Sectors subjected to the “Vaccinate or Regular Test” regime

The following sectors would be required to implement the VoRT regime from 1 October 2021:

1. Healthcare, e.g. public and private hospitals, Traditional Chinese Medicine clinics, allied health services
2. Eldercare, e.g. nursing homes, senior care centres, residential facilities
3. Settings with children 12 years and below, e.g. preschools, early intervention centres, student care centres, schools, tuition and enrichment centres
4. Border front-line workers, e.g. workers at air, land, and sea checkpoints, Marine & Process workers
5. COVID-19 front-line workers, e.g. workers at community care facilities, government quarantine facilities, patient transporters, swabbers
6. Workers in Construction and Process Construction & Maintenance
7. Food Services, e.g. wait staff, kitchen staff
8. Gyms and fitness studios, e.g. instructors and trainers, receptionists
9. Personal care services with prolonged close contact between individuals, e.g. spa, massage, and facial therapists, hairdressers, make-up artists
10. Retail malls and large standalone stores
11. Supermarkets
12. Arts classes, e.g. dance, singing, wind/brass instruments, voice and theatre training (including speech and drama, actor training) classes
13. Pivoted bars, nightclubs, discotheques and karaoke establishments that are allowed to re-open
14. Markets, e.g. stallholders and assistants
15. Last-mile delivery personnel, including parcel and food delivery personnel
16. Cleaners in sectors listed above, and those offering disinfection services
17. Public and private transport, e.g. public bus captains, front-line staff at public transport nodes, taxi and private hire car drivers, driving school/private driving instructors
18. Public Service, including uniformed services

Note: As this is not intended to be an exhaustive list, the respective Ministries will release further sector-specific details. Further details will be released via FAQs subsequently.