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FAQ: Restrictions on Specified Dormitories

Q: What is a “foreign employee”?

A: This refers to a foreigner:

- a) who seeks employment, or is employed to work, in Singapore but excludes a self-employed foreigner; or
- b) whose employment in Singapore has expired or has been terminated (whether or not for justified reasons) and is authorised under the Immigration Act to remain in Singapore.

Q: What is a specified hostel?

A: A “specified hostel” means any premises providing accommodation for guests, on land approved for use as a backpackers’ hostel, boarding house or guest house under the Planning Act.

For additional information on specified hostels, please refer to our FAQ on Specified Hostels.

Q: What is an event?

A: An “event” includes a meeting or gathering of any nature.



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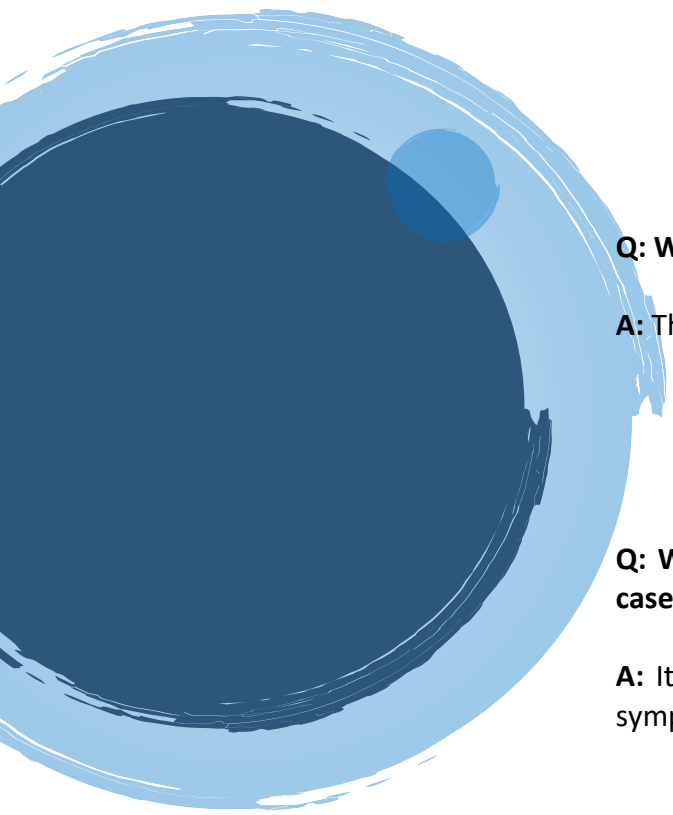
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Q: What are specified symptoms?

A: They refer to any of the following symptoms:

- a) coughing;
- b) sneezing;
- c) breathlessness;
- d) a runny nose.

Q: What does it mean for an individual to be a “symptomatic case”?

A: It means an individual who is febrile or shows any specified symptom.

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