



## KEEPING THE LJS SAFE DURING COVID

The continued presence of COVID-19 means that the LJS has set down special guidance for all those entering the building for services, events and all activities. We ask you to adhere to this while you are on the premises of the LJS.

Contact and breath aerosol remain the most common ways of transmitting the virus. The government's 'hands, face, space and fresh air' slogan is the principal strategy to bear in mind as we take part in all activities at the LJS.

We will implement this strategy by:

- reducing contact points
- wearing face coverings
- giving everyone space
- increasing ventilation where possible

These arrangements will apply until further notice **for the safety of all users** of the LJS.

1. **The following should not consider entering** the building:
  - anyone who (in the previous 14 days) shows any symptoms of Covid-19 or who lives with people who do, or who has been in contact with a confirmed case
  - anyone who has been asked to self-isolate
  - anyone who has been quarantined having travelled recently
2. Everyone must **sanitise their hands** when entering or leaving the building for whatever purpose
3. Please keep **outer clothing with you** at all times. The cloakroom is closed. Please do not bring large bags into the building
4. Please **follow the one-way systems** throughout the building, the Sanctuary and the Montefiore Hall
5. Everyone **must wear a face-covering at all times** and keep a safe distance from others
6. Please **do not remove the ribbons or notices** in the Sanctuary – these are for your safety
7. The **Montefiore Hall doors will be kept open for ventilation**, so please dress warmly
8. When attending a Kiddush or other event in the Montefiore Hall where food is being served, masks may be removed. **Masks must be worn when stepping out of the hall for any reason.**
9. **Access to kitchens** is limited to approved personnel only
10. To avoid the spread of virus through breath aerosol, **mobile phone calls should not be made** within the building
11. For those attending services, please **bring your own Siddur, Kippah and Tallit**. All prayers are projected onto the walls on either side of the Ark
12. You may bring water to prevent dehydration during services and events. You may, of course, use the toilet during services, but please follow the one-way system to leave and return to the Sanctuary
13. For security reasons, **please do not congregate** on the forecourt, but disperse quickly

*We thank you for respecting these instructions and for your co-operation in these challenging times*