

**RESEARCH GOVERNANCE UNIT** 

St. Vincent's Hospital (Melbourne) Caritas Christi Hospice St. George's Health Service Prague House

## **On-Site Monitoring**

On-site monitoring is only permitted if remote monitoring is not feasible. The monitor must provide written notification to the research office as outlined below:

- 1. Statement explaining the following:
  - Purpose of the visit and why remote monitoring is not practical
  - Who is visiting in what department and when

The following procedures must be adhered to for monitors who enter SVHM.

## Monitors:

- Are to complete the **SVHM COVID-19 Screening Tool** via phone **prior** to the planned visit.
- Are to complete the COVID-19 Attestation online upon arrival: www.svhm.org.au/COVIDscreening
- Can be from interstate if they are travelling from the designated green zone only.
- Temperature must be taken prior to entering the Hospital.
- Wear a mask at all times.
- Are only permitted to be on site for a **maximum of 2 hours** once a day only.
- A non-clinical designated room must be available.
- Monitors will have no access to any clinical or patient areas.
- Written agreement from Head of Pharmacy that they can accommodate the drug reconciliation if required.