weekly PCR testing for school employees crossing in-out of metro/regional On- site learning must have safety measures in place 	Schools: The CHO will provide advice on the return to onsite learning for remaining year levels in Regional Victoria by 30 September On-site learning must have safety measures in place	Schools: On-site learning for all levels with safety measures in place	For all settings, align with National Plan to transition Australia's National COVID-19 Response
	 Adult education: Closed, remote learning only. Exams enabled to proceed by APAW List. 	 Adult education: Closed, remote learning only. Exams enabled to proceed by APAW List. 	 Adult education: Must learn from home, on-site learning for hands-on, skills- based learning. Final exams to proceed enabled by APAW list (those on list prior to 26/10) 	 Adult education: Learn from home if you can, on-site learning for hands-on, skills-based learning AND, On-site if you are fully vaccinated, DQ4 	
Places of worship	 Religion: Allowed with up to 20 persons per facility, DQ4 	 Religion: Allowed with up to 20 persons per facility, DQ4 	 Religion: Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 30 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 100 cap Unknown vaccination: no change from previous 	 Religion: Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 150 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap Unknown vaccination status: 20 cap, DQ4 	

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Funerals	Funerals • Involves no more than 20 people (and those necessary to conduct the funeral), DQ4	 Funerals Involves no more than 20 people (and those necessary to conduct the funeral), DQ4 	 Funerals Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 30 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 100 cap (caps not inclusive of those necessary to conduct funeral) Unknown vaccination: no change from previous 	 Funerals Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 150 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap Unknown vaccination status: 20 people per facility (and those necessary to conduct funeral), DQ4 	For all settings, align with National Plan to transition Australia's National COVID-19 Response
Weddings	 Weddings Allowed with up to 10 people (and marrying couple plus those necessary to conduct wedding), DQ4 	 Weddings Allowed with up to 10 people (and marrying couple plus those necessary to conduct wedding), DQ4 	 Weddings Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 30 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 100 cap (caps not inclusive of marrying couple plus those necessary to conduct wedding) Unknown vaccination: no change from previous 	 Weddings Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 150 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap Unknown vaccination status: 10 people per wedding (and marrying couple plus those necessary to conduct wedding), DQ4 	
Physical recreation & sport (Includes indoor playcentres, indoor skateparks and indoor trampoline centres)	 Physical recreation & community sport: Outdoor personal training with up to 10 people/trainer Community sport: outside only, training only. Minimum number required for the sport, no spectators Community recreation facilities: with 10 indoor and 20 outdoor per facility. DQ4 Indoor physical recreation open (gyms), with 10 persons per facility indoors, 20 per facility outdoors, DQ4 	 Physical recreation & community sport: Outdoor personal training with up to 10 people/trainer Community sport: outside only, training only. Minimum number required for the sport, no spectators Community recreation facilities: with 10 indoor and 20 outdoor per facility. DQ4 Indoor physical recreation open (gyms), with 10 persons per facility indoors, 20 per facility outdoors, DQ4 	 Physical recreation & community sport: Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 30 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 100 cap Community sport: outdoor only, training only. Minimum number required for the sport, spectators: public gathering limits apply Unknown vaccination: no change from previous 	 Physical recreation & community sport: Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 150 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap Community sport permitted indoors and outdoors with minimum number required, for spectators public gathering limits apply Outdoor seated physical recreation and community sport: Fully vaccinated: Lesser of 25% or 5000 per venue Significant venues to be considered for larger crowds 	

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Swimming pools, hydrotherapy pools, spas, saunas, steam rooms, springs	 Swimming pools, spas, saunas, steam rooms and springs (indoor and outdoor): Outdoor pools capped at 50 Indoor pools open, capped at 20 per facility, DQ4 (changing rooms closed). Spas, saunas and steam rooms closed. Hydrotherapy and swimming lessons can occur. 	 Swimming pools, spas, saunas, steam rooms and springs (indoor and outdoor): Outdoor pools capped at 50 Indoor pools open, capped at 20 per facility, DQ4 (changing rooms closed). Spas, saunas and steam rooms closed. Hydrotherapy and swimming lessons can occur. 	 Swimming pools, spas, saunas, steam rooms and springs (indoor and outdoor): Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 30 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 150 cap (change rooms closed) Unknown vaccination: no change from previous 	 Swimming pools, spas, saunas, steam rooms and springs (indoor and outdoor): Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 150 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap 	For all settings, align with National Plan to transition Australia's National COVID-19 Response
Outdoor playgrounds, outdoor skateparks, outdoor gym equipment	Outdoor playgrounds, outdoor skateparks, outdoor gym equipment: • Open	Outdoor playgrounds, outdoor skateparks, outdoor gym equipment: • Open	Outdoor playgrounds, outdoor skateparks, outdoor gym equipment: • Open	Outdoor playgrounds, outdoor skateparks, outdoor gym equipment: • Open	
Community Facilities	 Community Facilities: Allowed with up to 20 persons per facility 	 Community Facilities: Allowed with up to 20 persons per facility 	 Community Facilities: Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 30 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 100 cap Unknown vaccination: no change from previous 	 Community Facilities: Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 150 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap 	
Creative Studios	 Creative Studios: Allowed with up to 20 persons per facility 	 Creative Studios: Allowed with up to 20 persons per facility 	 Creative Studios: Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 30 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 100 cap Unknown vaccination: no change from previous 	 Creative Studios: Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 150 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap 	

