Access to the Kimberley, the entire Shire of Ngaanyatjarraku which forms part of Goldfields-Esperance, and parts of the Shire of East Pilbara including the communities of Jigalong, Martu homeland communities and Kiwirrkurra, is restricted.

This is to help stop the spread of COVID-19 into our very vulnerable communities, which could have catastrophic consequences.

Some exemptions apply, including for essential services and essential workers, subject to strict conditions.

Further Instruction

- The restrictions for the designated regions are enforceable through emergency determination powers under the Biosecurity Act 2015 (Cth).
- A jail term of up to five-years could apply to those who breach the determination.

The message is clear

Access to the Remote Aboriginal Communities is restricted.

These and other restrictions have been imposed to slow the spread of COVID-19 in Western Australia.