

COVID-19 Precautions

If you are able to do so, please continue to wear a face covering in crowded and enclosed spaces for the protection of yourself and others – for example while queuing to enter rooms or at the bar. We do have spare disposable masks should you need one while at Swanwick.

Please respect the personal space of others and remember that some delegates may be vulnerable, or nervous about mixing closely with others.

The Hayes is taking all steps possible to ensure that guests are safe – you can find information on this here:

<https://www.cct.org.uk/downloads/covid/conference-with-confidence-booklet-2020.pdf>

This includes take-away lunches that can be eaten outside. As there is less transmission outdoors, we anticipate delegates may want to spend more time outside. You may wish to bring a throw or blanket with you for the cool evenings.

To reduce the risk of spreading COVID-19, or being forced to isolate after arrival, you may wish to take a COVID-19 lateral flow test before leaving home and/or bring some with you. These can be obtained here:

<https://www.gov.uk/order-coronavirus-rapid-lateral-flow-tests>

Or you can find out where to collect one locally here:

<https://maps.test-and-trace.nhs.uk/>

Please note that you are required to self-isolate immediately if:

- you have any symptoms of COVID-19 (a high temperature, a new, continuous cough or a loss or change to your sense of smell or taste)
- you've tested positive for COVID-19
- someone you live with has symptoms or has tested positive for COVID-19
- you've been told by NHS Test and Trace or the NHS COVID-19 app that you've been in contact with someone who has tested positive and must self-isolate

In those circumstances you must not attend Swanwick 2021.

After arrival, if you feel unwell, please notify The Hayes' duty manager, isolate in your room and you will be provided with further guidance.

If the government should re-impose restrictions before Swanwick 2021 starts, you must comply with them or you will be asked to leave.

Please note that, to minimise risk and ensure that everyone can attend, there will be no singing at the Farewell on Thursday evening.