

SomarMed COVID-19 Services

In this current uncertainty many of our clients require additional support in responding to COVID-19 and SomarMed is available to provide you with the additional supports you may require.

We have a number of services on offer to support our clients and their employees to deal with COVID-19 and reduce the risk of the virus spreading.

1. Advise and Develop Policy and Procedures
2. Provide Guidance to Protect your Business, Employees and Employee Families
3. Support for complex difficult and unique situations
4. Advising on health related issues that may Impact the Supply Chain
5. Providing regular updates through the news feature on our website where all the information is critically appraised

For any of the above services either fill in our queries form

Or send an email to shane@somarmed.com and Dr Farrelly will contact you.

If an urgent query phone Dr Farrelly on +353872550756 - 24/7

6. COVID-19 Concern

Where an employer is concerned about a particular employee or situation, for example employees with an underlying medical condition; weakened immune system, on medication or an employee who may have had contact with a confirmed case. We will assess the risk and provide suitable advice to the employer and the employee.

Please download the referral form from our website and e-mail the completed form, password protected, to shane@somarmed.com

7. COVID-19 Case Management - Isolation Monitoring

If an employee has been advised to self-isolate, then a call from our occupational health physicians can be set up on day 1 and day 14 of the isolation period. The Day 1 call will include advice on self-isolation; symptom identification and answer any concerns the employee may have. The Day 14 call will assess if employee is fit to return to work or indeed if it is necessary to extend the period of isolation. Following each consultation, a report will be issued to the employer.

Download the employee referral form from our website, complete the COVID-19 Section on the referral form and e-mailed to shane@somarmed.com password protected

- The referrer is provided with an appointment time and the call is scheduled via secure video link bluejeans(www.bluejeans.com) A code will be emailed to the referrer

8. Remote Consultations

If an employee is in self-isolation or has a concern about visiting a clinic while the outbreak is ongoing, we can conduct a remote assessment via Blue Jeans

This includes the normal occupational health review unrelated to COVID-19

- You should complete the employer referral form as normal and send an email to shane@somarmed.com requesting a remote consultation.
- We will respond to your email with an appointment time and Blue Jeans code

9. COVID-19 Monitoring -

If an employer has concerns about an employee with a respiratory illness, forward the referral form as above to shane@somarmed.com completing the COVID-19 section, which is then reviewed by an occupational health physician.

This can result in one of the following outcomes;

1. employee confirmed fit to stay in work;
2. Employee contacted by a physician and risk assessed over the phone and appropriate recommendations made.

3. A report is provided to HR providing the outcome and guidance

Further information about any of the above services can be directed to shane@somarmed.com

[Or complete the contact form on our website and we will revert the same day if request before close of business and if outside business hours on the following business day](#)