

NATIONAL LOCKDOWN RULES

From 5 January [National lockdown rules apply in England.](#)

Foot Health Practitioners can continue to service their clients but should do so only having viewed the government website: <https://www.gov.uk/> published 4 January 2021

National restrictions apply in England from 5th January. People should stay at home where possible and should only travel to work if they cannot work from home.

Find out about the [new restrictions and what you can and cannot do.](#)

Navigate to: <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/national-lockdown-stay-at-home>

Going to work

'Where it is necessary for you to work in other people's homes - for example, for nannies, cleaners or tradespeople - you can do so.'

Your insurance continues to cover public liability and your work as in normal times. Your insurance does not cover issues related to Covid-19.

Follow all previous guidance and exercise professional discretion – Coronavirus is a respiratory disease transmitted by inhaling droplets exhaled by those infected. Droplets can land on clothing or other surfaces, and aerosols can persist in poorly ventilated rooms. Wear PPE – hands – face – space. 'Phone ahead to ensure that neither your client nor anyone in their household is showing symptoms of infection. Ensure that you can work in a safe space with others retiring to another room. Wash hands thoroughly. Keep your treatment time short to reduce exposure.