Victorians get outside to catch-up with friends and do some of the outdoor activities we've gone without.

Recreation:
- You can play basketball, golf, tennis, cricket and other outdoor recreation activities together - with the same limits as picnics. Accessing facility must be contactless.
- Personal training resumes for up to five fully vaccinated people outside.

Regional Victoria is out of lockdown, and at 80% first dose some further easing can go ahead.

Beauty Services:
- Masks may be removed for the duration of the service.

School Reopens
- From 11.59pm 21 October 2021
- At 70% fully vaccinated lockdown will end in Melbourne.
- Social and Recreational:
  - Reasons to leave home and curfew no longer in place.
  - 10 people including dependents can visit your home per day.
  - 15 people can gather outdoors including dependents. Community sport training returns for minimum required to hold training.
  - Pubs and clubs can open to 20 fully vaccinated people indoors and 50 outdoors. Entertainment venues can open to 50 fully vaccinated people outdoors.
  - Funerals and weddings allowed for 20 fully vaccinated indoors, 50 fully vaccinated outdoors.

Education:
- All school students return on-site at least part-time.
- Hairdressing and personal care:
  - Open for up to 5 fully vaccinated people.

School Reopens
- From 11.59pm 21 October 2021
- More social and recreation activities open up for fully vaccinated Victorians.
- Social & Recreational:
  - 10 people including dependents can visit your home per day.
  - 20 people can gather outdoors, including dependents.
  - Community sport training returns indoors for minimum number required.
  - Pubs, clubs and entertainment venues are open indoors to 30 fully vaccinated people indoors.

Education:
- All school students return on-site fulltime.

Religious Ceremonies:
- Funerals and weddings are allowed for 30 fully vaccinated people indoors or 100 fully vaccinated outdoors.

From 11.59pm 21 October 2021
- From 6pm Friday 29 October 2021 (includes additional easing for 80% of 12+ fully vaccinated expected to be reached on a similar timeframe)
- At 80% fully vaccinated, regional Victoria and Metro Melbourne come together under the same rules.
- Social & Recreational:
  - 10 people including dependents can visit your home per day.
  - Up to 30 people including dependants can gather in public outside.
  - Indoor community sport open for minimum number required.
  - Masks are only required inside.
  - Pubs, restaurants and cafes can open for seated service to fully vaccinated people indoors (DG4) and non-seated service to up to 500 fully vaccinated people outdoors (DG2).

Work:
- Work from home if you can, but you can go to work if fully vaccinated.

Hairdressing, beauty, personal care:
- Open for fully vaccinated people.

Retail:
- All retail open.

Education:
- Early childhood education and care is open.
- All students return to school with additional safety measures in place.
- On-site adult education returns for fully vaccinated Victorians.

Religious Ceremonies:
- Weddings, funerals, and religious services return for fully vaccinated people indoors (DG4) and outdoors (DG2).

Regional Victoria for on-site learning for VCE Units 3/4, Year 1 and 2 students. Prep and Year 1 and 2 students return two days a week, years 1 & 2 students return two days a week.

Schools continue to be open in Regional Victoria for on-site learning for VCE Units 3/4, final year VCAL & IB students, Prep and Year 1 and 2 students.

Further advice on the return to onsite learning for remaining year levels will be provided by 30 September.

Reasons to leave home and curfew no longer apply.

Recreational venues are open indoors to 30 fully vaccinated people indoors (DG4) and non-seated service to up to 500 fully vaccinated people outdoors (DG2).

Events may proceed with no attendee caps or density limits for the fully vaccinated.

State significant venues hosting major events will need to have one-off approval of their COVIDSafe venue plan. Events with significant numbers of children may not be able to operate at full capacity while vaccines remain unavailable for children.

Note: To see details about each phase including full industry settings please check the full How We Live and How We Work roadmaps.

The settings above are indicative only and are subject to change. They are indications based on the presently available public health evidence (including epidemiological evidence). All future directions will be made on the basis of public health evidence (including epidemiological evidence) as it exists at the time the directions are made. Based on the evidence at that point in time, the Chief Health Officer (or other authorised officer) must consider the directions to be reasonably necessary to protect public health, give proper consideration to human rights under the Charter for Human Rights and Responsibilities 2006 (Vic), and make decisions that are compatible with human rights under the Charter.