

Covid-safe Conditions

All¹ NLC-issued permits have Covid-safe conditions to minimise the risk of exposure to Covid-19.

You agree that:

- 1 You will take reasonable steps to minimise the extent to which anyone else in the area is exposed to you.
- 2 You must at all times comply with any relevant directions from the Chief Health Officer and SecureNT.
- 3 If you begin to present symptoms consistent with the coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) (i.e. sore throat, headaches and fever), or come into contact with a person who has, or is suspected to have, COVID - 19:
 - i) You must immediately notify the relevant Permit Officer at the Northern Land Council by emailing permits@nlc.org.au;
 - ii) The permit is immediately revoked and you must not travel to or remain on Aboriginal land;
 - iii) If you are already on Aboriginal Land, you must immediately notify the Department of Health - Pandemic Clinic on 8922 8044 and take all necessary and reasonable steps to leave Aboriginal land with minimal interaction with any other persons, and keep a record of all persons you have interacted with and places you visited; and
 - iv) You must not approach any local remote community health care centre without first contacting the centre via telephone and speaking to a health professional.
- 4 If you travel overseas or outside of the Northern Territory, your permit is immediately revoked and you must notify the relevant Permit Officer at the Northern Land Council.
- 5 When travelling on Aboriginal land, you must:
 - i) travel to their destination using the most direct and efficient route; and
 - ii) not make any additional or unnecessary stops.
- 6 When on Aboriginal land, you must:
 - i) Carry a mask and wear it when you cannot maintain a distance of 1.5 metres from a community member;
 - ii) Wipe down any community areas that you touch with an appropriate disinfectant; and
 - iii) At all times carry hand sanitiser and regularly use it.
- 7 If you are staying overnight on Aboriginal Land, you must, except in cases of emergencies, remain at your accommodation or campsite outside working and meal times:
 - i) If staying in accommodation, at all times confine yourself to your room or accommodation, except when undertaking the works or at meal times; and
 - ii) If camping, ensure that your campsite is outside of town and not allow community members to enter the campsite, and remove all rubbish, waste, camping equipment and any other objects when you leave the camp site.
- 8 You are prohibited from entering any building or structure on Aboriginal land, with the

¹ All Permits other than Blue Mud Bay. The Blue Mud Bay has a set of Access Conditions as outlined in Appendix 2, with simpler Covid-safe conditions.

following exceptions:

- i) The works require a permit holder to be in a building or structure;
- ii) In the case of an emergency;
- iii) If the building or structure is your accommodation; or
- iv) If the building or structure is a place where fuel or food may be purchased.