

Re-opening physical libraries during COVID-19

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1. When do you expect your libraries to be FULLY re-opened? *

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- Libraries were never fully closed
- Libraries were fully re-opened in the last few weeks
- By end of May
- By end of June
- By end of August
- After September
- Whenever it is safe to do so
- Not sure

2. What do you see as the major challenges to re-opening successfully? *

Check all that apply.

- Concern about safety of staff and students
- Employees not willing to return to work yet
- Lack of personal protective equipment
- State and Federal government requirements

Other: _____

3. What measures are being carried out to operate safely when open? *

Check all that apply.

Rearranging floor plans

Disinfecting surfaces

Providing hand washing facilities or hand sanitiser at entry and exit points

Installing protective screens at service desks

Adjusting staff locations (e.g. work from home or adding another workspace)

Taking temperatures of staff and/or students

Providing protective equipment such as face shields, face masks, rubber gloves

Other: _____

4. Is your institution offering flexibility to staff about when they need to return to the workplace? *

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Yes

No

It depends

Other: _____

5. Is there anything about managing staff arrangements that would be useful to share with other members? *

6. Over the next 3-6 months, which of the following do you expect to be your greatest priorities *

Check all that apply.

- Redesigning physical library spaces to accommodate social distancing
- Increased purchasing of access to digital content
- Redesigning digital library services (online interfaces/resources for remote support)
- Advocacy within your institution regarding the changing and potential role of the library

Other: _____

7. Do you have any other approaches or plans that you would like to share that might be helpful for other members?

8. Institution *

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- Australian Catholic University
- Australian National University
- Bond University
- Central Queensland University
- Charles Darwin University
- Charles Sturt University
- Curtin University
- Deakin University
- Edith Cowan University
- Federation University Australia
- Flinders University

- Griffith University
- James Cook University
- La Trobe University
- Macquarie University
- Monash University
- Murdoch University
- Queensland University of Technology
- RMIT University
- Southern Cross University
- Swinburne University of Technology
- University of Adelaide
- University of Canberra
- University of Melbourne
- University of New England

- University of Newcastle
- University of Notre Dame Australia
- University of Queensland
- University of South Australia
- University of Southern Queensland
- University of Sydney
- University of Tasmania
- University of Technology, Sydney
- University of the Sunshine Coast
- University of Western Australia
- University of Wollongong
- UNSW Sydney
- Victoria University
- Western Sydney University

- Auckland University of Technology
- Lincoln University
- Massey University
- University of Auckland
- University of Canterbury
- University of Otago
- University of Waikato
- Victoria University of Wellington

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