

Advice following your visit to a patient with suspected or confirmed COVID



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Thank you for visiting Western Health and complying with our procedures to keep you, our patients and our staff safe.

We recommend that you follow the instructions below to reduce the risk of spreading COVID-19 after your visit to the hospital.

1. Check out with the security staff when leaving the hospital
2. Please go straight home after visiting the hospital and do not visit any homes or shops on the way.
3. Wash your clothes in hot water and laundry detergent. If machine washing is not possible, soak your clothes in hot water and detergent. Avoid splashing by wearing rubber gloves and using a stick to stir.
4. Wash your hands, wrists and forearms with soap and water after handling your clothes.
5. Try to dry your clothes in a clothes dryer or hang them out to dry in full sunlight.
6. If you start feeling unwell with cold or flu-like symptoms, please get tested for COVID-19 at your local testing centre.

The Australian Charter of Healthcare Rights describes the rights of all people who use the Australian healthcare system. Copies of the charter in community languages are available near the main entrance of all Western Health hospitals, or ask a staff member or volunteer.

For more information, visit www.safetyandquality.gov.au/australian-charter-healthcare-rights



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