

## **COVID 19 - Risk Assessment Maintaining Social Distancing/Welfare Arrangements**

	Task	What are the Risks	Measures to manage the risk	Owner
1	Fitness to work	<ul> <li>Unwell or vulnerable people coming to kitchen</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Display 'symptoms' at entrance</li> <li>Raise awareness as part of induction briefing</li> <li>Brief your Manager on symptoms</li> <li>Brief your Manager on those people considered vulnerable e.g People over the age of 70</li> <li>Communicate control measures and standards with our supply chain.</li> </ul>	Management Team
2	Traveling to and from work	• Exposure to infected people and/or surfaces, etc.	<ul> <li>Avoid the use of public transport</li> <li>Lone travelling, i.e. by car, motorbike, bike, walking, etc.</li> <li>If workers have no choice but to share transport: <ul> <li>Journeys should be shared with the same individuals and with the minimum number of people at any one time.</li> <li>Good ventilation (i.e. keeping the windows open) and facing away from each other may help to reduce the risk of transmission.</li> <li>The vehicle should be cleaned regularly</li> <li>Vehicles must not park in ways likely to cause concern or nuisance to customers and the local community.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Provision of suitable parking facilities</li> </ul>	Management Team
			<ul> <li>Plan, where possible for an 'over-flow' car park</li> <li>Consider split shifts to reduce number of vehicles</li> </ul>	
3	Signing in	<ul> <li>Exposure to infected people and/or surfaces, etc.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Standard Kitchens</li> <li>Consider other means of registering on kitchen, i.e. text, WhatsApp, etc.</li> <li>Provide hand sanitiser or sink at entrance</li> <li>Tape or markings on floor/ground to indicated 2m minimum 'social distancing'</li> <li>Split shifts or staggered times to reduce numbers arriving in the kitchen at any one time</li> </ul>	Management Team





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			<ul> <li>Signs displayed to reinforce social distancing</li> <li>Workforce briefed on signing in process as part of the Induction and/or a Safe Briefing by appointment</li> <li>Other arrangements</li> <li>Wash hands prior to using the 'finger-print' reader, provide hand sanitisers for use</li> <li>Where possible replace with remote access entry to minimise contact</li> <li>Finger-print reader to be disinfected regularly</li> <li>Security to monitor</li> </ul>	
4	Kitchen inductions, briefings and meetings	<ul> <li>Exposure to infected people and/or surfaces, etc.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Inductions</li> <li>Conduct inductions in the open air</li> <li>In poor weather, conduct in a well-ventilated area, such as a loading area</li> <li>No more than 2 inductees per induction</li> <li>Keep 2m apart</li> <li>Establish induction areas with floor/ground markings to indicate 2m safe distance</li> </ul>	Management Team
			<ul> <li>Kitchen Safe Briefings, etc.</li> <li>Conduct briefings in the open air</li> <li>In poor weather, conduct in a well-ventilated area, such as a garage</li> <li>No more than 2 attendees per briefing</li> <li>Keep 2m apart</li> <li>Use 'induction areas' with floor/ground markings to indicate 2m safe distance</li> </ul>	



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			<ul> <li>Meetings</li> <li>Avoid 'face-to-face' meetings, use telephone 'conference calls', conference calls or other means of technology</li> <li>Where 'face-to-face' is required, hold the meeting in the open air</li> <li>In poor weather, hold in the office/meeting room and maintain 2m social distancing</li> <li>Keep meetings short, to the point and avoid sharing material, i.e. drawings, laptops, sample products, etc.</li> </ul>	
5	Using welfare facilities	Exposure to infected people and/or surfaces, etc.	<ul> <li>Toilets</li> <li>Restrict access to one at any one time – display notice to communicate this</li> <li>Provision of hot water and soap for handwashing</li> <li>Display handwashing poster</li> <li>Regular and frequent cleaning</li> </ul>	Management Team
			<ul> <li>Rest Room</li> <li>Arrange tables/chairs to maintain 2m social distancing / Place 'out of use' signs/restrictions on some facilities [e.g Some chairs and tables]</li> <li>Utilise meeting rooms as extra rest area.</li> <li>Stagger break times to reduce numbers at any one time</li> <li>Consider additional seating arrangements, such as outdoors with possible 'gazebos' to provide weather protection</li> <li>Consider take in breaks in their own cars. With additional bins provided in car park and all food waste/rubbish to be immediate removed by the kitchen porter from plots and binned</li> <li>Provision of bottled drinking water and disposable cups for hot drinks</li> <li>Regular and frequent cleaning of tables and door entry points / handles</li> </ul>	Management Team



