



COVID-19 mandatory third vaccination notice to all Territory Generation contractors, agents and visitors

On 13 March 2022, the Northern Territory Chief Health Officer issued COVID-19 Direction (No. 52) 2022 ('Direction') under the *Public and Environmental Health Act 2011 (NT)*. The Direction requires that by 22 April 2022, workers in certain industries must not attend the workplace unless they have received the third approved COVID-19 vaccine or provide evidence of one of the exemptions under the Direction.

The Direction of the Chief Health Officer applies to all Territory Generation sites. In addition to our employees, this also means any contractors, agents and visitors (including delivery drivers) (all hereafter referred to as a 'worker' or 'workers').

Impacts

From 22 April 2022: Territory Generation reserves the absolute right and discretion to revoke worker site access if their COVID-19 vaccination status (or exemption evidence) has not been adequately verified. In doing so, Territory Generation is not responsible for any costs, damages, delays or contract consequences.

Unless medical evidence of contraindication to all COVID-19 vaccines or evidence of any of the exemptions under the Direction are provided, Territory Generation is not permitted to allow unvaccinated workers to access or operate on its sites. Under the *Public and Environmental Health Act 2011 (NT)*, persons who contravene the Direction may be punished with heavy penalties.

COVID-19 vaccination status or contraindication evidence

Evidence of approved vaccination status can include:

- A completed vaccination appointment slip, a medical certificate or an Australian immunisation history statement of the vaccination showing a third dose or the date of the approved second dose.
- A certificate issued by the Commonwealth certifying the person's contraindication to every approved COVID-19 vaccine.
- A copy of the notice requiring the person to isolate or quarantine.
- A copy of a positive polymerase chain reaction (PCR) test result or a copy of an online declaration of a positive rapid antigen test (RAT) result.

Process to access Territory Generation sites

From 22 April 2022, any worker attending a Territory Generation site must provide evidence of their vaccination or contraindication status to an authorised Territory Generation staff member. If you choose to provide evidence by email (to contracts.tgen@territorygeneration.com.au), vaccination status will be recorded, and the email deleted. You are welcome to provide evidence ahead of time to ensure access is not disrupted.

Your information

Territory Generation follows the requirements of the *Information Act 2002 (NT)* and the *Privacy Act 1998 (Cth)*. As required by the CHO Direction, Territory Generation will keep a register of COVID-19 vaccination status, accessible only by authorised personnel. The COVID-19 vaccination status information you provide

will only be used for discharging Territory Generation's duties under the CHO Direction. Territory Generation's system automatically archives all emails, including deleted emails. Archives may be stored indefinitely but are accessible only with high-level security clearance.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation and support in managing the serious implications of COVID-19 and your contribution to keeping us all safe. Please contact contracts.tgen@territorygeneration.com.au or 08 7969 5321 with any questions.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Gerhard Laubscher', enclosed in a light blue rectangular border.

Gerhard Laubscher
Chief Executive Officer
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