

# NECA MEMBER COVID-19 UPDATE

## LATEST FEDERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

### 1. VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING ONLINE

The Federal Government has re-launched the My Skills website which will now focus on online training for Australians looking to upskill during the COVID-19 pandemic.

My Skills is the national directory of VET organisations and courses that enables you to search and compare VET courses and training providers.

Through the My Skills website you will now be able to search the increased online offerings of registered training organisations (RTOs) and vocational education and training (VET) options currently available.

For more information: <https://www.myskills.gov.au/>

### 2. ADVOCACY

#### **NECA represents interests of Electrical and Communications contractors in Tasmania at government and industry forum on COVID-19**

The Tasmanian Government hosted a Civil, Commercial and Residential Construction Industry Forum of more than 30 peak bodies, including the National Electrical and Communications Association (NECA), and other key stakeholders to engage on relevant COVID-19 matters.

While there has been tremendous growth in Tasmania over recent years, COVID-19 is providing some longer term uncertainty for businesses, contractors and employees.

Representatives from residential and commercial construction, along with civil contracting and many other allied sectors joined the Industry Forum on 15 April 2020. Each sector has been affected by COVID-19 and all have been working with purpose to ensure their businesses and workplaces are compliant with social distancing and increased hygiene requirements.

## LATEST STATE AND TERRITORY ANNOUNCEMENTS

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