



NCACCH | North Coast Aboriginal Corporation
for Community Health

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NCACCH Update #4 on Coronavirus (COVID-19)

As the easing of restrictions continues to happen, the NCACCH Board strongly encourage our members, clients, and community to continue following the Commonwealth and State advice in regard to practicing good hygiene, physical distancing and staying home if you are sick.

The NCACCH Board appreciate member, client, community and stakeholder support in complying with the required physical distancing when attending NCACCH office and during staff contact. It is critical you stay away if you are displaying Covid-19 symptoms and get tested immediately.

At noon on 03 July 2020, stage 3 of Queensland's Roadmap to easing restrictions came into effect. In line with this, NCACCH has reviewed and updated its COVIDSafe Plan to include the new changes specific to stage 3 of Queensland's 3-step framework.

What does this mean for our community?

Immediate updates during Step 3:

- All NCACCH staff will re-commence working from Head Office effective Monday 13 July 2020
- NCACCH Head Office (Birtinya) will re-open its doors from Monday 20 July 2020
- NCACCH Gympie Office will re-open for services from Monday 20 July 2020
- If preferred, Health Access Card applications and Referrals can be conducted over the phone
- NCACCH program vacancies have now been re-advertised with recruitment currently occurring

Future updates during Step 3:

- Due to the flu season and the vulnerability of our community, NCACCH programs such as Men's and Women's Groups, Playgroups, Exercise Programs etc will not re-commence until September 2020
- NCACCH CEO recruitment will remain on hold until October 2020

All NCACCH staff will continue using social media such as Facebook, Youtube, Tik Tok etc to offer online groups, health education and information on a range of different topics.

If you are feeling unwell, or have any Covid-19 symptoms, no matter how mild, you should get tested. If you would like further information, contact 13HEALTH (13 43 25 84) or visit the Queensland Government website for the latest updates at <https://www.qld.gov.au/health/conditions/health-alerts/coronavirus-covid-19/current-status/latest-updates>

The NCACCH Facebook and webpage, www.ncacch.org.au will continue to be updated. If you have any questions, please contact NCACCH on 5346 9800.

Yours Sincerely

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On Behalf of the NCACCH Board