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Entertainment and Leisure	 Entertainment venues: 20 per space indoors (e.g. cinemas) Outdoor seated/non-seated entertainment: cap at 300 people per space or 25% venue capacity, whichever is lesser 	 Entertainment venues: 20 per space indoors (e.g. cinemas) Outdoor seated/non-seated entertainment: cap at 300 people per space or 25% venue capacity, whichever is lesser 	 Entertainment venues: Fully vaccinated: Indoors 30 cap per space, outdoors DQ2 and 300 cap per space Unknown vaccination: no change from previous 	 Seated indoor and non-seated indoor entertainment venues: Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 150 cap per space. Outdoor seated entertainment: Fully vaccinated: Lesser of 25% or 5000 per venue. Indoor spaces DQ4 and 150 cap. Outdoor non-seated entertainment (for example animal facilities): Fully vaccinated: 50% capacity, indoor spaces DQ4 150 cap. Significant venues to be considered for larger crowds 	For all settings, align with National Plan to transition Australia's National COVID-19 Response
	Arcades, escape rooms, bingo centres: • Closed	Arcades, escape rooms, bingo centres: • Closed	 Arcades, escape rooms, bingo centres: Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 30 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 100 cap Unknown vaccination: no change from previous 	 Arcades, escape rooms, bingo centres: Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 150 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap 	
	 Drive-in cinemas: Open (for households, intimate partner and bubble buddy) Must remain in vehicle DQ4 for all communal spaces 	 Drive-in cinemas: Open (for households, intimate partner and bubble buddy) Must remain in vehicle DQ4 for all communal spaces 	Drive-in cinemas: Open, hospitality limits apply 	 Drive-in cinemas: Open, hospitality limits apply 	
	 Amusement parks: Outdoor spaces, align with outdoor non-seated, 25% total venue capacity with cap at 300 people per space, whichever is lesser 	 Amusement parks: Outdoor spaces, align with outdoor non-seated, 25% total venue capacity with cap at 300 people per space, whichever is lesser 	 Amusement parks: Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 30 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 300 cap per space Unknown vaccination: no change from previous 	 Amusement parks: Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 150 cap per space, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap per space 	
	Casino: • N/A	Casino: • N/A	Casino: • N/A	Casino: • N/A	

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Entertainment and Leisure (cont)	 Retail betting venue: Open – in line with retail settings: Open, DQ 1 person per 4sqm COVID Check-In Marshal Masks mandatory at all times; cannot be removed for eating/drinking in retail settings 	 Retail betting venue: Open – in line with retail settings: Open, DQ 1 person per 4sqm COVID Check-In Marshal Masks mandatory at all times; cannot be removed for eating/ drinking in retail settings 	 Retail betting venue: Open with DQ4 Masks mandatory at all times; cannot be removed for eating/ drinking in retail settings COVID Check-In Marshal 	Retail betting venue: • Open with DQ4	For all settings, align with National Plan to transition Australia's National COVID-19 Response
	 Electronic gaming: Open – in line with hospitality settings Seated service only; outdoor cap of 20, indoors 10 and density limits 	 Electronic gaming: Open – in line with hospitality settings Seated service only; outdoor cap of 20, indoors 10 and density limits 	 Electronic gaming: Remain seated Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 30 cap Unknown vaccination: no change from previous 	 Electronic gaming: Remain seated Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 150 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap Caps are not in addition to hospitality limits 	
	 Sex on premises, brothels and sexually explicit venues: Closed 	 Sex on premises, brothels and sexually explicit venues: Closed 	 Sex on premises, brothels and sexually explicit venues: Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 30 cap 	 Sex on premises, brothels and sexually explicit venues: Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 150 cap 	
	Karaoke and Nightclubs: • Closed	Karaoke and Nightclubs: Closed 	 Karaoke and Nightclubs: In line with food and drink Seated service Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 30 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 100 cap Unknown vaccination: Closed 	 Karaoke and Nightclubs: In line with food and drink facility limits Seated service only Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 150 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap 	
General retail	 All retail: Open, DQ 1 person per 4 sqm Masks mandatory at all times; cannot be removed for eating/ drinking in retail settings 	 All retail: Open, DQ 1 person per 4 sqm Masks mandatory at all times; cannot be removed for eating/ drinking in retail settings 	 All retail: Open with DQ4 Masks mandatory at all times; cannot be removed for eating/ drinking in retail settings 	All retail: • Open with DQ4	
	 Auction houses: Open – in line with retail settings 	 Auction houses: Open – in line with retail settings 			

