

COVID-19 Update for UK Employees | 26/03/2021

Easter Holidays – Reminder of Covid Behaviours

As we approach the Easter weekend and reach the latest stage in the Government’s roadmap for easing lockdown, we appreciate that many employees will be making plans with family and friends.

While this is a good opportunity to relax and enjoy a well-deserved break, please ensure you continue to remain vigilant to the risk posed by the virus; even if you have been vaccinated or are meeting those who have been.

Remember to follow the Four Behaviours that Save Lives, with particular emphasis on personal hygiene measures and physical distancing. Stay safe, and encourage your loved ones to be similarly alert.

29 March



Rule of 6 or two households outdoors.
No household mixing indoors.



Outdoor sport and leisure facilities.



Organised outdoor sport allowed (children and adults).



Minimise travel.
No holidays.



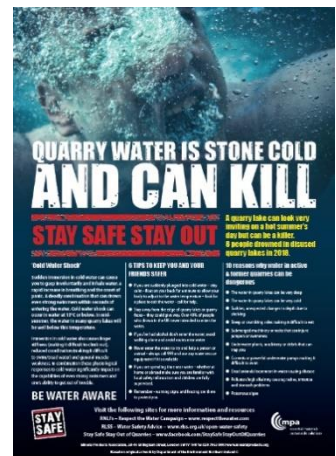
Outdoor parent & child groups (up to 15 parents).

Increased Risk of Trespassers during Easter Period

A further aspect of the Easter holidays we need to be aware of, is the increased possibility of trespassers at our sites; particularly where there is open water – a risk compounded by the lockdown measures and potential good weather. This is a difficult situation for those who work at our sites and we appreciate all the efforts you make to manage this. Please continue to ensure control measures and rescue equipment are in place and included in site inspection schemes.

Please do speak to your Health & Safety Specialist about any concerns or questions you may have.

Additionally, RoSPA’s Managing Safety at Inland Waters is available as a free digital download [here](#). This publication contains advice and resources for site managers and duty holders at UK inland water sites. It reflects recent developments in criminal and civil case law. Topics include advice and practical examples on risk assessment, selecting and evaluating controls, creating and aligning water safety policies.



Employee Assistance Programme

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Support with everything from consumer rights to bereavement, depression & anxiety to childcare.

