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# Disability provider alert

6 September 2021

## Information on current hubs offering vaccination services

There are many vaccination clinics/hubs now operating across states and territories.

A listing of all clinics/hubs with publicly available booking information can be found at the end of this alert. [Click here to see the list and make a booking](#_Clinics_and_hubs).

If you have a vaccination clinic/hub that we can promote please email our inbox: COVID19VacTFDisabilityServices1A@Health.gov.au so that we can include it in this publication.

Please distribute this information to your workforce.

## www.australia.gov.au

The [Australia.gov.au](https://www.australia.gov.au/) website is a single source of information about coronavirus.

As announcements are made by government or its agencies, they can be found on this site.

The site includes the national Vaccine Eligibility Checker. As hubs and clinics are added the site is updated. It continues to be the only way to compare clinic types, check availability, and find and book an appointment in one place.

## No Fault COVID-19 Indemnity Scheme

From 6 September Australians who suffer injury and loss of income due to their COVID-19 vaccine will be able to register their intent to claim from the COVID-19 vaccine claims scheme [webpage](http://www.health.gov.au/COVID-19-vaccination-claim-scheme).

The COVID-19 Vaccine Claims Scheme offers protection to Australians receiving a TGA approved COVID-19 vaccine, irrespective of where that vaccination occurs. The scheme also ensures protection for health professionals administering vaccines.

## More support for NDIS participants to attend COVID-19 vaccination appointments

To encourage vaccinations, a temporary national support payment of $150 per participant is available for disability providers to assist National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) participants. Supported Independent Living participants eligible within Phase 1a to attend offsite vaccination locations – including Commonwealth vaccination hubs, state clinics and GPs.

On 1 September, Minister for the NDIS Senator the Hon Linda Reynolds CSC [announced](file:///%5C%5CPRINFNAS002N%5CUsers%5CLEGGEM%5Cdesktop%5CCovid%5CMore%20support%20for%20people%20with%20disability%20to%20attend%20COVID-19%20vaccination%20appointments) an extension to this initiative to include additional provider registration groups to help ensure that more NDIS participants are supported to receive their vaccination.

More information about this support payment, including a list of the additional provider registration groups who can claim the payment, can be found at [For providers - coronavirus (COVID-19) | NDIS](https://ndis.gov.au/coronavirus/providers-coronavirus-covid-19)

## COVID-19 vaccination – Disability provider kit

A set of resources designed to help disability providers promote COVID-19 vaccination to their employees is now available on the [Department of Health website](https://www.health.gov.au/resources/publications/covid-19-vaccination-disability-provider-kit).

The resources are designed to help disability service providers in their important role ensuring a safe rollout of COVID-19 vaccines to [people with disability](https://www.health.gov.au/initiatives-and-programs/covid-19-vaccines/information-for-service-providers-workers-and-people-with-disability-about-covid-19-vaccines/information-for-people-with-disability-about-covid-19-vaccines) and [disability workers](https://www.health.gov.au/initiatives-and-programs/covid-19-vaccines/information-for-service-providers-workers-and-people-with-disability-about-covid-19-vaccines/covid-19-vaccine-information-for-disability-workers).

## Vaccination deadline extended for authorised workers from areas of concern in NSW

The NSW Government has announced that authorised workers from local government areas (LGAs) of concern now have until the end of the day on 19 September 2021 to get vaccinated to allow them to continue to work outside of the LGA they live in, provided they have booked their COVID-19 vaccination by the end the day on Wednesday 8 September 2021.

The extended deadline means authorised workers from the LGAs of concern must have received at least one dose of a COVID-19 vaccine by the end of the day on Sunday 19 September to continue to work outside the LGA they live in from 20 September.

Authorised workers who are not yet vaccinated will have until the end of Wednesday 8 September 2021 to book their vaccination. From 9 September, authorised workers will be required to carry evidence of their booking if they wish to leave their LGA for work.

The requirement also applies to a relevant care worker aged 16 and over whose place of residence or place of work is in an LGA of concern. This includes those who work in an early education and care facility or who provide disability support services.

[Click here](https://www.health.nsw.gov.au/news/Pages/20210905_01.aspx) to see the press release for further details including access to priority bookings.

