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Maintain COVID-safe workplaces

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Maintaining COVID-safe workplaces during current outbreaks

Comcare is reminding employers and workers to remain vigilant and maintain safe and healthy workplaces as the COVID-19 situation continues to evolve nationally.

There are varying public health orders in force across all jurisdictions, driven by outbreaks of a new strain of the virus. It is timely for employers to assess existing plans and controls and ensure they remain robust in the current environment.

In particular, Comcare is encouraging employers to:

- Review current COVID-19 risk plans and consider their effectiveness as situations change in each state and territory
- Continue to consult with workers to ensure that risks are being appropriately addressed
- Refer to official [state and territory government coronavirus information and public health advice](#).

Notifiable incidents

Employers are also reminded to [notify Comcare of all COVID-19 cases](#) that are work-related, including cases acquired while working overseas, and should follow the public health advice in their jurisdiction.

Comcare resources

Comcare has extensive COVID-19 guidance and resources to support employers and workers, including:

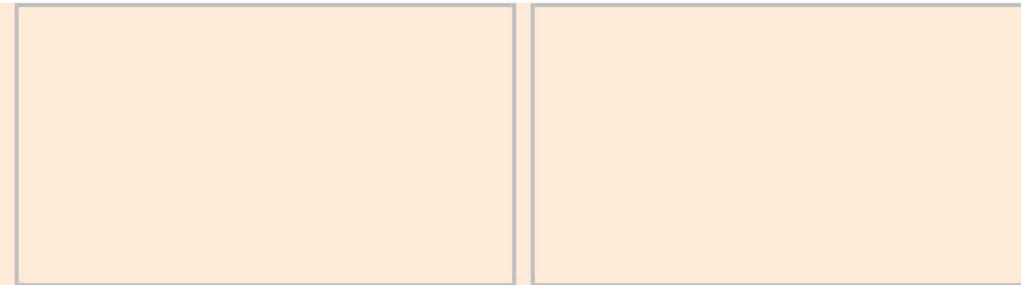
- [WHS duties and risk management](#)
- [Maintaining a COVID-safe workplace guidance](#)
- [Maintaining a COVID-safe workplace poster](#)
- [Working from home or remotely - guidance and checklists](#)
- [Face masks and to how to safely wear a face covering poster](#)
- [Looking after your Mental Health factsheets](#)

Training and education

Workers, managers, and supervisors are encouraged to complete our self-paced online learning on how to safely wear face masks and maintain a COVID-safe workplace.

**Safety and prevention in a pandemic -
PPE, Facemasks**

**Managing work health safety (WHS) risks
related to COVID-19**



Comcare will continue to monitor the evolving COVID-19 situation and issue further guidance as needed.

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