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## RE: UPDATE – COVID 19 (Coronavirus)

Well done to ALL Victorians for getting through these very unprecedented times over the last few months, we are proud of the commitment and dedication everyone associated with Lifestyle Centred Services has made during this time. Thank you!

As you would be aware, from 11.59pm Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2020, the boundary between Melbourne and regional Victoria came down. The 25km limit is no longer in place and worker permits are no longer required when travelling.

There are still some restrictions in place, however we now have more freedom of movement around the state. The Victorian Government will continue to make announcements on easing of further restrictions in the coming weeks until we get to a COVID normal.

Face masks are still compulsory and there is no date set for this to change.

As COVID-19 is still an active virus and until there has been a vaccine developed, it is still vitally important that people continue to get tested if they have any symptoms.

If you put your supports on hold during the recent months and you would like to recommence services, please contact your LCS Coordinator to discuss this with them.

### **Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)**

The use of PPE (masks, eye protection, hand sanitiser etc) will remain in place for all supports Lifestyle Centred Services (LCS) provide until further notice. All staff have been provided with appropriate PPE for use during rostered shifts, as have a number of our clients.

Should you require any further supplies please contact your LCS Coordinator or our office on (03) 9483 4755 to make this request.

The Australian Government Department of Health has released a video, [Coronavirus \(COVID-19\): Wearing personal protective equipment for disability workers](#), that explains ways to minimise the risk of COVID-19 infection and donning and doffing of PPE.

### **Additional Resources:**

We encourage everyone to keep up to date with reliable information, the below links provide accurate and updated information:

<https://www.vic.gov.au/coronavirus-covid-19-restrictions-roadmaps>



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Call the coronavirus (COVID-19) hotline if you suspect you have coronavirus (COVID-19) on 1800 675 398 or contact your GP for further advise.

LCS are providing continuous updates on our Face Book page, Click on the Facebook link below for the latest news <https://www.facebook.com/LifestyleCentredServices/>

**Kind regards,**

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