PROBABILITY	FREQUENT	PROBABLE	OCCASIONAL	REMOTE	IMPROBABLE
SEVERITY	(5)	(4)	(3)	(2)	(1)
CATASTROPHIC (5)	25	20	15	10	5
CRITICAL (4)	20	16	12	8	4
SERIOUS (3)	15	12	9	6	3
MINOR (2)	10	8	6	4	2
NEGLIGIBLE (1)	5	4	3	2	1

1-5	Tolerable Risk	- No additional controls required
6 -10	Low risk	- Probably requiring a written Safe System of Work
11 - 15	Medium Risk	-Written Safe System of Work required until risk is designed out.
16 -20	High Risk	- Consider Permit to Work.
21 - 25	Intolerable Risk	- Withdrawal of process/activity. Work is not to proceed.

SEVERITY	CONSEQUENCE
CATASTROPHIC (5)	Multiple fatalities on site, or a single death off site; severe widespread
	environmental damage
CRITICAL (4)	Single fatality and/or multiple severe injuries or occupational illness
	on site; injury or illness offsite; environmental impact.
SERIOUS (3)	Single severe injury or occupational illness; and/or multiple minor
	injuries or minor occupational illness.
MINOR (2)	Minor injury / short term absence.
NEGLIGIBLE (1)	Trivial injury (First Aid only) / plant damage.

PROBABILITY	DESCRIPTION
FREQUENT (5)	To be expected, will occur often.
PROBABLE (4)	On the basis of evidence likely to occur –
	but not proven.
OCCASIONAL (3)	Could occur sometime.
REMOTE (2)	Unlikely though conceivable
IMPROBABLE (1)	So unlikely that probability is close to
	zero.

Coronavirus COVID-19
13-5-2020
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Weekly

AFFECTED GROUP: A-Employees, B-Members of the public, C-Contractors, D-Visitors

Identify Hazard	Affected Group	Severity	Probability	Risk level before controls	Existing Controls (Template) (Training, Information, Physical controls)	Risk level with controls	Additional Controls Required (Site specific)	Action (who) & Date	Risk level With proposed controls		
A coronavirus is a type of virus. As a group, coronaviruses are common across the world. COVID-19 is a new strain of coronavirus first identified in Wuhan City, China in December 2019. The incubation period of COVID-19 is between 2 to 14 days. This means that if a person remains well 14 days after contact with someone with confirmed coronavirus, they have not been infected.											
Employees Contamination of employees and further spread of the virus	A, C, D.	4	4	16	Wash hands frequently with soap and water. Also use alcohol-based hand rub. Maintain social distancing where possible Avoid touching eyes, nose and mouth	4	Report any persons that may be showing signs of illness to management and the company	All, straight away.	Low		

					Practice respiratory hygiene (cover mouth & nose when coughing / sneezing) If possible, open doors with the back of hands rather than using your fingers / palm				
Doors, Handrails, Hard surfaces Contamination of employees and further spread of the virus	A, C, D.	4	4	16	Implement a more frequent cleaning regime, focussing on frequently touched surfaces (door handles, lift buttons, handrails etc.)	4		Ongoing	Low
Toilets Managing Social distancing Working in offices / factories etc – exposure to the virus Contamination of employees and further spread of the virus	A, C, D.	4	4	16	The toilets have a plastic chain across the main door. Anyone entering the toilet puts the chain across, no one else is allowed to enter until they come out. Signage on the doors giving these instructions Avoid touching eyes, nose and mouth Practice respiratory hygiene (cover mouth & nose when coughing / sneezing) Spray the toilet seat after use with sanitiser	4	Managers, Supervisors, Team leaders and ATL's will have to monitor and control Employee's To ensure Social distancing is adhered to.	Ongoing	Low