## Clinics and hubs by state and territory

Table 1 Hub information by state and territory

**New South Wales**

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| **Provider** | **Address** | **Suburb** | **State** | **Opening Date** | **Days/Open hours** | **Booking Information/ QR code** |
| Lifestyle Solutions | L2, 11-15 Deane Street | Burwood | NSW | 9 August | 9 am - 4.30pmMon - Fri | Please call the HCA Provider Support Team on **1300 542 444**  |
| Lifestyle Solutions | 37 Fern Street | Newcastle | NSW | 9 August | 9 am - 4:30pmMon-Fri | Please call the HCA Provider Support Team on **1300 542 444**  |
| HCA | Woodville Alliance, 44 Mandarin Street | East Fairfield | NSW | 23 August | 9 am - 4.30pmMon-Fri | [**Latest News – Pfizer vaccinations for RACF and NDIS (swsphn.com.au)**](https://www.swsphn.com.au/index.cfm?module=news&pagemode=indiv&page_id=1359508) |
| HCA | Northcott, 1 Fennel Street | Parramatta | NSW | 30 August | 9 am - 4.30pmMon-Fri | Please call the HCA Provider Support Team on **1300 542 444**  |
| HCA | 260 Liverpool Street | Ashfield | NSW | 30 August | 9 am – 7 pmMon-Fri | Picture is of the QR code to make an internet booking  |
| HCA | Suite 203, 2/414 Gardeners Rd | Roseberry | NSW | 30 August | 9 am – 4 pmMon-Fri | Picture is of the QR code to make an internet booking |
| HCA | 9-13 Redmyre Road | Strathfield | NSW | 30 August | 9 am – 4 pmMon-Fri | Picture is of the QR code to make an internet booking |
| Aspen led | Michael Clarke Recreation Centre,2 Margaret Dawson Drive | Carnes Hill | NSW | 28-Aug (Dose 1)18-Sep(Dose 2) | 9am – 3pm | No appointment necessary and a GP referral is not required. If you have spoken to your normal GP about getting AstraZeneca, you can bring a letter from them.[AstraZeneca vaccine for people aged 18 and over | NSW Government](https://www.nsw.gov.au/covid-19/health-and-wellbeing/covid-19-vaccination-nsw/astrazeneca-18-years-and-over) |
| Royal Rehab | 235 Morrison Rd | Ryde (Putney) | NSW | 4 September | Mon - Fri | Picture is of the QR code to make an internet booking |
| CMS | Warehouse 5B, 400 Moorebank Ave | Moorebank | NSW | 2 September | Mon – Fri10 - 5pmCapacity will be scaled with demand | [Book online](https://portal.companymedicalservices.com.au/onsiteregistration/pfizerhubqube)Use code ‘hub123’ |
| CMS | 219 North Rocks Rd | North Rocks | NSW | 30 Aug | Mon – Fri10 - 5pmCapacity will be scaled with demand | [Book online](https://portal.companymedicalservices.com.au/onsiteregistration/pfizerhubqube)Use code ‘hub123’ |
| HCA led | 1034-1036 Old Princes Highway | Engadine | NSW | 30 Aug-24 Sept. | Mon - Sun | HCA Provider Support Team 0300 542 444 |

**Tasmania**

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| State Health | 330-336 Invermay Rd | Mowbray | Tas | 12-Jul | Open | To book an appointment people should call the Public Health Hotline on 1800 671 738 and let the operator know they want to book into an ‘Additional Support Clinic’ or ‘Quiet Day clinic’. |
| State Health | 15 Derwent St | Blundstone Arena, Bellerive | Tas | 12-Jul | Open  | To book an appointment people should call the Public Health Hotline on 1800 671 738 and let the operator know they want to book into an ‘Additional Support Clinic’ or ‘Quiet Day clinic’. |

