

Doors starting to open for the hospitality industry: Your National Guide

State	Date	Hospitality Points
South Australia	9 July 2020	<p>All premises will be able to operate in accordance with the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the number of patrons allowed inside any premises will be determined by the one person per 2sqm rule with no upper limit. all businesses involved in the onsite purchase and consumption of food or beverages need a new or updated COVID-Safe Plan. hospitality businesses are not required to record details of patrons. Note: An approved COVID Management Plan is required in respect of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the onsite purchase and consumption of food or beverages at a place where the total number of persons present at the place is reasonably expected to exceed 1000 people; and the operation of a nightclub and other venues offering both dancing the consumption of alcohol.
Tasmania	26 June 2020	<p>All premises are now permitted to operate. The number of people permitted at premises is determined by the density of the area, up to a maximum of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 250 people for an undivided space in an indoor premises; and 500 people in an undivided space outdoors. <p>Maximum density limit is one person per 2 square metres. Note: Where the number of people permitted according to the density limit is less than the gathering limit, the lower number applies.</p> <p>Patrons must still be seated in premises where alcohol is sold. This means that non-seated activities which are held at premises serving alcohol are still not permitted (e.g. pool, dancing, karaoke, darts).</p> <p>Workplaces must have a COVID-19 Safety Plan that complies with the minimum safety standards.</p>
Victoria	8 July 2020	<p>In the Melbourne metropolitan area and the Shire of Mitchell the following restrictions apply:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> restaurants and cafés can open to serve takeaways and home delivery only. pubs, bars, clubs and nightclubs are closed (except for serving takeaway food and alcohol). casinos and gaming venues are also closed. bottle shops are open. <p>Outside of the restricted areas the following restriction apply:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> restaurants, cafés and other hospitality businesses can have up to 20 seated patrons per enclosed space and groups of up to 10 people can dine together. tables must be spaced with 1.5m between seated patrons at neighbouring tables. alcohol can be provided without a meal when seated. restaurants, cafés, pubs and clubs must get the contact details of each person who attends the premises for more than 15 minutes. retail TAB and TAB facilities inside licensed premises may open.
Western Australia	27 June 2020 1 August 2020	<p>All premises will be able to operate in accordance with the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the number of patrons allowed inside any premises will be determined by the one person per 2sqm rule with no upper limit. patrons may be served food and alcohol without being seated. hospitality businesses are no longer required to maintain a patron register. casino gaming floor reopens however every second machine will have to be turned off. <p>Workplaces must have a COVID Safety Plan that is updated and implemented.</p> <p>The 2sqm rule will be removed, along with all other COVID-related restrictions introduced by the WA Government.</p>
New South Wales	1 July 2020	<p>All business can now open and operate with the following restrictions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the number of patrons allowed inside any premises will be determined by the one person per 4sqm rule with no upper limit. operators must have a COVID-19 Safety Plan which must be kept on the premises. the contact details of patrons must be recorded. For groups of patrons, the details of only one adult patron must be recorded. These details must be kept for a period of 28 days. Alcohol can only be consumed by seated customers.
Northern Territory	5 June 2020	<p>Restaurants, cafés, pubs and clubs will be able to operate without restrictions, pending any requirements imposed by the CHO Directions. 1.5m social distancing still applies. All licensed gaming activities including TAB can open.</p> <p>Owners of the above premises need to complete the NT COVID-19 restaurants, cafés, pubs, bars and food courts checklist.</p>
Australian Capital Territory	19 June 2020 Pending successful checkpoint (expected 10 July but now delayed)	<p>Cafés, restaurants, and licenced venues can open under the following conditions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the maximum number of patrons allowed in a premises is 100 seated patrons per indoor or outdoor space or one person per 4qm, whichever is lesser. Groups of up to 20 people can dine together. alcohol can be served without a meal to seated patrons and in groups of no more than 10 people. all operating businesses must have a COVID Safety Plan. Keno and TAB facilities are allowed to open within licensed venues, however poker machines remain closed. venues must continue recording contact details (name and phone number) of all patrons. <p>All venues, facilities and businesses can have 250 people or one person per 4sqm, whichever is greater (this number excludes staff). Venues must continue recording patron contact details, which must be retained for a period of 28 days.</p> <p>Bars, pubs, clubs and nightclubs are able to serve alcohol to seated patrons, with no limit on group size. Casinos, gambling and gaming venues can open.</p>
Queensland	3 July 2020	<p>All premises will be able to operate in accordance with the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the number of patrons allowed inside any premises will be determined by the one person per 4sqm rule with no upper limit. for venues that are less than 200 sqm in size, businesses can permit one person per 2sqm up to 50 persons at a time, provided that contact details of these patrons are recorded and kept for 56 days. casinos, gaming, gambling venues, nightclubs and food courts may re-open with a COVID Safe Industry Plan.