



**MESSAGE TO KARTING VICTORIA AND CLUBS**  
**21 October 2021**

Good Morning,

The Victorian Government has released an update to the Public Health Order overnight.

Please see below for what these changes means for karting in Victoria.

**Metropolitan Melbourne**

- Open for all ages for training purposes only. **All attendees aged 16 years or over are required to be fully vaccinated, or an excepted person (see Page 2 for the definition and requirements), to attend the facility.**
- The activity does not involve a participant who ordinarily resides outside of the Restricted Area.
- Limited to minimum number of people required to participate in and facilitate the activity (i.e. Drivers, Coaches, Officials).
- **Spectators are NOT permitted.**
- Masks will continue to be required to be worn by ALL attendees everywhere indoors and outdoors (except private residences), unless an exemption applies or the person is engaging in a karting activity and has their helmet on.
- COVID-19 Check-In Officers as per Victorian Government requirements.

**Regional Victoria**

- Open for all ages for training purposes only. **All attendees aged 16 years or over are required to be fully vaccinated, or an excepted person (see Page 2 for the definition and requirements), to attend the facility.**
- The activity does not involve a participant who ordinarily resides in Metropolitan Melbourne.
- Limited to minimum number of people required to participate in and facilitate the activity (i.e. Drivers, Coaches, Officials).
- **Spectators are permitted provided the density quotient of 1 per 4 sqm is not exceeded.**
- Masks will continue to be required to be worn by ALL attendees everywhere indoors and outdoors (except private residences), unless an exemption applies or the person is engaging in a karting activity and has their helmet on.
- COVID-19 Check-In Officers as per Victorian Government requirements.

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**It is important to note that all of the information above is subject to change and based on the latest information provided from the respective governments.**

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**Best Regards and Stay Safe**

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## Vaccination status

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- (1) A person's **vaccination status** is one of the following:
  - (a) **fully vaccinated**; or
  - (b) **excepted person**.
- (2) A person is **fully vaccinated** if the person has received two doses of a **COVID-19 vaccine**.
- (3) A person is an **excepted person** if:
  - (a) the person holds certification from a **medical practitioner** that the person is unable to receive a dose, or a further dose, of a **COVID-19 vaccine** due to a **medical contraindication**; or
  - (b) the person holds certification from a medical practitioner that the person is unable to receive a dose, or a further dose, of a COVID-19 vaccine due to an acute medical illness (including where the person has been diagnosed with SARS-CoV-2); or
  - (c) the person is under 16 years of age.
- (4) A certification for the purpose of subclause (3)(b) is effective until the earlier of:
  - (a) the date specified by the medical practitioner; or
  - (b) the date 6 months from the date the certification was given by the medical practitioner.