

COVID-19 VICTORIA FAQs

LOCKDOWN UPDATE | ALL VICTORIA | JULY 20 2021.



Victoria's current lockdown has been extended until 11.59pm Tuesday July 27.

The following restrictions apply across all Victoria until that time:*

- **There are only 5 reasons to leave home:**
 - ▶ Shopping (within 5km of home, unless nearest shop further than 5km)
 - ▶ Exercise (within 5km of home, max 2 hours per day, with max 1 other person or members of your household)
 - ▶ Authorised work or Education
 - ▶ Caregiving & medical treatments
 - ▶ To get vaccinated
- **Masks** must be worn (indoors and outside) unless at home or with a valid exemption.
- **No visitors to the home, other than intimate partner.** Anyone who lives alone may create a "bubble" with one other person.
- **No public gatherings.**
- **Worship services** – Broadcast only. 5 people max in broadcasting.
- **Funerals** – maximum of 10 people plus those required to conduct the funeral.
- **Weddings may not proceed.** The only exceptions are for end-of-life or if deportation is pending.
- **Schools** – closed except for vulnerable children or children of emergency workers.
- **Adult education** – Online only.
- **Childcare and Early Learning** – may remain open.
- **Restaurants/Cafes** – Open for takeaway or delivery services only.
- **Libraries and Toy Libraries** – Click and Collect services only.
- **Residential Aged Care** – No visitors, with very limited exceptions.

- **Hospitals** – Visitors only for end-of-life, or one support person for childbirth.
- **All entertainment, hospitality, accommodation and tourism to remain closed.**
- Travel between Metro Melbourne and Regional Victoria is not allowed, unless for a permitted reason.

** The easing of restrictions remain dependant on case numbers, contact tracing and whether positive COVID cases remain in isolation during the period in which they are infectious.*

There have been some restriction changes announced on July 20:

- Schools will open for children with special needs only.
- Some changes to restrictions are being discussed for some industries where work occurs exclusively outdoors. Details will be available on the govt websites (see below).
- As of 11:59pm July 20, there are significant restriction to travel from red-zone areas, for the next two weeks. The only people, including Victorian residents, permitted to enter Victoria from any red-zone will be essential workers, those in "border bubble regions" or those granted an exemption on compassionate grounds.

For further information including any such easing of restrictions, please monitor the DHHS and CoronavirusVictoria websites listed below.

Should you require any further detail, please see DHHS website: [DHHS website](#) or the [Coronavirus Victoria](#) website.

Should you have any further questions please email the [Crisis Management Team](#).



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