



## FALKLAND ISLANDS GOVERNMENT

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#### **Guidance for Cinemas – 4 June 2020**

The Falkland Islands Government on 3 June 2020, announced it was appropriate to ease some restrictions put in place in late March in response to the global COVID-19 pandemic. For cinemas, this easing of restrictions will take effect Friday 19 June.

The Falkland Islands Government would like to reinforce the advice that although most activities are now resuming, it is extremely important to keep observing public health measures around COVID-19.

- continue to clean and disinfect surfaces regularly, particularly those that are high contact
- continue to maintain good hygiene, particularly hand hygiene and good cough/sneeze etiquette

This will help to significantly reduce the rate at which COVID-19 will spread if it appears in the community at a later date.

All businesses are encouraged to keep records to enable contact tracing and manage their numbers to enable social distancing.

It is asked that the cinema share its plan for re-opening with the Public Health Unit for review by the Strategic Pandemic Management Group. The re-opening plan should be used in conjunction with the general Guidance for the Workplace released on 7 May 2020 and the specific guidance points for your sector.

#### **Cinemas**

Your plan should address the following:

- How bookings can be managed to enable social distancing

- How to avoid overcrowding on entry and exit
- How to reduce numbers to allow for at least 1 metre spacing between individuals and/or households
- How to keep records to enable contact tracing

These recommendations are for guidance and may change as the situation develops.

### **Useful Contacts**

For medical enquires KEMH Telephone 28000

For latest updates and guidance visit [www.fig.gov.fk/covid-19](http://www.fig.gov.fk/covid-19)

If you still require advice after consulting the website, please contact Falkland Islands Public Health Unit by emailing Carol Morrison ( [cmorrison@sec.gov.fk](mailto:cmorrison@sec.gov.fk) ) with your enquiry.