

COVID-19 Briefing #58

Guidance on contact tracing, face coverings and Community Building reopening

Short regular briefing from Community Impact Bucks

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Dear Sir/Madam,

If you haven't taken part in our [COVID-19 impact survey](#) yet, there is still time! It takes five minutes and will help us develop how we share information in the future. Many thanks.

REVISED REOPENING GUIDANCE FOR VILLAGE HALLS AND COMMUNITY BUILDINGS

Government guidance continues to evolve; supporting our role as the Rural Community Council for Buckinghamshire, ACRE has revised again the comprehensive information pack to support management committees of village halls and community buildings as they prepare for opening.

The pack includes the following templates:

- Checklist for reopening
- Sample questionnaire for regular users
- COVID-19 secure premises poster
- Management of social distancing – a risk-based approach
- Sample special conditions of hire during COVID-19
- Sample COVID-19 risk assessment for reopening of village and community halls
- Sample COVID-19 Risk Assessment for hirers of village and community halls
- List of suggested items for a COVID 19 First Aid box for use in case of a suspected case at the hall
- Sample poster for play equipment
- Performances in village and community halls
- Indoor and outdoor exercise and sport
- COVID-19 treatment plan information sheet – for COVID 19 First Aid Box

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CONTACT TRACING ADVICE

The Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) has published advice for organisations that are asked by the Government to manage a contact tracing scheme, collecting and retaining customer and visitor information for a short period of time. If you have limited experience of collecting and retaining personal data for business purposes, have a look at the [ICO contact tracing advice](#) which is presented in an accessible Q & A format.

GOVERNMENT GUIDANCE ON FACE COVERINGS

As new regulations on face coverings in England come into force tomorrow (24th July), it may be useful to check the [Government guidance on how and where to wear them](#), including workplace guidelines.

#FundAlerts

To keep up-to-date with the latest announcements and for support on all aspects of funding, visit our [COVID-19 Funding webpages](#) and our [top ten tips on how to write a successful funding application](#).

Two new funds are detailed below:

- **Funding for the migrations charity sector:** Barrow Cadbury Trust has partnered with the National Lottery Communities Fund (NLCF) to distribute COVID-19 emergency response funding to organisations supporting asylum seekers, refugees or migrants. Charities or not-for-profits with an income of between £10,000 and £1 million can apply for up to £50,000 or 3 months expenditure (whichever is less). Deadline for applications is 2nd August; for more information, visit [Barrow Cadbury Trust](#).
- **Funding for arts and cultural organisations:** grants of between £10,000 to £50,000 are available to museums, galleries and cultural organisations to help them respond to challenges connected to the COVID-19 crisis. Round two of the Art Fund's Respond and Reimagine Grants closes on 17th August. For more information, visit [Art Fund](#).

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