

## BULLETIN: 87/2021

### CITY OF LATROBE TO ENTER SEVEN DAY LOCKDOWN TONIGHT

[Victoria's Acting Chief Health Officer has declared](#) that the City of Latrobe will enter a seven-day lockdown at 11:59pm tonight, 28 September.

Case numbers have rapidly increased in recent days, with 18 active cases reported today. Another four cases were confirmed today and will be reported in tomorrow's numbers.

Under the lockdown, restrictions will be the same as those in metropolitan Melbourne (excluding the curfew):

- You can only leave home for necessary goods and services, caregiving or compassionate reasons (including medical care and getting a COVID-19 test), authorised work or permitted education, exercise and outdoor social interaction in limited groups, and getting a COVID-19 vaccine. You can also leave home to visit your intimate partner or single social bubble buddy.
- No other visitors are allowed in the home.
- Shopping, exercise and outdoor social interaction will be limited to 15km from your home.
- Masks remain mandatory indoors and outdoors. Remember to wear masks on public transport.

**Locals are asked to be on high alert for symptoms and get tested if any develop.** A rapid response testing team will provide support for the testing site at the indoor sports stadium on Ashby Street in Traralgon. Additional resources will be provided to boost capacity and extend opening hours.

This testing centre is in addition to testing sites at:

- Australian Clinical Labs on Grey Street in Traralgon;
- Latrobe Respiratory Clinic on Princes Drive in Morwell;
- Dorevitch Pathology Drive Through site at Latrobe Regional Hospital; and
- Moe Senior Citizens' Centre on Langford Street.

Testing capacity will also be boosted in Baw Baw and Bass Coast.

In addition to our state clinics, local GP and pharmacies are offering COVID-19 vaccinations. Visit [COVID-19 vaccines](#) for links to state-run, pharmacy and GP booking systems.

For more information visit [coronavirus.vic.gov.au](https://coronavirus.vic.gov.au).

Regards,

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