



Prevention of Covid-19 Contingency Plan for Carers

During this outbreak of Covid-19, this is the plan for what we will do as a company to protect our clients and staff.

- 1) The carer will continue to wear all items of PPE that we have provided for them which includes face mask, disposable gloves, disposable apron, face visor and hand sanitizer. The carer will continue with their preventative measures of hand washing, wearing fresh gloves and apron for each task and disposing of them in a safe manner. **UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES WILL THE CARER REMOVE THEIR FACE MASKS WHILST THEY ARE IN THE HOMES OF THEIR CLIENTS.** The carer **after each shift** and upon returning to their home, remove their clothing, place them in a pillowcase and wash them immediately with antiseptic laundry cleaner and then have a shower before having contact with any further members of their own household.
- 2) The carer will take their own temperature **EVERY DAY** and report their temperature to the office for recording. If they show a raised temperature, the office will request that they telephone 111 for advice and report back to the office. If they are advised to self isolate, the office **MUST** be informed **immediately** so that their work can be covered.
- 3) After finishing their shift, The carer will go immediately to their own home, place their clothes into a pillowcase, shower, wash their clothes using antiseptic laundry cleaner.
- 4) All infection control policies will be implemented by the carer and will be overseen by their manager to ensure that it is being correctly carried out and recorded appropriately.