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REGIONAL ID REQUIREMENT AND POSTER

Please find attached a poster for businesses in regional Victoria that are required to check the IDs of everyone they serve. Please share it with businesses and encourage them to display it near the entrance to venues, to remind customers of the ID requirement and explain their options.

The following regional Victorian businesses are required to check the residence of customers:

- accommodation facilities (for tourism related bookings)
- food and drink facilities when providing seated service
- restricted retail facilities, including hairdressers, beauty and personal care facilities
- licensed tourism operators
- entertainment and function facilities, such as theatres, cinemas, conventions centres, and other venues listed under 'entertainment' in the [Restricted Activity Directions](#)
- physical recreation facilities, except where those facilities are unstaffed
- real estate agents (related to any activity except for final property inspections)
- alpine resort operators.

Businesses can use the [postcode, suburb and address checker](#) to identify whether a person is from metropolitan Melbourne, Ballarat, or from regional Victoria.

Residents of metropolitan Melbourne and Ballarat (from 11:59 tonight) are only allowed to travel outside those areas for the following reasons:

- necessary goods and services
- care or compassionate reasons
- childminding under limited circumstances
- [Authorised work](#) with a [permit](#) or permitted education
- other specified reasons (such as for emergency purposes).

If a person does not have photo ID with their address, or the address is out of date, they can sign a [declaration](#).

Thank you for helping to keep Victoria safe. For more information, please go to coronavirus.vic.gov.au.

Regards,

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