



## BEHAVIOURAL AGREEMENT FOR STUDENTS UNDERTAKING QUARANTINE

As you are travelling from a declared COVID-19 hot spot you will be required to undertake quarantine for a period of 14 days in student accommodation.

At present, there is no local transmission of COVID-19 in the Australian Capital Territory (ACT). As a result, the ACT Government, The Australian National University (ANU) have a responsibility to the local community to ensure that the quarantine you are about to undertake is compliant with all relevant public health requirements.

Each individual has personal responsibility to ensure they follow relevant directions from ACT Health and the University. The purpose of the Behavioural Guidelines, which must be signed all students, is to outline the expectations on you in abiding by the public health and behavioural measures put in place.

By signing this document you acknowledge that you understand the expectations and agree to comply with these guidelines.

### During Quarantine

#### *You must*

- Remain in your designated quarantine facility at all times unless directed otherwise by ACT Health or an ANU staff member (for example if external health care is required).
- Undergoing formal testing for COVID-19 as considered reasonable and necessary by staff and/or required by Government
- Report any COVID-19 like symptoms and immediately isolate in your room
- Behave in a COVID-safe manner at all times, including:
  - performing regular hand-hygiene, including prior to entering any shared spaces and after leaving shared spaces
  - remaining 1.5 metres from others at all times
  - wearing a mask when leaving your room (unless you are eating)
  - do not allow any other student into your room
  - do not bring or consume alcohol into quarantine
- Follow the directions of ACT Health and the ANU at all times.

### Failure to Comply

If a resident fails to comply with this Agreement and the *Residential Protocols at ANU campuses: Home-based quarantine in Student Accommodation*, the Residence will view this as a breach of:

- Section 3 (g) of the Occupancy Agreement where residents are required “to comply with lawful notices and reasonable directions from the University”
- Section 3.1 (a) - requires occupants to not “intentionally cause injury or harm to another person”

- “the Rules of the Australian National University” as per section 3.3 (b).

Failure to comply with these obligations and protocols will result in termination of the resident’s agreement as per Section 3.2 of the Occupancy Agreement.

Disciplinary matters can also be escalated to the Office of Student Conduct (OSC) who will institute disciplinary actions in accordance with ANU established procedures for students for non-compliance as outlined at:

[https://www.legislation.gov.au/Details/F2018L00319/Html/Text#\\_Toc508885910](https://www.legislation.gov.au/Details/F2018L00319/Html/Text#_Toc508885910)

Due to the seriousness of breaching quarantine and general COVID-19 protocols, any breach by a resident will be deemed misconduct. It is misconduct if a student engages in conduct that:

*is dishonest, unethical, or otherwise demonstrates a lack of integrity or a lack of respect for the safety or wellbeing of other members of the University community; or intentionally, recklessly or negligently causes risk or danger to the health or safety of another member of the University community.*

If, in a case to which section 12(1) (powers of, and action by, Vice-Chancellor) applies, the Vice-Chancellor is satisfied that the respondent is likely to have engaged in conduct that is misconduct, the Vice-Chancellor may, before an inquiry is held into the conduct:

*deny the respondent access to all or any University facilities, to all University premises, any University premises or any part of University premises, or to all or any activities conducted by or on behalf of the University, for a specified period or until the inquiry has been completed and its finding dealt with under this instrument, whichever happens first.*

## Acknowledgement

By signing below you agree to the terms in this agreement

**Signed:**

**Date:**

**Name:**

**Student number:**