

WA Covid-19 further easing of measures effective from 12:01am, Friday 29 April 2022. The following will take effect:

Mask

- No longer mandatory except for high-risk settings for people aged 12 years and older (including year 7s) in the following settings:
 - On public transport, other passenger transport, and airports.
 - Hospitals or Nursing Post.
- Masks are encouraged where physical distancing isn't possible.

Close contacts

- Close contacts with no symptoms are not required to isolate for 7 days, but must:
 - Undertake a daily Rapid Antigen Test.
 - \circ $\;$ Wear a mask when leaving the house.
 - Avoid high-risk settings, including hospitals, healthcare settings, disability and aged care facilities, and correctional facilities
 - Work from home, where possible.
 - Avoid non-essential gatherings and contact with people at risk of severe illness.
- They should also notify their employer/educational facility of their close contact status.
- Close contacts with symptoms must continue to isolate until symptoms resolve and get tested as per existing protocols.
- If a close contact tests positive, they must isolate for a further 7 days as per arrangements for positive COVID-19 cases.

Proof of COVID-19 vaccinations

- No longer required to enter venues and businesses.
- Mandatory workplace vaccination requirements will remain in place.

Travel

- G2G Pass registration no longer required.
- Triple dose vaccination no longer required for interstate arrivals.
- Double dose vaccination requirement for international arrivals will continue as per Australian Government requirements.
- Unvaccinated Australian international arrivals to continue to quarantine for 7 days.
- Travel to remote Aboriginal communities remains restricted.

Schools and early childcare

- Remaining public health measures in place removed.
- Some preventative measures retained in schools including enhanced ventilation, mandatory vaccination, and cleaning.

For Further information:

- <u>Visit the WA COVID-19 information home page</u>
- Telephone:13COVID (<u>13 26843</u>)