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COVID NEWS: Updated Process to Enter the APY Lands for Essential Workers

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As previously advised, as a result of the dangerous Parafield COVID cluster, the APY Executive Board of Management resolved to close its borders for three weeks from midnight on Tuesday, November 17.

Access to the APY Lands from outside services and visitors will be restricted to approved Essential Services only.

Applications will be managed through the APY Permits office – permits@anangu.com.au - phone 8954 8111.

You will be required to provide the following documentation:

- Permit / Notification.
- Health Status Assessment 72 hours prior to intended entry.
- Current Risk Assessment.
- National police check or Working with Children's Check is acceptable.

APY will not accept entry from anyone from a known COVID Hotspot.

For further details and links to the forms:

<https://www.anangu.com.au/en/apy-programs/permits>

As of late today, the Parafield coronavirus cluster in Adelaide had reached 20 confirmed COVID-19 cases, with a further 14 suspected. There are around 4000 people in quarantine.

Five schools in Adelaide are closed and South Australia is facing a raft of new coronavirus bans and border restrictions, including the APY Lands.

For information on the Permits process visit: <https://www.anangu.com.au/en/apy-programs/permits>

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