

# Safe use of Mosque during Covid-19

## Information for visitors

The following measures **must all be** followed as they have been introduced for your wellbeing, to prevent exposure to corona virus.

Please do not abuse staff and volunteers as they carry out the role of ensuring these instructions are adhered to.

**For Your Safety**  
**You are NOT permitted to..**

1. Enter if you have any of the of COVID-19 symptoms:
  - New continuous cough
  - High temperature
  - Loss of/change in normal sense of taste/ smell
2. Enter if you are aged 70/clinically vulnerable and unable to manage your own risks
3. Enter if you are under 14.
4. Disregard one-way travel route for entry & exit.
5. Attend without your own prayer mat, carrier bag (Quran/tasbih if used).
6. Enter/leave mosque without washing/ applying sanitizer to hands.
7. Walk on carpet without wearing socks.
8. Use shoe racks.
9. Pray Sunnah/nafil in mosque on Fridays
10. Gather/socialize inside mosque after jummah.
11. Wait inside mosque for the start of next jamat.
12. Break 1m plus social distance measures at any point (inside/ if queuing outside).
13. sit/stand facing towards people at distance less than 1m,(observe social distance & stay side by side or behind other people).
14. Disregard volunteers assistance in managing social distancing & indicating prayer space.

15. Make routine use of toilet and wudu areas (make wudu prior to arrival into mosque).

16. Disregard social distance measures whilst making emergency use of toilets/wudu areas (avoid splashing during wudu & wear socks before entering prayer area).

17. Disregard hand hygiene particularly after coughing, sneezing and blowing nose.

18. Touch items on book shelves/property belonging to others such as shoes.

19. Share other peoples belonging.

20. Shake hands/ share atar (individuals use is allowed).

21. Disregard social distance measures when making donation payments.

22. Disregard social distance measures during ceremonies/consultation with Imam (Where face-face consultation is required, it should be done before or after jamat).

23. Bring consumables into the mosque.

24. Raise voice/shout.

25. Shut doors which have been opened to reduce contact with door handles/ ventilation

26. Turn on Air conditioning system & cooling fan during opening hours.

27. Delay departure if you become unwell with symptoms of COVID-19 whilst in mosque (go home immediately and follow the stay at home guidance).

28. Disregard hand hygiene following contact with anyone who has become unwell from COVID-19 symptoms.

29. Disregard notice on door indicating mosque full and force entry.

30. Disregard volunteers advise on staggered exit.

31. Gather up at entry/exit points.

32. Hold any gathering without approval.

33. Disregard the recommendation to complete attendance record form (voluntary) as this information will need to be supplied to NHS Test and Trace if requested.

**Thank you  
for your  
cooperation & understanding**