

Update on Household Contacts and Isolation

Household contacts: 7 days isolation with the first case in the household.

If after the 8th day, a new case arises in the household, the household must undertake another 7 days isolation, excluding any other family members who have already been a case.

Information Booklet

The Shire has printed copies of the “Your guide to managing COVID-19” booklet published by the State Government with additional details of Toodyay’s closest testing sites: [Managing Covid Booklet](#)

COVID-19 close contacts:
healthywa.wa.gov.au

You may be informed that you are a close contact of a person with COVID-19.

This may come from someone who has tested positive for COVID-19, by your

workplace, or by WA Health. Close contacts, regardless of vaccination status, are required to quarantine and get tested to limit the spread of COVID-19: www.healthywa.wa.gov.au



Rapid Antigen Test (RAT)

Are RATs free? Concession card holders have access to 10 RATs over a three-month period, with a limit of five per month. For all other community members, RATs are available to purchase from supermarkets, pharmacies and other retailers.

Please ensure that you have a RAT or PCR test if you feel unwell. If you test positive, you and your family must isolate for 7 days. **A positive test MUST be reported to your manager and also the State Government.** https://www.healthywa.wa.gov.au/Articles/A_E/Coronavirus/COVID19-testing/Rapid-Antigen-Test

FAQs: COVID-19 coronavirus: Testing, isolation and close contact frequently asked questions (www.wa.gov.au)

The Shire has moved into COVID-19 readiness with measures being undertaken to protect staff and the community from the spread of COVID-19.

Where possible, staff will be working from home. Please keep this in mind when contacting the Shire, staff resourcing may be limited.

We thank you for your patience while we are all doing what we can to limit the spread of the virus.



COVID-19 Community update