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LIVING with COVID-19 (Issue No. 6-2022)

Latest Updates from WA Government:

GOVERNMENT OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA

New baseline public health measures

Effective 12.01am, Friday 29 April 2022

Indoor mask-wearing no longer mandatory

Masks will only be required for those aged 12+ in the following settings:

- Aged care, disability care and hospitals
- Taxis and rideshare
- Public transport
- Airports
- Correction facilities

Masks are encouraged where physical distancing isn't possible.

Entry to some remote Aboriginal communities remains restricted

All capacity limits and the 2 square metre rule lifted
Stadiums return to full capacity

New protocols for close contacts with no symptoms

Proof of vaccination no longer required at businesses and venues
Workplace vaccination requirements remain

Proof of vaccination no longer required for interstate travellers

G2G Pass no longer required for all travellers into WA

Some additional visitors allowed in hospitals
Masks and proof of vaccination still required

More information can be found at **www.wa.gov.au**

What Chung Wah Community Care is doing:

- Mask wearing and temperature checks at Balcatta Hub, Northbridge Hub and Willetton Hub remain.
- Hub drivers for shared transport will record each client's temperature before the client enters the vehicle. Clients with one-on-one transportation will have their temperature checked before entering the hub.
- Closely monitor the overall wellbeing of all staff, volunteers and clients/participants and provide relevant guidelines when there is a COVID related situation.

How you can help to prevent the spread of coronavirus:

- Wear a mask while receiving service or out in the community.
- Respiratory hygiene and cough etiquette: cough or sneeze into a tissue and discard the tissue immediately, or cough/sneeze into the bend of your elbow, perform hand hygiene.
- Cleaning and laundry: regular cleaning of the environment and equipment, safe handling of linen and waste.
- Inform your Case Coordinator if you or your household are symptomatic, in close contact and in isolation, or you have been tested COVID positive.