



## Disclosure Statement

Lutheran Services is proud to be a provider of essential services in residential aged and community care. These services are primarily carried out in group residential settings.

Public health authorities provide advice that during the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic, group residential workplaces may be at higher risk than other workplaces of an outbreak of the COVID-19 virus.

Current evidence also considers that the following people are, or are likely to be, at a higher risk of serious illness if they are infected with the virus:

- People 70 years and older;
- People 65 years and older with chronic medical conditions;
- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people 50 years and older with one or more chronic medical conditions;
- People with compromised immune systems

Lutheran Services have an obligation under Work Health and Safety laws to maintain safety for all employees. In accordance with this obligation, you will be asked to disclose if you identify with one of the “vulnerable groups” as listed above.

This information will be used solely under the guidelines of health and safety and for the purpose to assess and reasonably manage potential risks in the current circumstances of coronavirus novel coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic.