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Our Residents and Representatives The Salvation Army Aged Care

## **RE: NEW DIRECTIVE FOR QUEENSLAND**

Dear All,

We are writing to advise you of Queensland Aged Care Direction (No. 25) which has come into effect from 5pm 29 March 2021 which can be reviewed here:

https://www.qld.gov.au/health/conditions/health-alerts/coronavirus-covid-19/currentstatus/public-health-directions/aged-care

Therefore, the following is now in place:

- Visitors are restricted to residential aged care facilities within the State of Queensland unless providing end of life support.
- Anyone entering a facility must wear a single use surgical face mask.

Given this new directive, we have reviewed our Risk Assessment Matrix and all of our Centres within Queensland will be at Risk Level 5 until otherwise advised.

Please be aware, if you develop flu-like symptoms, you should stay at home if you are a permitted visitor or notify the Centre Manager if you are a resident. As always, if you have any questions, please get in touch with your Centre Manager.

Kind regards,

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