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Hairdressing, beauty, personal care	 Hairdressing, beauty, personal care: All beauty/personal care open with a cap of 10 DQ4 Masks can be removed by clients if the service requires it In home services permitted with separate entrance and exit to home and follow the density quotient requirements 	 Hairdressing, beauty, personal care: All beauty/personal care open with a cap of 10 DQ4 Masks can be removed by patron for duration of service In home services permitted with separate entrance and exit to home and follow the density quotient requirements 	 Hairdressing, beauty, personal care: Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 30 cap Unknown vaccination: no change from previous Masks can be removed by patron for duration of service In home services permitted with separate entrance and exit to home and follow the density quotient requirements 	 Hairdressing, beauty, personal care: Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 150 cap 	For all settings, align with National Plan to transition Australia's National COVID-19 Response
Hospitality	 Food and drink facility Seated service only Outdoor cap of 30, indoor 10 per venue and DQ4 	 Food and drink facility Seated service only Outdoor cap of 30, indoor 10 per venue and DQ4 	 Food and drink facility Seated service only Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 30 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 100 cap Unknown vaccination: no change from previous 	 Food and drink facility Seated service only Small venues: up to 25 people if fully vaccinated before DQ applies Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 150 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap 	
	 Food courts: Open for takeaway service only Masks mandatory at all times; cannot be removed for eating/ drinking in retail settings 	 Food courts: Open for takeaway service only Masks mandatory at all times; cannot be removed for eating/ drinking in retail settings 	 Food courts: Open for takeaway service only Masks mandatory at all times; cannot be removed for eating/ drinking in retail settings 	 Food courts: Takeaway only, mask cannot be removed indoors to consume food or drink 	
	 Accommodation: Open for household, intimate partner and bubble buddy only 	 Accommodation: Open for household, intimate partner and bubble buddy only 	 Accommodation: Open for household, intimate partner and bubble buddy only 	Accommodation:Open, in line with private gathering limits	
Real Estate Services	 Real estate: Private inspections and auctions only, cap 10 	 Real estate: Private inspections and auctions only, cap 10 	 Real estate: Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 30 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 100 cap Unknown vaccination: no change from previous 	 Real estate: Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 150 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap 	

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Tours and tour transport	Tours (e.g. walking tours, cycling tours):• Open, capped at 20Tour transport (e.g. tour buses):• Open, capped at 10	Tours (e.g. walking tours, cycling tours):• Open, capped at 20Tour transport (e.g. tour buses):• Open, capped at 10	Tours (e.g. walking tours, cycling tours): • Fully vaccinated: capped at 30 Tour transport (e.g. tour buses): • Fully vaccinated: 30 cap	Tours (e.g. walking tours, cycling tours): • Open • Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 150 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap	For all settings, align with National Plan to transition Australia's National COVID-19 Response
				 Tour transport (e.g. tour buses): Open Fully vaccinated: Indoors DQ4 and 150 cap, outdoors DQ2 and 500 cap 	

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Care Facilities Visitors	 Visitor restrictions: Two visitors at a time up to two per day, except for end of life or life threatening conditions (2 visitors at a time with no total limit per day). Visits must be for a purpose which includes: To provide care and support for the resident's physical and emotional wellbeing For residents under 18 years of age As a nominated person under the Mental Health Act To provide interpreter or informal language support. To support the resident's care upon discharge Do not have to be from the same household. No time limits. A group may exceed the "two visitors at a time" rule if dependents of a visitor (or patient in hospital) are in the group and care for the dependents cannot be arranged. Prospective residents permitted if they reside in regional Victoria. Non-essential contractors (such as hairdressers) are not permitted to enter. 	 Visitor restrictions: Two visitors at a time up to two per day, except for end of life or life threatening conditions (2 visitors at a time with no total limit per day). Visits must be for a purpose which includes: To provide care and support for the resident's physical and emotional wellbeing For residents under 18 years of age As a nominated person under the Mental Health Act To provide interpreter or informal language support To support the resident's care upon discharge Do not have to be from the same household. No time limits. A group may exceed the "two visitors at a time" rule if dependents of a visitor (or patient in hospital) are in the group and care for the dependents cannot be arranged. Prospective residents permitted if they reside in regional Victoria and the care facility they are visiting is in regional Victoria. 	 Visitor restrictions: Easing of visitor restrictions. 	Visitor restrictions: • Easing of visitor restrictions.	For all settings, align with National Plan to transition Australia's National COVID-19 Response

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Hospital Visitors	 Visitor restrictions: Two visitors at a time up to two per day, except for end of life or life-threatening conditions (2 visitors at a time with no total limit per day). Visits must be for a purpose which includes: As a parent, guardian or carer of a child who is a patient in hospital To provide support that is necessary for the patient's emotional or physical wellbeing. As a nominated person under the Mental Health Act To providing interpreter or informal language support For leaning to support the resident's care upon discharge As a carer of a patient with a disability Accompanying someone to the emergency department or outpatient clinic As a partner of a pregnant woman or patient in a maternity ward Do not have to be from the same household. No time limits. A group may exceed the "two visitors at a time" rule if dependents of a visitor (or patient in hospital) are in the group and care for the dependents cannot be arranged. Non-essential contractors (such as hairdressers) are not permitted to enter. 	• For leaning to support the resident's care upon discharge	• No change	Visitor restrictions: • Easing of visitor restrictions.	For all settings, align with National Plan to transition Australia's National COVID-19 Response