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Q&A on Support for Businesses

Today's National Cabinet meeting clarified how some further restrictions will be eased and signed off on a new National Mental Health Response Plan.

Here are answers to some commonly asked questions:

What are the details of the plan to ease restrictions in Queensland?

Each state and territory is adapting a three-stage plan and the Queensland Government's plan is [here](#).

What requirements are in place for businesses to be COVID-safe?

All businesses should follow the work health and safety guidelines which are available [here](#).
For all cafes, restaurants and beauty therapists that are re-opening, please complete this mandatory COVID-safe checklist available [here](#).

Will my staff be required to complete mandatory COVID-safe training?

All workers in restaurants, cafes, pubs, registered and licensed clubs, RSL clubs and hotels in Qld will be required to complete a 30 minute online course available through TAFE Queensland. This training will be mandatory and must be completed within two weeks of a business opening/reopening. Register [here](#).

What's the new mental health plan about?

It's a plan to address risks of mental health caused by COVID-19 - e.g. anxiety due to business pressure or job loss - and a Federal Government commitment of \$48.1 million. More information will be released soon. Meanwhile, if you need support contact Beyond Blue 1300 224636 or Lifeline 13 11 14.

QUICK BUSINESS SURVEY

As restrictions are eased and we get back to work, it's important for me to understand the challenges faced by local businesses so the Federal Government can remain responsive.

To assist, please complete a short online survey.

Only 2 minutes to complete - click [here](#).

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