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# COVID-19 (novel coronavirus) update

As a valued member of the Sundale community, I wanted to provide you with an update and outline Sundale's current approach to managing the COVID-19 situation.

#### SUNDALE CARE CENTRES - RESTRICTED ACCESS.

In response to the evolving COVID-19 situation, particularly the growing list of contact tracing locations and the ongoing vulnerable facility restrictions in South East Queensland, Sundale has made the considered decision to extend some restrictions at its Care Centres until at least Friday, 30 July 2021.

Sundale will review this decision on a daily basis.

#### CARE RECIPIENTS

Care recipients are permitted to leave Sundale's Care Centres for the following reasons:

- To receive or access health care
- To attend a funeral
- In the case of emergency or on any other compassionate grounds

### **VISITORS**

Family and friends can visit loved ones residing in a Sundale Care Centre in a designated visiting area.

## Visitors must register their intent to visit by contacting their Care Centre.

All visitors must sanitise their hands before entering and leaving the designated visiting area and practice physical distancing.

#### **MASKS**

Any person (other than a resident) must not enter, or remain on, the premises of a Sundale residential aged care facility without wearing a single use surgical face mask.

Note – a person who does not, or is unable to wear a face mask, will not be permitted entry to a Sundale residential aged care facility.

Sundale will continue to work with Queensland Health and make responsible, considered decisions to help minimise the threat of COVID-19 entering any Sundale facilities.

Yours sincerely,

Danielle Mackenzie

Sundale CEO