

Guidance and support if an unvaccinated member is at Playcentre

Possible wording to use if an unvaccinated person comes into a Playcentre.

These can be mixed and matched depending on the situation.



You will have seen the sign on our door/fence, which states that as per the Governments vaccine mandate, you need to have had your first COVID-19 vaccination to enter.

At this point walk to the door/fence as if you are showing them, in case they haven't read it. This will also move them nearer to the entrance if they have walked into the middle of the centre and take any conversation away from other centre members and children.

Playcentre requires you, under the governments health order to be vaccinated. Last time we spoke you said you weren't vaccinated. Wait for the person to respond rather than ask a direct question.

We want everyone here to feel safe, and for them to feel safe for their children.

The vaccination mandate has been put in place by the government for safety reasons.

If the person refuses to leave, please go through these conversation points:

The notice on the door/fence entranceway states you must have had your first vaccinated to come in. Can you please comply.

I don't want to have an argument with you in front of the children. This is not an appropriate discussion for here.

We have to comply with the Government vaccine mandate. Can you please help us to do that by stepping away. We would be happy to discuss this with you when there are no tamariki onsite.

If you feel your safety or the safety of tamariki or other staff is compromised, you could consider contacting the police.