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			<ul> <li>Changing / Cold / Freezer rooms</li> <li>Restrict access to one at any one time – display notice to communicate this</li> <li>Encourage personal to take clothing home to dry/additional clothing, employer to supply</li> <li>Regular and frequent cleaning/clearing</li> <li>Consider provision of additional drying/changing facilities</li> <li>Spilt shifts/staggered starts to reduce numbers at peak times, etc.</li> </ul>	Management Team
6	Office	Exposure to infected people and/or surfaces, etc.	<ul> <li>Arrange office furniture to allow 2m social distancing for management teams</li> <li>Visitors to wait at door before entering office – display notice to communicate this</li> <li>Provide floor markers to maintain 2m social distancing</li> <li>Regular and frequent cleaning, including any tea/coffee making equipment</li> <li>No sharing of computers, laptops, or phones and to be cleaned/wiped down regularly</li> </ul>	Management Team
7	First Aid	Exposure to infected people and/or surfaces, etc.	<ul> <li>Minimum of 1 qualified first aider in the kitchen always</li> <li>Avoid person to person contact where possible, if not then wash hands before and after giving first aid</li> <li>Clean and disinfected all equipment used after use</li> </ul>	Management Team
8	Cleaning and hygiene	Exposure to infected people and/or surfaces, etc.	<ul> <li>Daily cleaning arrangements and regular checks in place to maintain good standards of cleanliness in the kitchen offices, welfare facilities, etc.</li> <li>Cleaning to pay attention to high contact areas, such as door handles, light switches, work tops, kitchen appliances, etc.</li> <li>Waste bins in office, rest room, toilets, etc. to be emptied daily &amp; washed</li> <li>Supply of cleaning products with correct anti-bacterial components</li> <li>Arrangements for waste removal on daily basis</li> </ul>	Management Team



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9	Close contact work where people are less than 2m apart, for example: • Lifting Heavy Deliveries • Moving Equipment	Exposure to infected people and/or surfaces, etc.	<ul> <li>Restrict any 'close contact work' to a maximum of two persons and a 15 minutes per task.</li> <li>'Close contact work' operatives to wear face shields.</li> <li>Limited the number of 'close contact work' to a maximum of 3 tasks per day per person.</li> <li>Where possible either work 'side-by-side' or back-to-back'</li> <li>Wash hands before and after each task</li> <li>Where possible provide local 'pop-up' hand washing near to the task.</li> <li>Where it is not possible to maintain a two-metre distance, each activity should be risk assessed using the hierarchy of controls, mindful that masks (RPE) are the last resort in the hierarchy.</li> <li>Re-usable PPE should be thoroughly cleaned after use and not shared between workers</li> <li>Single use PPE should be disposed of so that it cannot be reused</li> </ul>	Management Team
10	Chefs / All Kitchen Staff - where people are less than 2m apart, for example: • Food Preparation • Cleaning	Exposure to infected people and/or surfaces, etc.	<ul> <li>Restrict any 'close contact work' to a maximum of two persons and a 15 minutes per task.</li> <li>'Close contact work' operatives to wear face shields and gloves</li> <li>Limited the number of 'close contact work' to a maximum of 3 tasks per day per person.</li> <li>Where possible either work 'side-by-side' or back-to-back'</li> <li>Wash hands before and after each task</li> <li>Where possible provide local 'pop-up' hand washing near to the task.</li> <li>Where it is not possible to maintain a two-metre distance, each activity should be risk assessed using the hierarchy of controls, mindful that masks (RPE) are the last resort in the hierarchy.</li> <li>Re-usable PPE should be thoroughly cleaned after use and not shared between workers</li> <li>Single use PPE should be disposed of so that it cannot be reused</li> </ul>	Management Team



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11	Delivery Drivers	<ul> <li>Exposure to infected people and/or surfaces, etc. whilst making deliveries</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Where possible leave deliveries unattended in agreed delivery spot – observe 2m distancing</li> <li>Documentation will be kept with the delivery – no signature – photographed log of all orders</li> <li>Wash hands before and after each task</li> <li>Where it is not possible to maintain a two-metre distance, each activity should be risk assessed using the hierarchy of controls, mindful that masks (RPE) are the last resort in the hierarchy.</li> <li>Re-usable PPE should be thoroughly cleaned after use and not shared between workers</li> <li>Single use PPE should be disposed of so that it cannot be reused</li> <li>Vans to be cleaned inside the cab area after each shift is completed</li> </ul>	Management Team

