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PROVIDER BULLETIN

Thursday 29 MAY 2020

ASYMPTOMATIC COVID 19 STAFF TESTING UPDATE

The process for mass Care Home Staff Covid 19 testing at the Marley Fields Testing site is being simplified.

The full details can be found at **Article A** in the [Provider Zone](#) . Also included is a referral form .

SYSTEM ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES FOR CARE HOME SWABBING

The guidance has now been updated!

The full details can be found at **Article B** in the [Provider Zone](#) . Also included are additional attachments.

HOME SUPPORT PROVIDER POSITION SURVEY

The purpose of the Home Support Provider Position Survey is to determine the impact on your organisation during the early stages and peak of the pandemic as well as an indication of service availability post pandemic.

Considering the necessary impact and focus on Care Homes, it was highlighted on a number of occasions by our Home Support Providers that this was needed for the community based care sector.

More information to follow via a flash email later today!

BCA REGISTERED MANAGERS NETWORK MEETING

Thursday 4 June 2020, 2pm via Zoom (see Article C in the [Provider Zone](#) for more details).

HEALTH AND CARE EMPLOYEE WELLBEING SUPPORT

newly formed Health and Wellbeing offer that brings together a substantial range of resources to support the health and wellbeing of everybody working in our health and care sector, including volunteers and unpaid carers.

See **Article F** in the [Provider Zone](#) for more details.

BRADFORD DISTRICT CREDIT UNION

Bradford District Credit Union are #StillHereToHelp by supporting the council and voluntary sector with a range of resources to help you manage your money through the Covid-19 pandemic.

See **Article D** in the [Provider Zone](#) for more details.

NEW RECRUITMENT PLATFORM LAUNCH - JOIN SOCIAL CARE

This may offer another solution for you looking to swiftly recruit staff into social care.

Skills for Care have funding from DHSC to support the cost of Rapid Induction Training via their Endorsed Learning Providers that those recruited can undertake prior to starting employment via this new recruitment platform.

Click [HERE](#) for more information.

TELEMEDICINE HUB - Care@Home COVID-19 Operating Model

Pathways to follow for advice:

- **Goldline:** for end of life pathway. Tel: 01535 292768.
- **Immedicare :** for care home residents. Tel: 01535 292764.
- **MyCare 24:** for patients living in their in own home. Tel: 01535 292764

See **Article E** in the [Provider Zone](#) for more details.

COVID 19 - BRADFORD COUNCIL

For more information on the Council's current position, in respect of Covid 19 please use this website:

[CLICK HERE](#)

Please ensure any information you consult is from a reliable sources, including the NHS, or the Public Health England.