

## Request for Emergency Accommodation for Covid-19 Related Isolation

### (SESLHD Staff & General Public)

- There may be need to request accommodation for COVID-19 related isolation. This is most likely to occur when an individual is required to isolate in accordance with Public Health orders and is unable to do so in their current accommodation, or for staff who may need to isolate from housemates to enable them to continue working.
- A person may be considered unable to effectively isolate from others in their current accommodation when:
  - i. they share a dwelling with multiple people
  - ii. they do not have access to a private bedroom and bathroom in their dwelling
  - iii. they do not have the ability to remain separated by 1.5m from other household occupants
  - iv. they share a dwelling with a high risk occupant or close contact.
- All individuals (SESLHD staff and general public) requiring accommodation and support will require a referral during business hours (08.30-17.00 Mon-Fri) to the Social Harms of COVID-19 Social Worker (SHoCSW).
- Afterhours and on weekends bookings will be made by referral to the On-Call / Weekend Social Worker of the relevant facility.
- The Social worker will arrange accommodation for the staff member. Currently accommodation is provided at APX World Square at 2 Cunningham St Sydney.
- All cases and high risk close contacts who are unable to isolate effectively at home, as well people who are **homeless**, or have **significant health care needs, mental health issues, or substance use** should be referred to SHA.

Please collect the information requested in the table on the reverse and contact the Social worker for assistance.

**During business hours 7 days per week:-** SHOC SW M: 0436 420 449

Monday to Friday only: [SESLHD-COVID-SocialWork@health.nsw.gov.au](mailto:SESLHD-COVID-SocialWork@health.nsw.gov.au)

**After Hours:-** Contact the switch board of your facility and ask for the afterhours social worker

Provide the following details of the person requiring isolation:

MRN (if available)	
D.O.B	/ /
Name of Individual	
Email Address	@
Mobile Number	
Usual Residential Address:	
No. of Days Accommodation Required	
Check out Date for Accommodation	/ /
Date of Last Exposure	/ /
Date of Swab	
Required to isolate	No                      Yes – High risk                      Yes – Low risk
Current Location (i.e., at home, Covid-19 Clinic etc.)	
Car Parking required	Y                      N
PHU Case Number / Reference Number	
Facility Executive Approval (for SESLHD staff requiring isolation only)	