

This risk assessment applies to **White Horse Enterprise Centre** specifically and sets out the measures being used to maintain a safe environment for all occupants and visitors and reduce the transmission risk of covid-19 coronavirus as far as is reasonably practicable. Particular attention is given to those at greatest risk including vulnerable groups, pregnant women, and those with underlying health conditions.

By applying the control measures set out below, each of these workplaces is deemed to be COVID secure.

The risk assessment relies on the cooperation and vigilance of all external Bookers and Delegates.

Principles of controlling transmission risk	Controls being applied	Specific actions and monitoring
<b><u>1. Control of access to Meeting Rooms</u></b>  <b>Keeping meeting room usage in accordance with COVID 19 protocols to reduce potential levels of covid-19 transmission.</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- controlled access point</li> <li>- parts of buildings closed or out of bounds</li> </ul>	<p>Precise management of access &amp; use of White Horse Enterprise Centre rooms.</p> <p>Non-tenant meeting activity to be focused solely on the Ascot Suite with no admittance to the Enterprise Centre itself.</p> <p>Tenants can additionally access meeting rooms within the Enterprise Centre for internal meetings only and must follow these protocols for meeting room management and those of the Centre specific Risk Assessment (previously circulated) for use of other facilities such as toilets and kitchenettes.</p>	<p>Meeting Rooms to be locked when not in use.</p> <p>Use of meeting rooms to be booked via White Horse Enterprise Centre Administrator or Centre Manager as applicable.</p> <p>Room Booker to provide list of delegates and to confirm attendees and contact details for potential follow up.</p> <p>This Risk Assessment given to all Bookers on confirmation of booking.</p>
<b><u>2. Social distancing protocols</u></b>  <b>Maintaining social distancing between occupants as far as is practicable will reduce potential levels of covid-19 transmission.</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Social distancing in meeting rooms and communal spaces within White Horse Enterprise Centre</li> </ul>	<p>Maximum number of delegates allowed in the Ascot Suite = 15 plus trainer.</p> <p>Layout of White Horse Enterprise Centre Meeting Rooms set in accordance with social distancing protocols, i.e social distancing of 2 metres to be maintained, desks to be arranged to avoid face to face configuration.</p>	<p>White Horse Enterprise Centre Administrator, or Centre Manager if applicable, to set room in accordance with social distancing protocols.</p> <p>Room layout not to be changed by meeting Manager.</p>

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	<p>No gathering of delegates in the Networking Areas of White Horse Enterprise Centre.</p> <p>The onsite meeting Manager bears full responsibility for ensuring delegates observe social distancing throughout the event.</p> <p>Access to kitchen facilities for meeting Manager only. (Can they be restricted to using the kitchenette within the Ascot Suite only? Specify this if possible)</p>	<p>Room Booker to provide own tea &amp; coffee, sugar, milk.</p> <p>Centre Manager/ Administrator will supply hot water flasks/Water jugs to be placed in meeting room ahead of arrivals. Cups, teaspoons, glasses etc. will be provided for numbers booked.</p>
<p><b><u>3. Hygiene and cleaning regimes</u></b></p> <p><b>Encouraging and facilitating good personal hygiene techniques and operating a comprehensive cleaning regime will help to reduce potential levels of covid-19 transmission.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Hand washing</li> <li>- Hand sanitisers</li> <li>- Room cleaning &amp; hygiene</li> <li>- Kitchen / Refreshment</li> </ul>	<p>Specify that toilet facilities within the Ascot Suite to be used by meeting attendees.</p> <p>Soap dispensers &amp; paper towels provided in toilets.</p> <p>Meeting Bookers to provide hand sanitiser for own meeting participants as required.</p> <p>High Touch points and equipment in Meeting rooms to be cleaned after each meeting.</p> <p>A 72 hour break will be allowed in between meetings.</p> <p>Meeting Booker to provide own flipchart, pens, projector and other equipment and to remove these from site at the end of the meeting. Flipchart stand and projector available on request.</p> <p>Basic refreshment stand will be set up beforehand to include crockery, spoons etc.</p>	<p>TEN will provide the meeting Manager with anti-bio spray &amp; cloths to wipe down work surfaces &amp; touch points at end of each meeting day/booking.</p> <p>Contract Cleaner will have access in between the meetings</p> <p>Meeting Manager to remove all crockery to kitchen and place in dishwasher which will be set to high temperature cycle.</p> <p>Spray cleaner and wipes in kitchen for surfaces and any touch points to be cleaned by Trainer or Booker.</p>
<p><b><u>4. Use of PPE</u></b></p> <p><b>Using suitable PPE in the correct manner will reduce potential levels of covid-19 transmission.</b></p>	<p>Use of PPE onsite is not mandated at the time of writing this document. This will be updated if regulations change.</p>	<p>Use of PPE (face masks) onsite in meeting rooms and communal areas will be mandated for tenant businesses, employees and TEN staff.</p>

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	<p>It can be worn as a personal preference and the room Booker can supply PPE, if they wish to their delegates.</p> <p>PPE must NOT be disposed of on site.</p>	<p>PPE will not be supplied to tenant businesses by TEN.</p> <p>PPE must NOT be disposed of on site.</p>
<p><b><u>5. Information and instruction</u></b></p> <p><b>Maintaining a high level of awareness of the sensible precautions to adhere to, will help to reduce potential levels of covid-19 transmission.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Signage</li> <li>- Track and Trace</li> <li>- Adherence to Guidelines</li> </ul>	<p>Covid19 aware signage in place in White Horse Enterprise Centre.</p> <p>Track and Trace – Booker will be required to provide contact list of all meeting attendees. If the Booker becomes aware of any attendees reporting symptoms or being quarantined for C-19 post-event they must immediately inform the Manager / Administrator.</p> <p>It is expected that Meeting Bookers and onsite meeting Manager will adhere to the guidance. TEN staff will oversee that the guidance is being followed.</p>	<p>On site meeting Manager responsible for managing their group and monitoring protocols during the event. Centre Manager / Administrator to observe measures are being adhered to.</p> <p>A copy of this Risk Assessment will be provided to the Room Bookers in advance for inclusion joining instructions/attendees.</p> <p>Track and Trace – Booker to provide names and contacts of meeting attendees by email to Manager or Administrator. This will be checked and confirmed on the day to reflect any “no-shows”.</p> <p>Booker to notify TEN staff about any concerns re: delegates health post meeting.</p> <p>Any non-compliance could result in the dispersal of a meeting in progress and cancellation of future bookings. No refunds would apply.</p>
<p><b><u>6. Emergency procedures</u></b></p> <p><b>Maintaining adequate emergency arrangements is essential for the safe usage of buildings and will allow the continuation of essential covid-19 service delivery.</b></p>	<p>A copy of Emergency Procedures will be in all Meeting Rooms clearly displayed.</p>	<p>Managers and Administrators to ensure that all Emergency Procedures are up to date and clearly displayed.</p>

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- fire and assembly point</li> <li>- first aid provision</li> </ul>		<p>Any update for the day will be communicated with the Booker.</p> <p>Please note: No First Aiders on site.</p>

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