

PLACE OF ASSEMBLY

Service Description

The *Public Health Act 1997* regulates the licensing, operation, use and management of all places that are used as places of assembly, unless given an exemption.

The *Public Health Act 1997* covers many matters that may affect public health including the health and safety of people gathered in places that are places of assembly and on premises to which the public have access.

Licences may be required and/or issued for general purpose places of assembly; special event places of assembly; public swimming pools and public spas; and premises that conduct live entertainment.

There are additional requirements to be met where the event may involve the construction and/or erection of temporary structures, such as Hoeker pavilions, temporary seating/ marquees and other such temporary structures.

A person must obtain a licence issued under the *Public Health Act 1997* to lawfully use or lease a place as a place of assembly, unless exempted by order of the Director of Public Health.

How to use this service

Application forms are available from the Council's Environmental Health Office.

Related Links

[Additional Information](#)

Copies of Guidelines are available from <http://www.dchs.tas.gov.au>

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For further information on Place of Assembly requirements please contact the Environmental Health Office on 62 166797 or gccmail@gcc.tas.gov.au

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