



Coronavirus Update - Guidance for Clients

Following government and public health recommendations, Disability Huntingdonshire is issuing this information bulletin.

Whilst the government have labelled the risk as moderate (2nd March) and the current advice is to carry on as usual, the virus can cause more severe symptoms in people with weakened immune systems, older people and those with long term conditions like diabetes, cancer and chronic lung disease.

Obviously, there are more illnesses where your immune system is compromised such as Lupus.

We recognise the clients we support with disabilities may be deemed to be more vulnerable to the illness.

The health and well being of the staff team at DISH is our highest priority and steps will be taken to protect them and their families.

If you are **visiting the office** for your appointment, the following advice applies:

- If you feel unwell, you must **cancel** the appointment immediately
- Prior to your visit, please ensure that you have washed your hands before your visit preferably with soap
- Please ensure that you have tissues available for use if you sneeze or cough and a bag to put them in for disposal
- If you are bringing someone with you and they are unwell, they wont be allowed in the building and will have to wait elsewhere.
- Please do not be offended if our staff ask you to wash your hands in the toilets at our offices.

We will be updating this bulletin as more information becomes available.



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