



Densholme Farm action



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Densholme Farm COVID-19 risk assessment

Alternative Provision

As an employer, we must protect people from harm. This includes taking reasonable steps to protect our staff, volunteers and any visitors to the farm from coronavirus.

This is our COVID-19 risk assessment for Alternative Provision to help manage risk and protect our people. In the assessment we have tried to:

- Identify what work activity or situations might cause transmission of the virus
- Think about who could be at risk
- Decide how likely it is that someone could be exposed
- Act to remove the activity or situation, or if this isn't possible, control the risk

What are the hazards?	Who might be harmed and how?	Controls in place What further action do you need to consider to control the risks?	Who needs to carry out the action?	When is the action needed by?
Getting or spreading coronavirus by sharing tools and farm machinery.	Staff	Separate tools will be allocated to those who visit more than once a week. These tools will be named and washed each day as part of the daily routine.	Supporting staff and Clients	On going
	Clients	Separate 'visitor' tools will be allocated each session to any other visitors who need them. These will be washed at the end of the session.	supporting Staff	On going
	Volunteers	Farm machinery (enclosed tractor cabs) can no longer be shared.	All Staff	On going
	Work experience	Farm machinery (stationary tractors/lawn mowers) can no longer be sat on by visitors	All Staff	On going
	Visitors			

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Getting or spreading coronavirus by working in animal enclosures/touching animals.	Staff Clients Volunteers Work experience Visitors	Washable gloves should be worn when working in animal enclosures and washed daily. Avoid touching eyes and face.	All	On going
Getting or spreading coronavirus by sharing kitchen equipment.	Staff Clients Volunteers Work experience Visitors	A separate kettle and will be allocated to those who visit more than once a week. This will be sanitised at the end of the session.	All Staff	On going
Getting or spreading Coronavirus by presenting symptoms.	Staff Clients Volunteers Work experience Visitors	<p>If any of the following symptoms present themselves 10 days isolation should be completed before returning to the farm.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • new continuous cough. • a high temperature. • Sore throat • a loss of, or change in, your normal sense of taste or smell <p>Current government advice states: Get a test, do not leave home for at least 10 days after your test or the onset of your symptoms. If a member of your household presents symptoms self isolate for 14 days.</p> <p>If you are feeling unwell in any other way (other than on-going medical conditions you are already aware of) please do not come to the farm for the duration of your ailment.</p>	All	On going

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