COVID-19 Victoria Roadmap for Reopening

SUMMARY OF LAST STEP RESTRICTIONS FROM 11.59PM ON 22 NOVEMBER 2020

Note: Cleaning, signage, record keeping, and other COVID Safe requirements continue to apply for all venues and facilities with onsite operations. The density quotient applies to all indoor venues and spaces that are accessible to the public (and in closed workplaces, to shared spaces such as lunchrooms).

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Social gatherings and leaving home	 Stay Safe: No change. Work: Workplaces currently working from home (such as offices in the CBD) to return for up to 25 per cent of their workforce per site from 30 November 2020 Standard workplace requirements including density limits continue to apply Businesses with fewer than 40 staff can have 10 staff on-site subject to density quotients.
	Victorian Public Service will remain under the setting "if you can work from home, you must work from home" for this step.
	 Face covering: mandatory indoors, unless an exemption applies. Include settings such as public transport, including when waiting at stations, ride shares, hospitals, care facilities and shopping. Face masks not required outdoors except where physical distancing cannot be maintained, such as farmers' markets and other outdoor retail. Requirement to carry masks at all times. Some industries are required to wear face coverings as part of their COVID Safe Plan.
	Public gatherings: Up to 50 people can gather outdoors from any number of households, excludes infants under 12 months.
	 Private gatherings: up to 15 visitors, including dependants, per day can visit a household, either together or separately. infants under 12 months are excluded from the visitor caps. face masks recommended when physical distancing cannot be maintained. keeping a record of visitors is advised
Education and childcare	Early childcare education and care: No change.School: Open
	Higher education and training: Return to campus for students and staff for summer programs.

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Hospitality	 Hospitality (seated service only): Indoors: Venues less than 200sqm of floorspace subject to density quotient of 1 per 2sqm up to a total of 50 patrons. QR codes must be used for venues using the small indoor venue density quotient. No group limit. Venues 200sqm of floorspace or larger subject to density quotient of 1 per 4sqm up to 150 patrons. No group limit. Outdoors: Up to 300 patrons per venue outdoors, subject to density
	quotient of 1 per 2sqm. Total venue capacity cannot exceed 300 people including both indoor and outdoor spaces.
	 Food courts: Indoor: Limited to the lesser of 50 per cent of a venue's fixed seating capacity or a density quotient (1 per 8sqm). Outdoor: Limited to 50 patrons per area subject to a density quotient of 1 per 2sqm. Each such area must be separated by 10 meters from the next. No more than 10 areas per facility to a maximum of 500 people.
Ceremonies and religious gatherings	 Religious gatherings and ceremonies: Indoor religious gatherings and ceremonies: Cap of 150 with a density quotient of 1 per 4sqm. No group limit. Outdoor religious gatherings and ceremonies: Cap of 300 with a density quotient of 1 per 4sqm. No group limit. Either indoor or outdoor ceremony, not both at the same time.
	 Weddings, including receptions: Cap of 150 people with density quotient of 1 per 4sqm indoors or outdoors. No group limit. Weddings at private residences: private gathering limit applies. Persons necessary to conduct the wedding (such as celebrant or wait staff) excluded from this limit.
	 Funerals: Cap of 150 mourners with density quotient of 1 per 4sqm indoors or outdoors. No group limit. Funerals at private residences: private gathering limit applies. Persons necessary to conduct the funeral (such as a faith leader) excluded from this limit.
Community facilities	 Community facilities, including libraries and toy libraries: Indoor: Cap of 150 patrons with density quotient. Group limit of 20 patrons. Outdoor: Cap of 300 patrons with density quotient. Group limit of 50 patrons.

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	 Community venues: Cap of 150 patrons with density quotient. Group limit of 20 patrons Recommendation that no more than 5 people per space singing or using wind instruments for amateur groups. Persons necessary to conduct activities (such as the person running a class) excluded from this limit.
Exercise and recreation	 Indoor physical recreation and community sport, contact or non- contact: Cap of 150 patrons with group limit of 20, subject to density quotient
	 Large multipurpose sporting facilities (e.g. Melbourne Sports and Aquatics Centre, YMCAs, large basketball stadiums, and large swimming pool complexes): Total venue cap of 25 per cent capacity, subject to the density quotient of 1 per 4sqm for each space. No separate patron limit. For classes a group limit applies of 20 participants indoors and a group limit of 50 participants outdoors. Persons necessary to conduct classes (such as the person running a class) excluded from this limit.
	 Outdoor physical recreation and community sport, contact or non-contact: Cap of 500 patrons, group size limited to 50 people Subject to density quotient of 1 per 4sqm
	 Indoor pools, including lessons: Cap of 150 patrons, subject to density quotient, no group size limit. Indoor and outdoor pools can open subject to the separate limits in each area. Saunas, steam rooms and non-chlorinated spas open. Outdoor pools, including lessons: Cap of 300 patrons, subject to the density quotient, no group size limit. Indoor and outdoor pools can open at the same time, subject to the separate limits in each area. Saunas, steam rooms and non-chlorinated spas open.
	 Skateparks: Indoor: cap of 150 patrons, subject to the density quotient, no group size limit Outdoor: open Playcentres: Cap of 150 patrons subject to the density quotient, no group size limit. Trampolining centres:

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	 Indoor: cap of 150 patrons, subject to the density quotient, no group limit Outdoors: open
Public events	 Public Events may occur in accordance with the Public Events Framework, for Tier 1 and Tier 2 events an application and approval process apply.
	 A public event is an organised public gathering for a common purpose which is conducted on a one-off or periodic basis, it may be open to members of the public, publicly announced or advertised, and may be subject to specific license, approvals or permits.
	 The Public Events Framework applies to events in three categories: Tier 1: highly complex and involving more than 5,000 attendees
	 Tier 2: moderately complex involving 500-5,000 attendees Tier 3: low complexity and involving 500 attendees or less
	 The Public Events Framework enables applications to be made by event organisers to hold an event that falls within Tier 1 or Tier 2 events. Tier 3 events can be held in accordance with published guidelines. Other risk factors may mean that an event is classified at a higher tier and will require approval to go ahead.
	 Public health advice will inform the approval of Tier 1 or Tier 2 events, based on the epidemiological conditions and broader restrictions at the time.
	 All events will be considered on application under the Public Events Framework and there are no pre-defined limits on the nature or size of events.
	 Private events such as weddings and funerals, routine religious gatherings and ceremonies, and public gatherings for ordinary, day- to-day activities are subject to the publish restrictions limits and not covered by the Public Events Framework. The Stay Safe Directions(Victoria) and Restricted Activity Directions (Victoria) continue to apply to these day-to-day event activities and gatherings.