

# Information and advice for Tusla staff

# COVID-19



## IMPORTANT

Line managers are asked to ensure that all staff under their remit are made aware of the content of this update

## URGENT CALL TO ALL TUSLA EMPLOYEES TO SELF-VOLUNTEER FOR REDEPLOYMENT

We thank all staff for your continued support and flexibility during this crisis.

During this time of Emergency Public Health measures and to assist us in continuing to maintain vital services during this public health emergency Tusla are requesting that all suitably qualified Tusla employees volunteer for the following:

1. **Internal Reassignment** within Tusla to Critical Frontline services in Residential, Child Protection & Welfare and Emergency Out of Hours. Initial immediate need is in Residential Services.
2. **External Redeployment** to the HSE to assist in continued delivery of critical frontline services, Contact Tracing and COVID-19 Helplines

All volunteers will be included in an available bank of emergency staff for Internal Reassignment and External Redeployment. It is important that you notify your current line manager when volunteering.

1. We are now accepting applications from the following employees for **Internal Reassignment**

All social care qualified:

Not currently working as Social Care staff in Residential Services

All social work qualified:

Not currently working in Child Protection & Welfare, Children in Care and Out of Hours Teams  
Not currently performing a social work role in Tusla

Any other suitably qualified staff with relevant qualifications

Staff not in frontline services

Click here to apply for  
**Internal Reassignment**

2. We are now accepting applications from the following employees for **External Redeployment** to the HSE to assist in continued delivery of critical frontline services, Contact Tracing and COVID-19 Helplines:

All qualified Nursing and Allied Health Professionals (excluding Social Work & Social Care)

PLEASE NOTE THAT ANY REDEPLOYMENT TO THE HSE WILL BE MANAGED AND AGREED VIA NATIONAL HR.

[Click here to apply for  
\*\*External Redeployment\*\*](#)

As needs arise, we may expand this call out for other staff categories.

Yours sincerely

Donal McCormack, Chairperson of CMT

## How to prevent



**Wash your  
hands**



**Cover mouth if  
coughing or sneezing**



**Avoid touching  
your face**



**Keep surfaces  
clean**



**Stop shaking  
hands and hugging**



**Keep a safe  
distance**

**TÚSLA**

An Ghníomhaireacht um  
Leanaí agus an Teaghlach  
Child and Family Agency