

Norfolk Island COVID 19 Response Escalation Matrix (Open Borders)

	Escalation trigger	Direction to Premises	Public Gathering Restrictions	Business Restrictions	Travel and Border Restrictions	De-escalation trigger
Escalation Level						
1	COVID Normal	Mandate and monitor COVID-19 business safety plans & customer registers including QR codes	<p>Sport and recreation No restriction</p> <p>Wedding Funerals and Religious services No restriction</p> <p>Maintain social distancing rules and density limits of 1 person/2 sqm</p>	<p>Cafés and Restaurants No restriction</p> <p>Personal Services No restriction</p> <p>Non-essential businesses No restriction</p> <p>Encourage social distancing density limit of 1per/2sqm (<200sqm)</p>	<p>Border restrictions apply to persons travelling from COVID affected areas</p> <p>Entry Permit System</p>	N/A
2	Positive case(s) (asymptomatic or not requiring hospitalisation)	Exposure site premises to undertake closure and cleaning.	<p>Sport and recreation Suspended</p> <p>Wedding Funerals and Religious services No restriction</p>	<p>Cafés and Restaurants Masks for all staff and customers indoors</p> <p>Personal Services Masks for all staff and customers indoors</p> <p>Non-essential businesses Masks for all staff and customers indoors</p>	<p>Prepare for possible border closures</p> <p>Provide watch brief to QANTAS and Toll and seek understanding of disruption to services.</p>	<p>Negative swab result</p> <p>Return to Level 1 as applicable.</p>
3	Positive case(s) Symptomatic in NIHRACS	NIHRACS undertakes deep cleaning along with exposure sites	<p>Maintain social distancing rules. Density reduced to 1 person/4sqm and groups limited to 150</p>	<p>Enforced social distancing density limit of 1person/4sqm (<200sqm)</p>	<p>Entry Permit System</p>	
4	Several (>3) positive symptomatic cases requiring inpatient medical treatment	Determine essential business and workers - in consultation with AFP & NIHRACS	<p>Sport and recreation Exercise is limited to individual household group Fishing is limited to individual household group No group or organised sports No community centres or parks</p> <p>Wedding Funerals and Religious services Weddings max 5 Funerals max 10 Church Services max 10</p> <p>Masks worn outside the home STAY AT HOME Schools and childcare arrangements closed except for essential workers No home visits No gatherings Work from home if possible</p>	<p>Masks worn for all businesses.</p> <p>Restrictions for targeted businesses (identified through contact tracing)</p> <p>Cafés and Restaurants takeaway only</p> <p>Personal Services Closed</p> <p>Enforced social distancing rules and venue capacity reduced to 1per/4sqm</p>	<p>Border closure to visitors</p>	<p>Maintain restrictions for 14 days following commencement of quarantine for last positive case</p> <p>Move to Level 2 as applicable</p>