
















Covid Safe Campus Transition Plan 2021

CURRENT REQUIREMENTS TILL 15 DECEMBER 2021

 VACCINATION REQUIREMENTS	Adults over 16+ required to be fully vaccinated to work, research or attended teaching programs at UOW campuses.
 MASKS	Masks required for all staff and customers in all indoor settings including on public transport, planes and in airports (except children under the age of 12). Masks no longer required in office buildings or office environments (unvaccinated people must still wear a mask in the office). Masks no longer required in outdoor settings (except for front-of-house hospitality staff). COVID-19 Safe App check-ins and proof of vaccination or contraindication required.
 COVID SAFE PLANS & RESOURCES	Covid Safe resources remain available including check-in, hand sanitiser, disinfecting wipes, cleaning supplies, face masks, gloves, and general Covid Safe reminders. Indoor spaces on campus to have mechanical ventilation operable with maximum allowable outdoor intake or utilise natural ventilation such as open doors and windows. Indoor spaces without means of mechanical or natural ventilation are not to be occupied. Carbon dioxide monitoring program in place by Facilities Management Division.
 TEACHING	Remains in remote delivery mode unless by exception as approved by DVCE and CMT, for all UOW teaching sessions in 2021. Autumn session planning underway for return of face-to-face teaching. Some subjects may require in-person teaching for practical, lab or accreditation requirements. Subject coordinators will communicate with students as needed.
 WORKING ARRANGEMENTS	Continue to work from home if reasonably practical. Progress to work from campus in line with operational needs, flexible work arrangements and Covid Safe Plans for office environments, general activities, and research activities. Persons identified as high risk of severe illness from COVID-19 to consult their treating practitioner to complete a COVID-19 Action Plan.
 ACADEMIC WORK, RESEARCH AND EXAMS	Staff, undergraduate and research students can attend their work area for work and research including human participants and fieldwork according to Covid Safe Plans and/or risk assessments. Most exams online; exams in person only where these are required for accreditation or similar purposes.
 REGIONAL AND METRO CAMPUSES	Campuses previously closed can open in accordance with Local Government Area restrictions.
 TRAVEL	International and domestic travel, as approved by Delegations of Authority and in accordance with border entry requirements. Advice provided by Manager WHS. International travellers who are fully vaccinated must follow NSW Health advice on arrival. They must do a PCR test, be recognised as fully vaccinated by the Therapeutic Goods Administration (TGA) and have their vaccination status certified by the Commonwealth. Carpooling for work, research or teaching purposes permitted between vaccinated people only. When using public transport follow Transport NSW requirements or guidance.
 RETAIL SERVICES	Pulse, UniActive, UniShop, and eateries operate according to Public Health Order Requirements.
 SERVICE CENTRES	Service Centres able to re-open where required, in line with Covid Safe Plan.
 EVENTS AND OUTDOOR GATHERINGS	No person limit for outdoor public gatherings and recreation (COVID-19 Safety Plans required if over 1,000 people attend). Indoor events over 50 people require a covid safe plan and notification to CMT.
 STUDENT ACCOMMODATION	Strongly encourage vaccination for students living in residence. Visitors and others required to be fully vaccinated.
 SCIENCE SPACE & ES DISCOVERY SPACE	Open for vaccinated people at 1 person per 2sqm and in line with Covid Safe Plan requirements.
 LIBRARY	Open to vaccinated people at maximum capacity of 1,000 persons.
 PLACES OF WORSHIP	No singing or dancing indoors for people who are not fully vaccinated. Places of worship open to all, density limits still apply.

All stages: COVID safe behaviours



All stages: 6-step reporting process

1. ISOLATE 2. IDENTIFY 3. INFORM 4. CLEAN 5. REVIEW 6. COMMUNICATE

Find out how: uow.info/6-steps-covid (staff intranet link)

Find out more: uow.edu.au/coronavirus

Note: This plan is subject to change should there be any change to Public Health Orders, Local Government Area restrictions or at the University's discretion.
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