COVID-19

OUR VISION FOR WORKING SAFELY UNDER COVID-19
The purpose of this e-doc is to set “Our Vision for Working Safely under COVID-19”

We want to encourage our Customers, People and Supply Chain to overreact to the critical threat of COVID-19 and exponentially improve all aspects of site safety

Our Vision is intended to drive the infrastructure and detail to support best practice

Our Vision is aimed at achieving the following outcomes: stop the spread of COVID-19 / reduce all other accidents / protect the NHS / Save Lives

The e-doc has been designed to easily update and circulate as the situation evolves and new information emerges

Together we will beat COVID-19

The E-doc has been prepared to address the requirements of the Construction Leadership Council’s Site Operating Procedures V.03 and Public Health England’s Guidelines in accordance with the Health & Safety at Work Act 1974, and the Management of Health and Safety at Work Regulations 1999. It is to be read in conjunction with our COVID-19 Operating Procedures and Project Specific Risk Registers, both of which take priority.
WHAT ARE WE ACTUALLY DOING ON SITE NOW?
DEDICATED STL COVID-19 TASK FORCE
SET UP TO SHARE BEST PRACTICE

International Knowledge Transfer. Consistent approach to exceed CLC compliance and first class execution
A 2m distancing grid will be laid out on all our sites to clearly demonstrate the social distancing guidance.
EXTRA WASHING POINTS

THE KEY IS TO KEEP YOUR HANDS CLEAN

More wash points on-site will reduce the risk of the virus spreading. Hand sanitisers throughout the site
Marked up logistics plan with allocated set down areas. Located around numerous locations on-site.
We are taking extra measures to prevent accidents on-site. Prevention is the key to make sure we do not overload an already busy health care system.
RAMS for specific risk assessments taking onboard the current changes on-site and in the workplace
STAGGER START TIMES ON SITE TO AVOID CONGESTION IN ENTRANCE AREAS

Staggered breaks & use of canteens. Less people = less contact
Alternative travel arrangement by bike or walking is encouraged. Identification of parking near our sites. Mass transit options TBC. Business cases prepared for isolating teams on-site, if required.
SOCIAL DISTANCING COORDINATOR
ON EVERY LIVE SITE

To keep an eye on our new regulations this role will be implemented on your site. Their goal is to:

- Provide up to date Government advice
- Hold daily project briefings for the day ahead
- Deliver toolbox talks
- Monitor STL Social Distancing procedures
- Review and assist in the development of supply chain RAMS
- Develop the site logistic plans with the project team, including all welfare arrangements
- Audit site conditions
- Working in conjunction with other SDC-19 Coordinators sharing best practice
- Maintain level of specialised PPE supplies
BLIND SPOTS AND CORRIDORS

ONE WAY ROUTES, NEVER GOING AGAINST THE TRAFFIC

Mirrors to increase visibility around corners and hand signals to be used to communicate from distance to prevent shouting which increases the spread.
ORDERLY, TEMPORARY CESSATION OF WORKS

Safe and secure shutdowns • Establish value of works completed • Review of proposed Contract Terms and Protections • Review Insurance Policies • Assess Impact of potential material delays and shortages
ORDERLY RESUMPTION OF WORKS

Maintain constant communication with Supply Chain
• Determine Scope and Programme to PC • Detailed
• Risk Register • Establish value of work remaining at restart • Work with Project Team to develop restart strategies and timescales • Forward planning of projects that slip into Q4
The wellbeing of our staff and operatives is our No. 1 priority. We are taking all the measures possible to keep people supported and motivated.
UNDER REVIEW
ADDITIONAL RESPONSES
WE ARE CONSIDERING
To prevent the spread of COVID-19 the way we operate on-site has to adapt. This includes a complete overhaul of our PPE, not to the detriment of the NHS and key workers.
TRADE-OFFS
BETTER PPE TO ENABLE FLEXIBILITY WITH 2M SOCIAL DISTANCING

Defined list of social distancing exclusions. As long as the correct PPE is worn the 2m social distancing can be relaxed.
No one is allowed on-site or in the workplace if their temperature is above 36.6 °C. They are to be sent home. Visual monitoring will also be undertaken, if people look visibly sick they are to be sent home.
WELL VENTILATED WORK AREAS ARE ESSENTIAL
TEMPORARY REMOVAL OF WINDOWS AND CLADDING AS PART OF THE ENABLING WORKS

The free movement of air is essential to keep the air fresh and filtered
LOADING & DISPOSING
MECHANICAL LIFTING AIDS
SINGLE PERSON MANAGEABLE LOADS
MEWPs DESIGN

Investment in new equipment to assist a single person lifting and placing items on site. The 2m rule applies to all actions on site and in the office.
WELFARE CABINS WITH 2M DISTANCING WITH WC & SINKS GRIDDED AND SEPARATE

As with the floorplates the welfare areas will have distancing guides and spaced out for no contact
AIR PURIFICATION
CLEAN FILTERED AIR USING MODERN TECHNOLOGY
MORE BIOPHILIA

Monitor and analyse your indoor air quality in highly granular detail
Measure any combination of air quality, thermal comfort, light and noise
Hardware agnostic - allowing you to connect to any type of sensor
Using site based social networks to communicate and share ideas with everyone involved. Information is received and distributed quickly and efficiently.
DIGITAL TRACKING
FOR OPERATIVES ON-SITE

Facial Recognition • GeoGrids • 3D Repo • Mission Room • We build the job before we build the job