

## COVID-19 TRAFFIC LIGHT SYSTEM: GREEN – ORANGE – RED

### ‘Proof of vaccination’ will help you manage well using this new system

1. Most places will want to see your vaccination certificate ‘proof of vaccination’ before you can enter their building, have a coffee in their café, go to the gym, play sport, gather for community events etc.
2. At all levels – Green, Orange and Red – businesses, retail and public facilities will generally remain open for vaccinated people. This means you can carry on with your normal life during Orange and Red if you have ‘proof of vaccination’
3. Steps about downloading your vaccination certificate to your phone in a separate document
4. Or you can do it via this link <https://covid19.govt.nz/covid-19-vaccines/getting-proof-of-your-vaccination/>
5. For people aged 12 to 15 and people without a mobile phone you can get a vaccination certificate from the Ministry of Health website. <https://www.health.govt.nz/our-work/diseases-and-conditions/covid-19-novel-coronavirus/covid-19-vaccines/covid-19-requesting-proof-vaccination> Instructions are in a separate document
6. In addition to showing the vaccination certificate, you need to keep QR scanning and recording your visit

GREEN – NOT MUCH COVID-19 in NZ
<p>This means there are some Covid-19 cases in the community. There are some arriving from overseas from time to time. You will need to show your vaccine certificate to do most things in your community.</p>
<p><b>How you can stay safe in GREEN</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Keep a record of where you go – written or QR code scanning everywhere</li> <li>• Face coverings indoors – e.g. in shops and indoor spaces</li> <li>• Face coverings on flights</li> </ul>
<p><b>Where you can go in GREEN</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Public facilities – pools, libraries, sports grounds</li> <li>• Retail – shopping</li> <li>• Workplaces – go to work and visit other work places</li> <li>• Education places - ECEs, schools, kura and universities, polytechnics, ESOL classes</li> <li>• Specified outdoor community events – this will be concerts, big sports events, festivals, street fairs</li> <li>• No regional boundary restrictions – you can move around NZ as you wish</li> </ul>
<p><b>‘Proof of vaccination’ will be used by many places in GREEN</b></p> <p><b>Places USING vaccination certificates:</b> there will be no limits for hospitality (cafes and restaurants), gatherings (weddings, funerals, tangihanga, places of worship, marae), big events (indoor/outdoor), close contact businesses (for example, hairdressers) and gyms.</p> <p><b>This means you will need to show your vaccination certificate to go to these places and join these events.</b></p>
<p><b>Places NOT USING vaccination certificates:</b> there will be limits on these businesses, organisations and services: limit is 100, people must be seated and maintain 1 meter distancing.</p> <p><b>This means you will NOT need to show your vaccination certificate to go to these places and join these events with less than 100 people.</b></p>

## ORANGE – NUMBERS ARE INCREASING

The situation is putting pressure on our health system.

There may be an increased risk for 'at-risk people' due to their age and health.

You will need to show your vaccine certificate to do most things in your community.

### How you can stay safe in ORANGE

- Keep a record of where you go – written or QR code scanning everywhere
- Face coverings indoors – e.g. in shops and indoor spaces
- Face coverings on flights, public transport, public venues, in taxis and ubers – basically encouraged to wear them everywhere

### Where you can go in ORANGE

- Public facilities – pools, libraries, sports grounds will be open with limited numbers based on 1 meter distancing
- Retail – shopping – will be open with limited numbers based on 1 meter distancing
- Workplaces – going to work – your workplace will be open
- Education places - ECEs, schools, kura and universities, polytechnics, ESOL classes – will be open with public health measures in place. Hand sanitiser, face coverings, 1 meter spacing
- Specified outdoor community events – this will be concerts, big sports events, festivals, street fairs – they will continue with guidance about numbers of people and spacing
- No regional boundary restrictions – you can move around NZ as you wish

### 'Proof of vaccination' will be used by most places in ORANGE

**Places USING vaccination certificates:** there will be no limits for hospitality (cafes and restaurants), gatherings (weddings, funerals, tangihanga, places of worship, marae), events (indoor/outdoor), close contact businesses (for example, hairdressers) and gyms.

**This means you will need to show your vaccination certificate to go to these places and join these events.**

### Places NOT USING vaccination certificates:

**Restrictions:** Hospitality – contactless service; gatherings up to 50 people based on 1 meter distancing  
**Closed and unable to function:** events (indoor/outdoor), close contact businesses (for example, hairdressers) and gyms.

**This means you will NOT need to show your vaccination certificate at these TWO places.**

## RED – ACTION TO PROTECT PEOPLE AND HEALTH SYSTEM

The situation with increasing numbers is putting pressure on our health system.  
There is increased risk for ‘at-risk people’ due to their age and health.  
You will need to show your vaccine certificate to do most things.

### How you can stay safe in RED

- Keep a record of where you go – written or QR code scanning everywhere
- Face coverings indoors – e.g. in shops and indoor spaces
- Face coverings on flights, public transport, public venues, in taxis and ubers – basically you should wear them everywhere

### Where you can go in RED

- Public facilities – pools, libraries, sports grounds will be open with up to 100 people based on 1 meter distancing
- Retail – shopping – will be open with capacity limits based on 1 meter distancing
- Workplaces – working from home encouraged
- Education places - ECEs, schools, kura – will be open with public health measures in place. Hand sanitiser, face coverings, 1 meter spacing
- Specified outdoor community events – allowed with capacity limits
- Regional boundary restrictions may apply

### ‘Proof of vaccination’ will be used by most places in RED

#### Places USING vaccination certificates will have restrictions

**Open with 100 people, based on 1 meter physical distancing** - hospitality (cafes and restaurants), gatherings (weddings, funerals, tangihanga, places of worship, marae), events (indoor/outdoor), close contact businesses (for example, hairdressers) and gyms.

**Open with public health measures in place:** close contact businesses e.g. hairdressers

**Vaccines required for on-site delivery of classes:** Tertiary education, with capacity based on 1 meter distancing.

This means you will need to show your vaccination certificate to go to these places and join these events during RED

#### Places NOT USING vaccination certificates:

**Restrictions:** Hospitality – contactless service; gatherings up to 10 people based on 1 meter distancing; Tertiary education – distance learning only.

**Closed and unable to function:** events (indoor/outdoor), close contact businesses (for example, hairdressers) and gyms.

**This means you will NOT need to show your vaccination certificate at these TWO places during RED.**