



Coronavirus Update – 9 March 2020

In line with Federal and State government advice as at 9 March 2020, Oac's latest quarantine requirements for all families, children, team members and visitors are as follows:

- If you are returning from **mainland China or Iran** you should isolate yourself for 14 days after leaving mainland China or Iran.
- If you are travelling from the **Republic of Korea**, on or after 5 March, you must isolate yourself for 14 days from the time you left the Republic of Korea.
- If you have been in close contact with a **confirmed case of coronavirus**, you must isolate yourself for 14 days from the date of last contact with the confirmed case.
- If you are arriving in Australia from **Italy**, you must present for health screening at the border as directed. Unless you are instructed to, you do not need to isolate at home.
 - Any Oac team members returning from Italy will be assessed on a case by case basis.

In addition to the above, and consistent with previous communications, we also have the following measures in place across all Oac campuses and offices:

- Any person or child showing signs or symptoms of any serious illness or infectious disease (including but not limited to fever, cough, sore throat, and other flu like symptoms) should not enter the campus until symptoms resolve and as per our current policy and procedures
- Any confirmed case of Coronavirus will be excluded from care until they are medically cleared to return
- For any children who present with flu-like symptoms whilst in Oac's care, families will be contacted to pick up their child immediately as per our current policy and procedures
- If you have concerns regarding your own or your child's health, please seek medical advice
- As recommended by public health experts, please maintain high hygiene practices:
 - Frequently clean hands using alcohol-based hand rub or soap and water
 - When coughing and sneezing, cover mouth and nose with elbow or tissue – throw tissue away immediately and wash hands
 - Avoid close contact with anyone who has a fever and/or cough.

As always, all Oac campus teams will ensure safe childcare practices are followed, including an increased focus on children's hand washing procedures, hygiene, and monitoring of general health and wellbeing.