



FACE MASKS AND COVERINGS FOR VISITORS AND OUTPATIENTS/DAY HOSPICE ATTENDEES

INFORMATION LEAFLET

From 15th June 2020 all visitors and outpatients/Day Hospice patients will be required to wear a face mask or covering when entering the Hospice. This decision is in line with the latest UK Government advice.

The requirement to wear face coverings is being introduced to protect patients, visitors and staff across the Hospice site.

All visitors and patients should wear a face covering when entering the Hospice.

Face coverings should either be disposable after use or washed within 24 hours if they are re-useable.

There will be a disposal station located near the main entrance of the Hospice for safe disposal of masks when you are leaving the Hospice.

We would ask you to maintain social distancing (2 metre distance) where possible from other patients, visitors and staff.

There will be a supply of hand sanitiser for use before and after the removal of masks and face coverings. Please make use of the hand sanitiser available.

Staff will be on-hand to provide advice and support.

Face coverings can consist of anything that completely covers your nose and mouth and allows you to breath comfortably. You can find advice on how to wear and make face coverings here at <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/how-to-wear-and-make-a-cloth-face-covering/how-to-wear-and-make-a-cloth-face-covering>

If you do not have your own face covering, a mask will be supplied to you by the Hospice for which we would value a donation.