



## **IPC Funding list – Home Support/Supported Living**

### **Staffing**

- Infection Prevention and Control – Train the Training so we can train staff in-house.
- Infection Prevention and Control – pay to staff for attending additional IPC training.
- First Aid Mental Health - Train the Training so we can train staff in-house.
- First Aid Mental Health - pay to staff for attending training.
- Full pay top up for staff diagnosed with COVID19
- E-learning Fees - Refresher training for existing staff and training for new staff; reduce face-to-face training.
- Rearranging rota and schedule of visits to minimise the number of staff contacts for service users
- Costs of management teams and supervision time to embed staff changes etc.
- Recruitment and retention costs, induction, and training time for those new/returning recruits; completing CQC tracker and other COVID-19 requested reporting; test and trace management; and appointing infection control champions.
- Review and update policy, procedures, and contracts in accordance with new IPC measures.
- Additional staffing costs to facilitate COVID-19 additional cleaning within service users' homes.
- Travel costs of staff to minimise social contact This might include bike, taxi, minibus or car mileage to collect staff teams in a locality, and the provision of extra facilities e.g. bicycle stands.
- Additional staffing costs to facilitate COVID-19 additional cleaning This might include: the staff time element of additional cleaning of the environment, (e.g. door handles and handrails where all hard surfaces need more regular cleaning than in normal times) particularly in 'communal' spaces for cohorted service users that these will require additional cleaning.

## **Infrastructure**

- Additional office lease rent – e.g. taken an additional office so essential staff can work from the office whilst maintaining social distancing
- Renew fixtures, fittings, and furniture in poor conditions. eg Flooring - replacing old carpet with non-slip flooring which is less likely to retain virus and enables good design in building, fixtures, and fittings
- Installation of screens/ barriers and signage in office
- Addition of small kitchenette facilities / Washing facilities
- Utilising rooms for Changing or storage facilities in cohorted areas to minimise staff movement between areas; re-arrangement costs of internal or external areas and / or signage to allow social distancing or cohorting.
- Accommodation costs of staff to minimise social contact

## **Equipment**

- PPE
- PPE Compliance Costs - Increased spot checks and Supervisions for care assistants to ensure care assistants are wearing PPE
- Zoom subscription
- New computer equipment (e.g. laptops or tablets to reduce sharing of resources & physical movement)
- Minibus for staff travel
- Boost Wi-Fi connection to enable remote working
- Replace other equipment that is antibacterial
- Upgrade hand dryers and move to paper hand towels and bins
- Thermometers
- Specialist antibacterial deep cleans such as fogging.
- Industrial steam cleaner/Fogging Machine/Carpet Cleaners
- Extra Staff Uniforms to allow for more frequent washing
- In cases of specialist client/staff need, additional equipment may be required (e.g. facemask with clear Perspex panel to enable lip reading).