Hi,

Epidemiology

- Globally, the total number of COVID-19 cases now exceed 25 million
- In the last 24 hours there has been one new confirmed case of COVI-19 in Queensland

Cross-border travel for essential healthcare

- We previously shared a bundle of resources about interstate travel to Queensland for essential healthcare. The provider and patient factsheets have been updated. Please replace older versions and disseminate in your networks.

LGAs with ‘moderate’ COVID-19 risk

- A reminder that, from 08:00 this morning, the following additional LGAs in Queensland are considered ‘moderate’ risk:
  - Cherbourg Aboriginal Shire
  - Goondiwindi Region
  - South Burnett Region
  - Southern Downs Region
  - Toowoomba Region
  - Western Downs Region

RACFs

- PPE guidance for Queensland RACFs was recently published – attached or online: https://www.qld.gov.au/health/conditions/health-alerts/coronavirus-covid-19/current-status/restricted-areas-covid-19. Table 1 on page 4 is particularly relevant.

Literature

- A new ‘Management of people with COVID-19 who are older and living with frailty and/or cognitive impairment’ flowchart has been published by the national Taskforce: https://covid19evidence.net.au/wp-content/uploads/FLOWCHART-7-OLDERv1.0.pdf
- Telmisartan is not recommended for people with COVID-19 outside of randomised trial (https://app.magicapp.org/#/guideline/L4Q5An/rec/jlrXxn)

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Inspirational thought

‘The wide world is all about you; you can fence yourselves in, but you cannot forever fence it out’
(Gandalf, Lord of the Rings, JRR Tolkien)

Kind regards,
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