COVID-19 ALERT LEVEL 2

Reduce

The disease is contained, but the risk of community transmission remains

Range of measures:

People can reconnect with friends and family, go shopping, or travel domestically, but should follow public health guidance.

Physical distancing of two metres from people you don't know when out in public is recommended.

Initially no more than 10 people at any gathering. This applies to funerals, tangihanga, weddings, religious ceremonies and gatherings in private homes.

Sport and recreation activities are allowed, subject to conditions on gatherings and contact tracing requirements.

Public venues (museums, libraries, etc.) can open but must comply with public health measures.

Health and disability care services operate as normally as possible.

Most businesses can open to the public, but must follow public health guidance including in relation to physical distancing and contact tracing. Alternative ways of working encouraged where possible (e.g. remote working, shift-based working, physical distancing, staggering meal breaks, flexible leave).

It is safe to send your children to schools, early learning services and tertiary education.

People at higher-risk of severe illness from COVID-19 are encouraged to take additional precautions when leaving home.

