



New South Wales

# **Public Health (COVID-19 Temporary Movement and Gathering Restrictions) Amendment (No 3) Order 2021**

under the

Public Health Act 2010

I, the Minister for Health and Medical Research, make the following Order under section 7 of the *Public Health Act 2010*.

Dated 8 July 2021.

BRAD HAZZARD, MP  
Minister for Health and Medical Research

## **Explanatory note**

The object of this Order is to place additional restrictions on the number of visitors to places of residence in Greater Sydney.

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### **1 Name of Order**

This Order is the *Public Health (COVID-19 Temporary Movement and Gathering Restrictions) Amendment (No 3) Order 2021*.

### **2 Commencement**

This Order commences at 5pm on 8 July 2021.

## **Schedule 1      Amendment of Public Health (COVID-19 Temporary Movement and Gathering Restrictions) Order 2021**

### **Part 4, Division 2A**

Insert after Part 4, Division 2—

### **Division 2A      Residential premises**

#### **22A      Directions of Minister about visitors to places of residence**

- (1) The Minister directs that each adult member of a household must not allow a visitor to be at the place of residence of the household in Greater Sydney unless the visitor is authorised by this clause.
- (2) The Minister directs that a person must not visit a place of residence in Greater Sydney unless the person is authorised by this clause.
- (3) For the purposes of this clause, a person is not visiting, or a visitor to, a place of residence if the person is a member of the household of the place of residence.
- (4) A person is authorised to visit a place of residence in Greater Sydney for any of the following purposes—
  - (a) to engage in work,
  - (b) for childcare,
  - (c) to give effect to new or existing arrangements for spending time with, and providing contact between, parents and children under the age of 18 or between siblings,
  - (d) to assist a person moving to or from the place of residence,
  - (e) to avoid an injury or illness or to escape a risk of harm,
  - (f) because of an emergency,
  - (g) to view or inspect real property for sale or lease or participate in an auction of real property.
- (5) A person is authorised to visit a place of residence in Greater Sydney for the following purposes, but no more than 1 visitor may be at the place of residence for the purposes at any one time—
  - (a) to fulfil carers' responsibilities,
  - (b) to provide care or assistance, including personal care, to a vulnerable person,
  - (c) for compassionate reasons, including where 2 persons are in a relationship but do not necessarily live together.
- (6) A dependant of a person referred to in subclause (5) is authorised to accompany the person on the visit to the place of residence if—
  - (a) the dependant is a child who needs to be supervised by an adult, and
  - (b) alternative childcare arrangements are not reasonably available.