



Craven Safety Services - May 2020 Newsletter

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Latest HSE advice

RIDDOR reporting of COVID-19

You must only make a report under RIDDOR (The Reporting of Injuries, Diseases and Dangerous Occurrences Regulations 2013) when:

- an unintended incident at work has led to someone's possible or actual exposure to coronavirus. This must be reported as a dangerous occurrence.
- a worker has been diagnosed as having COVID 19 and there is reasonable evidence that it was caused by exposure at work. This must be reported as a case of disease.
- a worker dies as a result of occupational exposure to coronavirus.

Further information can be found

at <https://www.hse.gov.uk/news/riddor-reporting-coronavirus.htm>

Social distancing, keeping businesses open and in-work activities during the coronavirus outbreak - information can be found

here <https://www.hse.gov.uk/news/social-distancing-coronavirus.htm>

Fit testing face masks to avoid transmission during the coronavirus outbreak - information can be found here <https://www.hse.gov.uk/news/face-mask-ppe-rpe-coronavirus.htm>

Arrangements for driver welfare and hours of work during the coronavirus outbreak - information can be found here <https://www.hse.gov.uk/news/drivers-transport-delivery-coronavirus.htm>

Protect home workers - information about lone working, DSE, stress and mental health can be found here <https://www.hse.gov.uk/toolbox/workers/home.htm>

First aid cover and qualifications - information can be found here <https://www.hse.gov.uk/news/first-aid-certificate-coronavirus.htm>

Carrying out thorough examination and testing of lifting and pressure equipment during the coronavirus outbreak - information can be found here <https://www.hse.gov.uk/news/work-equipment-coronavirus.htm>

Coronavirus - COVID-19

Below are links to the official guidelines issued by the NHS, Government and WHO.

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/>

<https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus>

<https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/advice-for-public>