



To whom it may concern

CORONAVIRUS COMPLIANCE STATEMENT : ESSENTIAL TRAVEL

Care & Repair undertakes urgent repairs and installs disability aids and adaptations to help vulnerable older people stay safe and well at home.

This Compliance Statement confirms that I, _____, am on business on behalf of _____ Care & Repair.

The nature of my work means that I will be travelling to and from work, purchasing tools and materials from hardware stores, and visiting vulnerable and older people's homes to undertake essential works. This activity is specified, within Section 8(2)(1) of **The Health Protection (Coronavirus Restrictions) (Wales) Regulations 2020**, as a "reasonable excuse" for me to leave the place where I am livingⁱ. It may also be necessary for me to meet and/or work with colleagues which action falls within the exceptions from gathering in a public placeⁱⁱ.

I confirm that I will be observing social distancing and additional safeguarding measures in line with UK Government Guidance on Shielding And Protecting People Defined On Medical Grounds As Extremely Vulnerable (21 March 2020).

Signed:

[insert signature and name of Agency worker/contractor]

Signed:

[insert signature and name of Chief Officer]

ⁱ Section 8(2)(1)(a) states that a "reasonable excuse" includes the need "to obtain from any business listed in Part 4 of Schedule 1 — (i) basic necessities, including food and medical supplies for those in the same household (including animals in the household) or for vulnerable persons; (ii) supplies (including money) for the essential upkeep, maintenance and functioning of the household, or the household of a vulnerable person" and Section 8(2)(1)(f) "to travel for the purposes of work or to provide voluntary or charitable services, where it is not reasonably practicable for that person to work, or to provide those services, from the place where they are living".

ⁱⁱ Section 8(5)(b) provides an exception to gatherings of no more than 2 people "where the gathering is essential for work purposes".