

## Supporting organisations

This guidance has been endorsed by the following healthcare professional organisations

- Academy for Healthcare Science\*
- Academy of Medical Royal Colleges\*
- Allied Health Professions Federation\*
- Association of Optometrists
- British Dental Association
- College of Optometrists
- Royal College of Midwives
- Royal College of Nursing
- Royal Pharmaceutical Society

The following professional regulatory bodies have also confirmed that the advice set out in this guidance is consistent with their standards and guidance

- General Dental Council
- General Chiropractic Council
- General Medical Council
- General Pharmaceutical Council
- Health and Care Professions Council
- Nursing and Midwifery Council

**\*The Academy for Healthcare Science represents**

- Association for Clinical Biochemistry and Laboratory Medicine [ACB]
- Association for Respiratory Technology and Physiology [ARTP]
- Association of Anatomical Pathology Technicians [AAPT]
- Association of Biomedical Andrologists [ABA]
- Association of Clinical Embryologists [ACE]
- Association of Gastrointestinal Physiologists [AGIP]
- Association of Neurophysiological Scientists [ANS]
- Association of Renal Technologists [ART]
- British Academy of Audiology [BAA]
- British Blood Transfusion Society [BBTS]
- British Heart Rhythm Society [BHRS]
- British Society for Clinical Electrophysiology of Vision [BrisCEV]
- British Society for Echocardiography [BSE]
- British Society for Histocompatibility and Immunogenetics [BSHI]
- Institute of Biomedical Science [IBMS]
- Institute of Medical Illustrators [IMI]
- Institute of Physics and Engineering in Medicine [IPEM]



- Society for Cardiological Science and Technology (SCST)
- Society for Vascular Technology of Great Britain & Ireland (SVTGBI)
- Society of Critical Care Technologies (SCCT)

#### \*The Academy of Medical Royal Colleges represents

- Royal College of Anaesthetists
- Royal College of Emergency Medicine
- Royal College of General Practitioners
- Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists
- Royal College of Ophthalmologists
- Royal College of Paediatrics and Child Health
- Royal College of Pathologists
- Royal College of Physicians & Surgeons of Glasgow
- Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh
- Royal College of Physicians of Ireland
- Royal College of Physicians of London
- Royal College of Psychiatrists
- Royal College of Radiologists
- Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh
- Royal College of Surgeons of England
- Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland
- Faculty of Dental Surgery
- Faculty of Forensic and Legal Medicine
- Faculty of Intensive Care Medicine
- Faculty of Occupational Medicine
- Faculty of Pharmaceutical Medicine
- Faculty of Public Health
- Faculty of Sexual and Reproductive Healthcare
- Faculty of Sports and Exercise Medicine

#### \*The Allied Health Professions Federation represents

- British Association for Music Therapy (BAMT)
- The British Association of Art Therapists (BAAT)
- British Association of Dramatherapists (BADth)
- The British Dietetic Association (BDA)
- British Association of Prosthetists and Orthotists (BAPO)
- British and Irish Orthoptic Society (BIOS)
- Royal College of Occupational Therapists (RCOT)
- Chartered Society of Physiotherapy (CSP)
- The College of Paramedics
- The College of Podiatry (CoP)
- Royal College of Speech and Language Therapists (RCSLT)
- Society and College of Radiographers (SCoR)