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- **National Cabinet Update**
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NATIONAL CABINET UPDATE

On 30 September 2022, the National Cabinet [announced](#) that **all First Ministers agreed to end mandatory isolation requirements for COVID-19 effective 14 October**, with each jurisdiction implementing the change via relevant public health legislation.

The mandatory isolation period for COVID-19 cases will remain for those working in **health or aged care settings**.

National Cabinet agreed to end the [Pandemic Leave Disaster Payment](#) effective the same date.

NATIONAL GOVERNMENT TO INCREASE ARTS ACCESS TO REGIONAL AND REMOTE COMMUNITIES

The Federal Government [announced](#) that it will increase arts access to regional and remote Australian communities, **with eight performing arts tours to share in over \$1.9 million under the latest round of the Australia Council's Playing Australia program.**

The latest projects spanning music, theatre, dance and slam poetry will reach over 117 locations nationally, enabling diverse audiences to experience world class theatre in their own community.

LPA would like to congratulate our 40 Members that have been awarded a Playing Australia grant. The list of recipients can be accessed [here](#).

More information about Playing Australia is available [here](#).

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