**Queensland**

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| Endeavour Foundation | 38 Railway Parade | Geebung | QLD | 16 June | 9 am - 4.30pm(Tue, Wed, Thurs, Fri) | [Geebung (endeavour.com.au)](https://www.endeavour.com.au/our-endeavour-foundation/covid-19-vaccination-rollout/geebung) |
| Endeavour Foundation | 100 Herries Street | Toowoomba | QLD | 2 July | 9 am - 4.30pm | [Toowoomba (endeavour.com.au)](https://www.endeavour.com.au/our-endeavour-foundation/covid-19-vaccination-rollout/toowoomba) |
| Aspen | Westfield Chermside90 Kittyhawk Dr Suite C9, Floor 1 | Chermside | QLD | 2 Aug | 8.30 am – 4 pm (Mon – Wed)11 am – 7 pm (Thurs)7 am – 3 -m (Fri) | Appointments are required. For assistance, call 0439217836 or email **qldmetrovax@aspenmedical.com**[**Aspen Medical - 1A and 1B Vaccination Clinic at Westfield Chermside**](https://www.westfield.com.au/chermside/store/16rmnNMagxN24ezMiglDgP/aspen-medical-vaccination-clinic) |
| United Disability Care | Level 5/35 Robina Town Centre Drive | Robina | QLD | 30 Aug | 9-5pmMon-Fri | Please call the HCA Provider Support Team on **1300 542 444**  |
| ISOS  | 10 West Terrace  | Caloundra | QLD | 7-Sep | 10am – 5.45pm Mon-Fri | <https://www.hotdoc.com.au/medical-centres/caloundra-QLD-4551/intl-sos-caloundra-hub-1/doctors> |
| ISOS  | 110 Tooley Street | Maryborough | QLD | 14-Sep | 10am – 5.45pm Mon-Fri | <https://www.hotdoc.com.au/medical-centres/maryborough-QLD-4650/intl-sos-maryborough-hub-1/doctors> |
| ISOS  | 263 Agnes Street | Rockhampton | QLD | 14-Sep | 10am – 5.45pm Mon-Fri | <https://www.hotdoc.com.au/medical-centres/rockhampton-QLD-4700/intl-sos-rockhampton-hub-1/doctors> |
| ISOS  | 37 Baden Powell Street | Maroochydore | QLD | Dose 127-AugDose 217-Sep | 10am – 5.45pm Mon-Fri | <https://www.hotdoc.com.au/medical-centres/maroochydore-QLD-4558/intl-sos-maroochydore-hub-1/doctors> |
| ISOS  | 55 Wearing Road | Bundaberg | QLD | Dose 131-Aug Dose 221-Sep | 10am – 5.45pm Mon-Fri | <https://www.hotdoc.com.au/medical-centres/bundaberg-QLD-4670/intl-sos-bundaberg-hub-1/doctors> |
| ISOS  | 30 Barter Street | Gympie | QLD | Dose 131-Aug Dose 221-Sep | 10am – 5.45pmMon - Fri  | <https://www.hotdoc.com.au/medical-centres/gympie-QLD-4570/intl-sos-gympie-hub-1/doctors> |

**Victoria**

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| Aspen | 258 Settlement Road | Thomastown | VIC | 19-May | Mon to Fri, 8.30am to 3.30pm | <https://www.nds.org.au/news/accessing-covid-19-supports-and-the-thomastown-vaccination-hub> |
| HCA | 324 St Kilda Rd | Southbank | VIC | 25-Aug | 8-5pm Mon-Fri | QR Code to book vaccination |
| HCA | L.3, 990 Whitehorse Road | Box Hill | VIC | 23-Aug | 9-4pm Mon - Fri | QR Code to book vaccination |

**South Australia**

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| HCA | West Lakes Tennis Club21 Edwin Street | West Lakes Shore | SA | 30 Aug-21 7 Oct | 9 am – 4 pm (Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri) | Picture is of the QR code to make an internet booking |
| Minda | 12-16 King George Avenue | North Brighton | SA | 16-Aug | Open | [**HealthEngine - Booking Form - Aspen Medical Disability Vaccination Clinic North Brighton (Minda)**](https://healthengine.com.au/v2/appointment/book_widget/85385/COVID-19%20Vaccinations?covaxEligibilityChecked=true#about-practice) |
| Aspen | 17 Main North Road | Medindie | SA | 7 June | Open | 0437 325 123 |

Social post

The below social media post is for you to distribute through your channels. Accompanying images can be accessed on the provider alert edition page [at this link](https://www.health.gov.au/resources/collections/covid-19-vaccination-disability-provider-alert).

### Post

#### Facebook

Caption:

Disability workers and carers are eligible to receive the COVID-19 vaccine and are strongly encouraged to get vaccinated.

Some people with disability might be at an increased risk of getting very sick from COVID-19 🦠

If you’re a disability worker or carer, it’s important you get vaccinated against COVID-19 to yourself, your family 👪 and the people you care for.

Don’t delay, book your vaccination today by talking to your GP or visit <https://covid-vaccine.healthdirect.gov.au/eligibility> 💻

Link: <https://covid-vaccine.healthdirect.gov.au/eligibility>

#### Twitter

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#### Instagram

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Don’t delay, book your vaccination today by clicking the link in our bio and selecting ‘Vaccine Eligbility’.

#COVID19 #COVIDvaccines #disability

Link: <https://covid-vaccine.healthdirect.gov.au/eligibility>

## Resources to support people getting vaccinated

The Department of Health encourages disability providers to have vaccination resources available in [Easy Read](https://www.health.gov.au/resources/collections/covid-19-vaccination-easy-read-resources) format and in [other languages](https://www.health.gov.au/initiatives-and-programs/covid-19-vaccines/covid-19-vaccine-information-in-your-language) for people getting vaccinated. These resources cover all aspects of the vaccination process including preparing for COVID-19 vaccination and the period after the COVID-19 vaccination. You can download and print these from the Department of Health website.

For more information call the National coronavirus and
COVID-19 vaccination helpline on 1800 020 080.