



**Tanunda**  
Lutheran Home Inc.

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COVID-19 Update**

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Dear Residents, Family Members, Employees, Volunteers, and Representatives,

I write to advise you there has been an alarming increase in the number of COVID cases in the Barossa Valley community. However, we are pleased to inform you we are currently clear of cases at Tanunda Lutheran Home.

Commencing today, the 22<sup>nd</sup> of January 2024, Tanunda Lutheran Home has reviewed our current situation and agrees to deactivate the wearing of masks.

Please see the directives from the CEO:

- Maintain the 1.5m distance that is required, up to *3 people* can visit at any one time. This is within the requirements of the 1.5m safety distance allowed within the resident's room (*4 including the resident*).
- To maintain the health and safety of residents, all visitors are *required* to undertake a RAT prior to entry and provide proof of negative result or undergo a RAT test on arrival to TLH. The RAT test must be a negative result on the same day of the visit.
- Please note appointments must be booked via [tlhome.zipline.app](https://tlhome.zipline.app) or call reception on 8563 7777 during business hours.
- Visits are to continue in the residents' rooms only (communal areas not permitted).
- Daily Rapid Antigen Test (RAT) testing is mandatory for all staff.
- Follow TLH directive changes in line with the Chief Public Health Officer's exemptions and be aware the wearing of masks will be required if there are any resident positive cases are onsite.

Please remember if you are generally feeling unwell, for the safety of our residents we strongly recommend that you reschedule your visit and stay home.

Please be assured that you are in the best of care here and that we are doing everything possible to keep you safe.

Yours sincerely,

**Lee Martin, CEO & DOC**

