



## CORONA VIRUS | COVID -19 UPDATE

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As the government has commenced easing of the restrictions Regal continues to be vigilant in keeping you safe through the following actions:

- Screening of all new referrals and staff
- Screening and quarantine of any Regal workforce who are unwell until testing results were available. To date 40 Regal Nurses have been tested for COVID\_19 and all were NEGATIVE.
- Provision of additional supplies of Personal Protective Equipment
- Requesting all patients notify Regal if they are unwell so screening can be undertaken to determine if a COVID test is required. To date 29 patients have been tested and all were NEGATIVE.
- Completion of Pandemic Plan for every veteran so they have an up to date reference in their home of their current medical status and services delivered.

As there have been a number of outbreaks in Sydney, Regal has now introduced the use of mandatory face masks for the Regal Nurses and Support Workers.

Regal is seeking the assistance of all the families we serve, to **notify Regal before the visit**, if anyone in the home displays any signs of upper respiratory infection such as fever, cough, sore throat, runny nose and/or sneezing, so a Regal Nurse can complete a telephone screening.

We look forward to supporting you through the Pandemic. Please note all updates are posted to our website [www.regalhealth.com.au](http://www.regalhealth.com.au)

In good health

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