

RETURNING TO IRELAND DURING COVID-19

Organisations & info that can assist your move

THE CLADDAGH ASSOCIATION

developed a Returning to Ireland Project in 2018-2019. General questions about returning home are covered on our website at claddagh.org.au/returning-to-ireland-from-australia. For info about returning during COVID-19 email Claddagh at admin@claddagh.org.au and check out the organisations below



CROSSCARE MIGRANT PROJECT

are based in Dublin but work with returning Irish around the country. They offer advice and support from the planning stage before you return right through to settlement in Ireland. Call +353 1 873 2844, email migrantproject@crosscare.ie or check out their website: migrantproject.ie



CITIZENS INFORMATION

provides advice on public and social services. Their website contains a dedicated section for returnees: citizensinformation.ie/en/returning_to_ireland as well as info for the COVID-19 period: citizensinformation.ie/en/returning_to_ireland/returning_to_Ireland_and_covid.html



HELPLINK MENTAL HEALTH

have extended their free Irish Abroad online counselling service to all returning Irish during COVID-19. Ring +353 91 759887 or email helplinksupport@helplink.ie to set up an appointment. Info on their website at : helplink.ie/jaocs/irish-abroad-online-counselling-service/



SAFE HOME IRELAND

provide advice and information to returning Irish. Those over the age of 57 who qualify can receive housing assistance as well. During COVID-19 they are also supporting Irish Abroad with concerns about family members in Ireland. Their website is safehomeireland.com. Ring them on +353 86 059 4538 or email info@safehomeireland.com



HSE

Ireland's Health Service Executive has dedicated one part of their website to coronavirus information: <https://www2.hse.ie/coronavirus/>. This includes info on self-isolation which is a requirement for anyone arriving in Ireland from any other country - including Irish citizens coming home.



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Since 1997 The Claddagh Association has supported members of the Irish community in Western Australia experiencing difficult circumstances. If you are in a crisis situation and need support please contact us using the details below



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