

## **COVID-19 SAFE POLICY**

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Dance Health Alliance is a proudly registered COVID Safe organisation. We are committed to keeping our classes, training and workshops safe for staff, clients and the wider community through implementing the measures below;

- Any staff members or clients who are unwell or showing symptoms of illness are not permitted to participate in classes, training or workshops.
- Our staff have been advised of the requirements to facilitate a COVID Safe class including hygiene and physical distancing.
- DHA has an NSW Government QR Code which is compulsory for all clients who have a device/are able to check-in. In the event this is not possible, DHA will check clients in by adding their contact details to the Service NSW check-in form.
- Face masks are compulsory for staff teaching classes in aged care facilities. They may not be compulsory in community centres please refer to government guidelines and always check the requirements of the centre in which you are working. DHA encourages the use of masks where practical for staff and clients.
- DHA adheres to any restrictions placed on facilities in which our classes are held including the number of people permitted at one time and the floor space required. If a facility does not have any restrictions, we ensure classes remain a suitable size.
- Equipment such as communal chairs are wiped down before and after classes, and hand sanitiser is available to staff and clients.
- Where more than one staff member is present, we endeavour for staff to maintain 1.5 metres of physical distancing at all times.
- We offer cashless payments where possible, to lessen the amount of contact between staff, clients and cash.
- Disinfectant and surface wipes have been provided to all staff facilitating classes.
- Staff also endeavour to clean frequently touched areas and surfaces.
- Names and mobile numbers or email addresses for all staff and clients are collected and held for a period of at least 28 days. Records are only to be used for tracing COVID-19 infections and will be stored securely and confidentially. \*Please refer to our Privacy Policy for more information on this.
- If there is a positive case reported to DHA, NSW Health will be contacted and SafeWork NSW notified on 13 10 50.