

## **Player Welfare Check Process**

A Player Welfare Check is an interaction between the staff member and patron, which may be in response to:

- Staff observing a Player displaying strong indicators of problem gambling; or
- A family member raising concerns about a player's gambling; or
- A player reaching any voluntary pre-commitment limit; or
- Staff observing a player gambling for three (3) or more hours continuously.

## Process

- 1. Staff who witness any strong indicators of problem gambling or above triggers must inform their duty manager or equivalent on shift to escalate the matter.
- **2.** Duty managers must perform the following process:
  - Enquire as to the Player's welfare; Example: "How's your night? Can I get you anything?"
  - If the player reports any level of distress or hardship, the duty manager must:
    - a) Offer the Player information about counselling and self-exclusion (i.e. Responsible Gambling Brochures, Gamble Aware contact cards etc.)
    - b) Ask the Player to take a break from gambling for a period of not less than 24 hours (this break does not require the Player to cease using other Club facilities); and
    - c) Make a record of the interaction in the Club's Gambling Incident Register