Canteens Managing Social distancing Working in offices / factories etc - exposure to the virus Contamination of employees and further spread of the virus	A, C, D.	4	4	16	 The canteens have been set up so less employees are in there at any time. Each picknick type table chair set have had three of the seats closed off. The seats in use are 2m apart. The floor has been marked out to maintain Social distancing. Breaks are staggered to reduce numbers in the canteen. Office staff are requested to have breaks at their workstations. Ensure all employees are made aware of preventative measures: Avoid touching eyes, nose and mouth Practice respiratory hygiene (cover mouth & nose when coughing / sneezing) Implement a more frequent cleaning regime, focussing on frequently touched surfaces (door handles, lift buttons, handrails etc.) 	4	Managers, Supervisors, Team leaders and ATL's will have to monitor and control Employee's To ensure Social distancing is adhered to.	Ongoing	Low - Medium
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Office Working in offices / factories etc – exposure to the virus Contamination of employees and further spread of the virus	A, C, D.	4	4	16	 Where possible Office staff are working from home. With less employees in the office those who remain have been moved to the freed-up desks to create Social distancing. Ensure all employees are made aware of preventative measures: Avoid touching eyes, nose and mouth Practice respiratory hygiene (cover mouth & nose when coughing / sneezing) 				
Stairs Working in offices / factories etc – exposure to the virus Contamination of employees and further spread of the virus	A, C, D.	4	4	16	Against usual health and safety advice, if stairwells are wide and not steep, and employees are fit enough, workers to avoid holding handrails when going up and down the stairs (100% concentration required – do not use mobile phones)	5			Medium/Lo w
Arrival at work					Take all employees temperature.				
One of the signs of COVID-19 is a high temperature/fever	А	4	4	16	The Manager or Supervisor taking employees	4	On completion and entering the	Manager/ Supervisor	Low

Working in offices / factories etc – exposure to the virus Contamination of employees and further spread of the virus					temperatures must wear a visor/stand behind a screen, Gloves and mask On completion and entering the building the Manager/ Supervisor must wash their hands for at least 20 seconds <u>How to put a mask on and remove it</u> <u>How to put gloves on and remove them</u> <u>How to put a Visor on</u>		building the Manager/ Supervisor must Avoid touching the front of the mask. The front of the mask may be contaminated. Face Mask with Ear loops: Hold both of the ear loops and gently lift and remove the mask. Face Mask with Ties: Untie the bottom bow first then untie the top bow and pull the mask away from you as the ties are loosened. wash their hands for at least 20 seconds	On entering the building	
							or hand sanitiser		
Arrival at work (a)									
Employee turning up at work with a high temperature/fever Contamination of employees and further spread of the virus	A, C, D.	4	4	16	On arriving a Manager or Supervisor will use a thermometer to take all employees temperature. A single beep for the right temperature and a double beep for too high	8	Managers, Supervisors, Team leaders and ATL's will have to monitor and control Employee's To ensure Social distancing is adhered to.		High

Arrival at work (b)									
Normal temperature	A, C, D.	4	2	8	 Anyone who's temperature returned a single beep can enter the building. On entering the building all employees should wash their hands for at least 20 seconds In the workplace you need to observe, where possible, the social distancing guidance. Social distancing means staying 2 metres (6ft) apart from other people. 	4	Managers, Supervisors, Team leaders and ATL's will have to monitor and control Employee's To ensure Social distancing is adhered to.		Low
Arrival at work (c)									
High temperature Contamination of employees and further spread of the virus	A, C, D.	4	4	16	Anyone who's temperature returned a double beep will be asked to wait. Before being retested in case the high result is due to cycling to work or having the car heater on to high.	8	Instructed to go home. If you're not sure if you need to self- isolate	Manager, Supervisor Taking employees temperature	High
					Second fail Find a room or area where they can be isolated behind a closed door, such as a staff office. If it is possible to open a window, do so		If you have symptoms of coronavirus (a high temperature or a new, continuous cough), use the 111coronavirus service to find out		

