

# Information for Residential Aged Care Facilities

## Visitor screening checklist

This checklist supports operators of residential aged care facilities (RACF) to screen visitors' eligibility for entry into RACFs, based on the requirements of the current [RACF Direction](#) and the [Arrivals/Arrivals – Associated Directions](#) made under the *Emergency Management Act 2004*.

A visitor may be allowed entrance to the RACF if they answer 'no' to all questions.

Has the visitor:	Yes	No
Been in contact with a confirmed case of COVID-19 within the last 14 days, other than a contact during which appropriate PPE was worn?		
A temperature higher than 38 degrees Celsius; or a history of any of the following in the last 72 hours: fever, chills, symptoms of an acute respiratory infection such as a cough, sore throat or shortness of breath, or loss of taste and smell?		
Not been vaccinated against seasonal influenza (unless an exemption applies).		
Undertaken a COVID-19 test and are awaiting the test result, unless part of routine surveillance testing and are not displaying symptoms.		
From 23 November 2021, arrived from a high-risk interstate or international location within the last 14 days (unless attending to provide end of life care)		
From 6 December 2021, has not been fully vaccinated against COVID-19 (unless a medical exemption has been granted)		
<b>If <u>YES</u> to any of above criteria, the visitor may not be allowed entrance.</b>		

For further information about visiting a RACF during the COVID-19 pandemic, including exemptions and compassionate visits, visit: [www.sahealth.sa.gov.au/covidagedcare](http://www.sahealth.sa.gov.au/covidagedcare)

### For more information

Office for Ageing Well  
 Department for Health and Wellbeing  
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[www.sahealth.sa.gov.au/COVID2019](http://www.sahealth.sa.gov.au/COVID2019)

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