



AWU SAFETY UPDATE: CORONAVIRUS OUTBREAK

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With the outbreak of coronavirus worsening, the AWU has been hard at work making sure worker safety is being taken seriously.

We're extremely proud of the work done by AWU members in Queensland Health during this critical time and we're doing everything we can to keep you safe at work.

Since reports first emerged of patients being diagnosed with coronavirus, we've been in constant communication with Queensland Health to make sure precautions are being taken to keep workers safe.

Given the recent spread of coronavirus to even more hospitals, we've written to Queensland Health seeking further urgent assurances on what measures are currently being taken to keep all Queensland Health workers safe across all workgroups and occupations.

We've also made it clear to Queensland Health that AWU members can and will refuse to work if it puts their health and safety at imminent risk.

If you have any safety issues at your worksite, make sure to speak to your AWU Delegate or Organiser immediately.

If you have any questions, please contact the AWU ☎ 1800 298 753

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