Risk Assessment: Covid-19 Autumn term 2021

Company Name: Breakthrough Transformation Trust

Assessment carried out by: Sam Gilbert

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Date of next review: October half-term (*unless government guidance changes***)**



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Hazard Category and Hazard	Who might be harmed and How?	What are you already doing?	What further controls/actions are required?	Timescales for further actions to be completed (within)	Responsible person's job title
Spread of Covid-	All staff, students, visitors,	Hand washing			Head of centre
19	contractors and drivers. May spread or contract the virus causing anything from mild symptoms to death.	 Hand washing facilities with soap and water are in place. See hand washing guidance. <u>https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/healthy-body/best-way-to-wash-your-hands/</u> Drying of hands with disposable paper towels. Gel sanitizers in any areas where washing facilities are not readily available. Cleaning Frequently clean and disinfect objects and surfaces that are touched regularly, particularly in areas of high use such as door handles, light switches, 			Health and Safety Representative.
		 reception area, using appropriate cleaning products and methods. Internal doors to be left open where possible. 			



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	Social distancing		
	Breakthrough expects staff and		
	students to social distance where		
	possible.		
	Face Coverings		
	 Breakthrough expects staff, 		
	students and visitors to		
	continue wearing a face		
	covering when in communal		
	areas. i.e corridors etc.		
	• Extra breaks are encouraged,		
	going outside for walks to help		
	break up the session and allow		
	time to remove the face		
	covering.		
	Ventilation		
	Windows and doors are to be left open		
	in all classrooms and communal areas		
	that are in use where possible.		
	Transport		
	Essential journeys only		
	• Face coverings are advised to		
	be worn and windows to be		
	opened to allow good		
	ventilation.		
	Cars must be cleaned down		
	internally after each use, using		
	provided cleaning wipes.		
	Learning spaces		
	Learning spaces to be rearranged to		
	provide the best social distancing layout		
	possible.		
	Lunch		
	Lunch to be staggered on collection to		
	avoid queues and congregating.		
	Refreshments		
	No congregating around the tea and		
	coffee station. Kettle to be cleaned and		
	wiped down after each use.		



Mental Health		
Management will promote mental		
health & wellbeing awareness to staff		
during the Coronavirus outbreak and		
will offer whatever support they can to		
help		
Reference -		
https://www.mind.org.uk/information-		
support/coronavirus-and-your-		
wellbeing/		
Delivery Drivers		
Drivers of deliveries to stay		
outside of the building and for		
staff accepting post and		
deliveries to wash hands		
afterwards.		
The virus can live on cardboard		
and post for up to 24 hours.		
Plastics and metals for much		
longer. For this reason, all		
packaging is expected to be		
disposed of as soon as		
practically possible.		
Where possible, order bulk		
deliveries.		
Signage		
Signs and posters are located in various		
places around each centre reminding of		
social distancing and good health/		
hygiene practices.		
Fire Evacuation		
All fire procedures are to be		
carried out as usual.		
All systems to be checked as		
usual.		
Safeguarding		
All procedures to be carried out as		
usual. An amendment has been made		



	on our safeguarding policy and sent out to all staff. Also updated on website. Home Visits • Family workers are to contact the family before their arrival to check for any Covid-19 symptoms within the household. • Family workers are expected to continue wearing a face covering when doing a home	
	visit, and we encourage families to also wear a face covering whilst the family worker is present.	
Symptoms of Covid-19	Symptoms These are some of the main symptoms of Covid-19: High temperature A new, continuous cough. A loss or change in your sense of smell or taste. If anyone becomes unwell with any covid-19 symptom, they will be sent home and asked to take a covid-19 test. If the test comes back negative, send a photograph proving the negative test to your head of centre before returning to work If advised that a member of staff or public has developed Covid-19 and were recently on our premises (including where a member of staff has visited other work place premises such as domestic	



premises), the management team of the workplace will contact the Public Health Authority to discuss	
the case, identify people who have	
been in contact with them and will	
take advice on any actions or	
precautions that should be taken.	

