

VETFLASH!

Dear Member,

As you are no doubt aware, South Africa will be classified as Level 4 in terms of the Covid-2019 response on 1 May 2020. In the coming days or weeks, it may happen that some provinces and districts are functional at different levels.

On the 29th of April 2020 we have received regulations regarding level 4. We have, ever since the draft regulations for the different levels were published on the 25th of April 2020, developed the attached guidelines for each level.

It is **critical** to note that these are **guidelines** and your professional discretion will need to be applied at all times. It is impossible to cater for any and all situations and therefore it is important to note that these are **not** regulations, but guidelines to ensure that the profession abides by the spirit and intent of managing the Covid-19 response in South Africa. We recommend that you keep an accurate record of all decisions that could be deemed contentious by a person without your intimate knowledge of the situation in the event that it may be challenged in coming months.

Best regards,
Gert Steyn
Managing Director

