



## Regulation section

As we've looked at what Regulation goes with Standard 5.2's Elements, let's look at a recent [Statement by the Australian Health Protection Principal Committee](#).

The Committee recommends staff, parents and children have a 'flu vaccination by 1 May 2020, and that services restrict entry if this has not occurred.

Immunisation requirements for early childhood education and care services are in State/Territory based legislation. This requirement is not included in that legislation and is therefore not a compulsory requirement.

Your Immunisation and Disease Prevention Policy outlines the requirements for your State/Territory. Note it currently recommends staff get an annual 'flu vaccine. We also suggest you recommend this to families.

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## 4.2.2 Professional standards

Professional standards guide practice, interactions and relationships.

### Fair Work

This week we're providing a link to a Fact Sheet from Business Australia. The Sheet explains changes to the Fair Work Act for employers and employees on the JobKeeper Wage Subsidy.

<https://www.businessaustralia.com/how-we-help/be-a-better-employer/getting-legal-advice/employer-guide-to-coronavirus/changes-to-the-fair-work-act-for-jobkeeper-wage-subsidy>

This fact Sheet includes information about the new Jobkeeper stand down direction.

The legislation underpinning these changes has passed both Houses of Parliament and as we write this is awaiting the Governor-General's approval.

The Government has also issued two new Fact Sheets today.

1. [Early Childhood Education and Care Relief package – Exceptional Circumstance Supplementary Fund](#)

This Fact Sheet explains when you may be able to apply for more than 50% of the CCS hourly rate cap.

2. [Early Childhood Education and Care Relief package Conditions](#)

This Fact Sheet covers the Conditions for the new payments and some example calculations.

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