
CIRCULAR NO. GEN/01/CCV/2021
DATE: 14 January 2021
SUBJECT: COVIDSafe Update – Face Masks and Office Workers
ATTENTION: Club Managers

The purpose of this circular is to provide you with an update on today's announcements by the Victorian Premier Daniel Andrews addressing changes to face mask requirements and the return to the workplace for office workers.

Face Masks

From **11.59pm, Sunday 17 January 2021**, face masks will no longer be mandatory in all public indoor settings. Face masks will continue to be mandatory in the following settings:

- public transport
- travelling via ride share or taxi
- inside shopping centres, including the retail stores inside shopping centres
- inside indoor markets
- in large retail stores (over 2000 sqm), such as department stores, electronics stores, furniture stores, hardware stores or supermarkets
- domestic flights to and from Victoria
- airports
- hospitals.

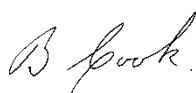
Returning to the Office

From **Monday 18 January 2021**:

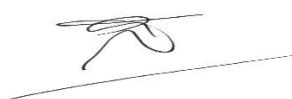
- **Private Sector:** up to 50 per cent of office workers will be able to return to on-site work;
- **Public Sector:** up to 25 per cent of office workers will be able to return to on-site work.
- Offices with fewer than 40 staff can have 20 staff on-site subject to density quotients.
- Face masks will no longer be required to be worn in offices.

Note: The Victorian Government has maintained that you should always carry a face mask with you when you leave home unless you have a lawful reason not to; and it strongly recommends you wear one whenever you cannot keep 1.5 metres distance from others.

The Information provided in this e-mail is generic advice. For advice in respect of your specific situation, please contact the SIAG National Advisory Service on 03 9644 1400 or 1300 742 447.



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