

# **UWU SAFETY STANDARDS - CHECKLIST** **FOR POSITIVE COVID CASES**

## **WHAT SHOULD A COMPANY DO IF THERE IS A POSITIVE COVID-19 CASE AT WORK?**

1. Company to inform UWU delegates, HSRs and UWU organiser/office asap of a positive COVID-19 case.
2. Immediately inform all workers across all shifts (permanent, casual and contractors/labour-hire) of the positive case, including alerting all close contacts.
3. Immediately contact the Health Department and the Health and Safety regulator to inform them of the positive case and discuss cleaning and testing..
4. Any areas of the sites where an infected worker or workers have been to be deep cleaning to the Safework Australia standard.
5. All close contacts to be stood down on pay until they receive the results of a COVID test.
6. Any workers with positive tests will isolate on paid leave (if no pay then UWU to help workers file workers comp claim to push for workplace COVID-19 transmission pay).
7. On return to work - paid workplace safety rights & hygiene training for all workers involving UWU HSRs and delegates.
8. Joint UWU-employer audit of all sub-contracting and labour-hire arrangements at the site (including contract security and cleaning).

