



Update 25.06.2021 Rapid Asymptomatic Testing Programme for Workforces

Local employers have a vital role to play in minimising the spread of infection of COVID-19 among those who cannot work from home by introducing regular testing to identify asymptomatic cases within their workforce.

Rapid Asymptomatic Testing Programme for Workforces:

- All organisations with 10 or more employees or volunteers who cannot work from home are now able to access the workforce asymptomatic testing programme.
- Provision has also been made to enable small businesses or organisations with 10 or less employees who cannot work from home to access rapid Lateral Flow Devices (LFD) tests. The range of options will be expanding over the coming weeks but currently includes a Lateral Flow Devices (LFD) Collect service from Local Testing Sites and a Home Delivery service.
- Businesses within the Newry Mourne and Down District council area can now collect Lateral Flow Devices (LFD) Test Kits for their workforces from the following address:

Kilkeel Leisure Centre

Mourne Esplanade,

Kilkeel,

Newry,

BT34 4DB

Telephone: 0330 137 4026

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday 9am – 5pm, Saturday 9am – 4pm

Organisations wanting to introduce workforce testing should submit an expression of interest via the following link: <https://www.health-ni.gov.uk/forms/workforce-asymptomatic-testing-programme-register-interest>

For further information on the Rapid Asymptomatic Testing Programme for workforces please visit: www.health-ni.gov.uk/rapid-tests