					for ventilation. The individual who is unwell should call NHS 111 from their mobile, or 999 if an emergency (if they are seriously ill or injured or their life is at risk) and explain. Instructed to go home.		what to do.		
whilst at work Should anyone start to show symptoms whilst at work Contamination of employees and further spread of the virus	A, C, D.	4	5	20	Find a room or area where they can be isolated behind a closed door, such as a staff office. If it is possible to open a window, do so for ventilation. The individual who is unwell should call NHS 111 from their mobile, or 999 if an emergency (if they are seriously ill or injured or their life is at risk) and explain. Whilst they wait for advice from NHS 111 or an ambulance to arrive, they should remain at least 2metres from other people. They should avoid touching people, surfaces and objects and be advised to cover their mouth and nose with a disposable tissue when they cough or sneeze and put the tissue in a bag	4	If you're not sure if you need to self- isolate If you have symptoms of coronavirus (a high temperature or a new, continuous cough), use the 111coronavirus service to find out what to do. This should be reported under RIDDOR.	Managers, Supervisors, Team leaders and ATL's will have to monitor and control Employee's To ensure Social distancing is adhered to. Report to the H&S so it can be reported under RIDDOR.	Medium



Drivers					workplace legislation and practice.			
arriving from! Using toilets and Canteens We are obliged to allow delivery drivers who are not our employees but deliver to our premises to access toilets and washing facilities. Contamination of employees and further spread of the virus	A, C, D.	4	5	20	Keep a distance whilst talking to them. 2 Meters + Use your own pen don't let anyone use your pen. Wear gloves wash your hands with soap and water often – use hand sanitiser gel if soap and water are not available clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces do not touch your eyes, nose or mouth if your hands are not clean Avoid close contact with people who are unwell. The driver should be escorted to the toilet waited for and escorted back out.	4	Managers, Supervisors, Team leaders and ATL's will have to monitor and control Employee's To ensure Social distancing is adhered to.	Low

Visiting contractors								
Visiting contractors Oliver Tipton Incoming goods, Drivers, visiting contractors Working in offices / factories etc – exposure to the virus	А, В	4	5	20	We are requesting information from Visitors & Visiting contractors on where they have been to try and minimise the risk	4	Reduce contact Try and keep to emergency visits	Medium
Contamination of employees and further spread of the virus					Follow Arrival at work (a, b, c !)			
Travelling to work								
Travelling to work – public transport – exposure to the virus	A, B, C, D,	4	4	12	Postpone travel if possible (can you work from home?)	4		
Contamination of employees and further spread of the virus					Limit all travel to a minimum where possible			
					Public transport should be avoided where possible			
					Make alternative travel arrangements where possible. Walk, Cycle or Drive			
					If possible, maintain social distancing (at least 1m / 3ft) between yourself and anyone else when travelling			
					Frequently clean hands by using alcohol-based hand rub or soap and water			
					Avoid touching eyes, nose or mouth			
					If available, wear a suitable			

					face mask			
					Cancel travel for employees experiencing symptoms of the virus			
Meetings with other organisations								
Contamination of employees and further spread of the virus	A, C, D	4	3	12	Eliminate requirement for face to face meetings, if possible, arrange for meetings to be carried out via video conferencing	4	Reduce contact	Low
					If face to face meetings cannot be avoided,			
					Follow Arrival at work (a, b, c !)			
					Ensure all attendees use a hand sanitiser when entering the meeting room and when leaving the room			
					Avoid shaking hands, use other greeting methods			
					If possible, maintain social distancing (e.g. keep 1 chair between each meeting attendees)			
Face Masks to protect against Contamination of employees and further spread of the virus	A, C, D.	4	1	4	Employees are not recommended to wear facemasks (also known as surgical masks or respirators) to protect	4		Low

Putting a mask on and removing it could if incorrectly done do more harm than good and increase the risk.					against the virus. Facemasks are only recommended to be worn by symptomatic individuals (advised by a healthcare worker) to reduce the risk of transmitting the infection to other people.		symptomatic individuals should be self-isolating.	
Underlying long-term condition, Deals with staff who deal with shipping/Drivers	A,	4	5	20	Should be considered as High risk, should be a priority for working from home. Minimum number of visits to the factory Employees who stay at home if they experience a fever, a new cough or difficulty breathing (seek medical care through online 111 - https://111.nhs.uk/)	4		Low

This risk level has been reduced as low as is	reasonably practicable (ALARP)
Assessor's Signature: D. Guy	Date: 13-5-2020