# **COVID-19** fact sheet



# Best practice health and safety measures

Monday 20 April 2020

# In-store

## **Hygiene & Social Distancing**

- Increased hygiene standards including the provision of hand sanitiser for customers as they enter the store and increased in-store cleaning of customer touch points (e.g. trollies, baskets, point of sale terminals).
- Removed "scribble pads" from pen stands to reduce customer touch points
- Provided signage regarding a safety preference for cash only sales and reducing cash transactions to one point of sale register only – for some small business and older customers who still use cash to make purchases.
- Implemented new signage in-store to remind customers of the need to maintain physical space, treat team members with respect and shop online if they are unwell.
- o Introduced physical distancing markers to provide customers practical advice on where to stand.
- o Restricted the number of customers in store at any one time.
- Instore radio and electronic screens reinforce social distancing requirements

# Team Training & Support

- Briefed our in-store customer greeter to engage in a conversation with customers and highlight the importance of maintaining social distancing instore
- o Provided team with gloves, hand sanitiser and cleaning products (with face masks on order).
- Trained team on how to assist customers while maintaining social distancing.

#### Store Layouts & Barriers

- Altered store lay outs and aisles and disabled photo kiosks in Print, Copy & Create departments to ensure team and customers can maintain appropriate social distancing.
- Installed Perspex screens to provide another barrier of separation between customers and team members.

## Deliveries

 Amended Click & Collect pickups and home deliveries so there is no longer a requirement for the customer to sign for the goods.

# Other locations

#### **Distribution Centres**

- On-site medical professionals conducting temperature checks of all team members entering distribution centres.
- Staggered break times to minimise mass gatherings.
- Restricting the number of team members who can gather in any break-out space
- o Increased cleaning and sanitising.

## Support Team and Call Centre

 Established work from home arrangements for all team.

All team members have access to a 24/7 medical hotline to assist with any queries they may have around COVID-19.

At Officeworks we are committed to helping Australians stay home and safe in these critical times.