

# COVID-19 Vaccination Update

## COVID-19 ADVICE FOR THE NIET GROUP COMMUNITY

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As part of the NIET's Group commitment to our community's health and safety we are continually monitoring the COVID-19 situation closely and following all the relevant advice from government agencies and global organisations.

## FURTHER ADVICE

From April 2022, international students can travel to Australia without seeking a travel exemption.

Students arriving in Queensland are not required to quarantine.

- Travellers should consider, any relevant [government restrictions, border pass and COVID-19 testing requirements](#).
- For the latest information on travel advice, restrictions and COVID-19 hotspots, check the [Department of Home Affairs](#), [Department of Health](#) and [Queensland Health](#).

### Student Returning to Brisbane/Australia

Fully vaccinated travellers including students can travel to and from Australia without needing to apply for a travel exemption.

Under these arrangements, all travellers must meet all the following criteria:

- Hold a valid visa for one of the [eligible visa subclasses](#)
- Take a TGA approved rapid antigen test within 24 hours of arrival in Queensland.

Travellers to Queensland should also review [current advice](#) by the Queensland Government

### Student Support

The Australian Government has extended the [Coronavirus supplement to students](#) on [Youth Allowance for Students](#), [Austudy](#) and [ABSTUDY](#).

### Health Advice

The NIET Group is continually monitoring the advice of the chief medical officer, department of Health, Queensland Health and the World health Organisation, we will continue to update staff and students and our broader community as new information becomes available.

If you feel unwell or have flu-like symptoms, stay at home. Contact your GP or phone 13 HEALTH (13 43 25 84) and follow all medical advice. Ensure you call ahead if visiting a doctor or clinic.