

Measures required to be implemented by employers and principals during the control period (2 April 2020 – 30 April 2020)

Regulations 4, 5 and 8, Infectious Diseases (Workplace Measures to Prevent Spread of Covid-19) Regulations 2020

Note: All the measures listed below must be communicated by an employer/principal, as far as reasonably practicable, to their workers. Those measures highlighted in green must also be communicated to other individuals (non-workers) only.

Implement telecommuting	• Provide facilities necessary for every worker to work at home and direct every worker to work at home, unless it is not reasonably practicable to do so
Implement or enhance shift or split team arrangements	•As far as reasonably practicable, workers are placed in 2 or more groups for the purpose of avoiding or minimising physical interaction between workers in different groups when at work in the workplace.
Stagger working hours	•As far as reasonably practicable, workers who are to work in the workplace do not all arrive at and leave the workplace at the same time.
Reporting of worker who exhibits symptoms or is physically unwell	•Require any worker to report, immediately upon the onset of the symptom or feeling physically unwell, to the employer or principal, either directly or indirectly
Safe distancing	 Takes reasonable steps to ensure that there is a distance of at least 1 metre between any 2 individuals in the workplace, including: Seating (including workstations and meeting rooms): not fixed to floor/wall/any other thing: ensure that each seat is at least 1 metre away from any other seat at all times any other case: ensure that alternate seats are demarcated as seats not to be occupied Form queue or remain in an area (including pantry, waiting area/room, area with changing or sanitary facilities): apply practices that ensure that every individual in the queue or area is at least 1 metre away from any other individual in the queue/area Individuals (other than workers) entering the workplace (e.g. to deliver or receive goods/services): ensure that they do not arrive at the workplace at the same time and do not remain in the workplace longer than necessary
Defer or cancel all organised activities	 Cancel/postpone all organised activities that involve interaction in person between workers or between workers and other individuals except: activities critical to operations activities during which workers are provided professional or vocational training or are tested or certified for any professional or vocational purposes activities during which workers are provided education by an educational institution
Movement control measures	 Must not require/permit a worker who is subject to a movement control measure to enter the workplace