

INDUSTRY RESTRICTION LEVELS

Construction: Large-scale construction

INDUSTRY SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS	ACTIONS ACROSS ALL LEVELS	CLOSED	HEAVILY RESTRICTED <i>Current - Melbourne</i>	RESTRICTED	OPEN WITH A COVIDSAFE PLAN
ENSURE PHYSICAL DISTANCING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Staff and visitors must be 1.5m apart at all times Density quotient applied to shared spaces (e.g. workspaces, tearooms). Mark safe distances in work, transit and break areas Stagger start times, breaks and finish times Minimise the build-up of people waiting to enter and exit the workplace Personnel lift/hoist controls COVIDSafe site induction mandatory for all staff Carpooling restricted as per public health directions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All work sites closed except for critical and essential infrastructure, or where required for an emergency 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Limit the daily maximum number of onsite workers to whichever is greater of 25% of their baseline workforce or 5 workers Corporate staff should work remotely and all site offices to apply density quotient Manufacturing of building materials will continue to operate as per permitted industry High Risk COVIDSafe Plan in accordance with Construction Industry Guidelines Version 7 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Physical distancing practices Minimise work activities in restricted spaces Personnel lift/hoist controls 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Limit the daily maximum number of onsite workers to whichever is greater of 85% of their baseline workforce or 15 workers High Risk COVIDSafe Plan in accordance with Construction Industry Guidelines Version 7 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Physical distancing practices Minimise work activities in restricted spaces Personnel lift/hoist controls Audit of the High Risk COVIDSafe plan Dedicated COVIDSafe monitor on site 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No restrictions on number of workers per site Onsite / office-based activities to resume with density quotient applied, working from home where possible High Risk COVIDSafe Plan mandated to comply with the latest version of the Construction Industry Guidelines <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Physical distancing practices Minimise work activities in restricted spaces Personnel lift/hoist controls Dedicated COVIDSafe monitor on site
WEAR A FACE COVERING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All staff to wear face coverings as per current directions Provide training/guidance on how to use PPE Symptom screening at commencement of shift 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High Risk COVIDSafe Plan in accordance with Construction Industry Guidelines Version 7 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Face coverings Symptom declaration by all workers and visitors accessing site Worker declaration at start of each shift Temperature testing upon site entry (optional) PPE information and training Monitoring correct use of PPE 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High Risk COVIDSafe Plan in accordance with Construction Industry Guidelines Version 7 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Face coverings Symptom declaration by all workers and visitors accessing site Worker declaration at start of each shift Temperature testing upon site entry (optional) PPE information and training Monitoring correct use of PPE 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High Risk COVIDSafe Plan mandated to comply with the latest version of the Construction Industry Guidelines <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Face coverings Symptom declaration by all workers and visitors accessing site Worker declaration at start of each shift Temperature testing upon site entry compulsory PPE information and training Monitoring correct use of PPE Infection control awareness training for workplace safety delegates COVID monitor on site
PRACTISE GOOD HYGIENE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Frequent and regular cleaning of shared spaces Soap and hand sanitiser available at all workplaces Replace high-touch communal items with hygienic alternatives Display cleaning log in shared spaces <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Personnel lift/hoist controls Restrict sharing of tools, plants and equipment 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PPE for workers moving between sites High Risk COVIDSafe Plan in accordance with Construction Industry Guidelines Version 7 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cleaning and disinfecting protocols Personnel lift/hoist controls Auditing of cleaning schedules 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PPE for workers moving between sites High Risk COVIDSafe Plan in accordance with Construction Industry Guidelines Version 7 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cleaning and disinfecting protocols Personnel lift/hoist controls Auditing of cleaning schedules CALD resources and messaging 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PPE for workers moving between sites on a risk-based approach High Risk COVIDSafe Plan mandated to comply with the latest version of the Construction Industry Guidelines <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Symptom declaration by all workers and visitors accessing site Auditing of cleaning schedules CALD resources and messaging COVID monitor on site
KEEP RECORDS AND ACT QUICKLY IF STAFF BECOME UNWELL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support staff to stay home and get tested even if they only have mild symptoms Have a plan to manage cases, notify others and potentially close down if there are confirmed coronavirus (COVID-19) cases Keep records of all people who enter a worksite for contact tracing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Emergency construction responses reported to the Industry Coordinate Centre) ICC@ecodev.vic.gov.au within 6 hours of the event. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High Risk COVIDSafe Plan in accordance with Construction Industry Guidelines Version 7 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Workplace mapping and contact tracing procedures in event of confirmed coronavirus (COVID-19) case Case notification procedures Site closure procedures Cleaning and disinfecting regime Screening of workers and visitors before accessing the workplace 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High Risk COVIDSafe Plan in accordance with Construction Industry Guidelines Version 7 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Workplace mapping and contact tracing procedures in event of confirmed coronavirus (COVID-19) case Case notification procedures Site closure procedures Cleaning and disinfecting regime Screening of workers and visitors before accessing the workplace 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High Risk COVIDSafe Plan mandated to fully comply with the latest version of the Construction Industry Guidelines at all times <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Workplace mapping and contact tracing procedures in event of confirmed coronavirus (COVID-19) case Digital site mapping Contactless tracing Case notification procedures Site closure procedures Cleaning and disinfecting regime Mandatory site testing if positive case detected Infection control awareness training for workplace safety delegates

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AVOID INTERACTIONS IN ENCLOSED SPACES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Move as much activity outside as possible • If possible, do not recirculate air • No carpooling to work
CREATE WORKFORCE BUBBLES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimise movement of workers across sites • Keep groups of staff rostered on the same shifts for a given geographic area/site • No overlap in shift changes

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Bold – mandatory under public health direction*

Not bold – recommended but not mandated

*Subject to final development of directions by Chief Health Officer

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