



4Sight Vision Support Covid-19 Virus Update, 17th March 2020

Changes to our services

In line with the latest Government and Public Health England (PHE) guidance, 4Sight Vision Support is taking the following actions with immediate effect.

1. All 4Sight Vision Support social clubs, activities and events are suspended until further notice.
2. Our three Vision Support Centres in Bognor Regis, Midhurst and Shoreham will be closed with immediate effect until further notice.
3. All of our outreach services in the community will be suspended with immediate effect, including drop-in centres, home visits, low vision assessments and any other face to face interactions.
4. Our Sight Care Advisor Service which operates in both Southlands and St Richard's Hospital Eye Clinics, will be closed from Friday 20th March.

In line with 'social distancing' recommendations from PHE, these measures are being taken with immediate effect to ensure the safety and wellbeing of all of our members, our volunteers and staff, as well as to support the wider efforts of the government in trying to alleviate the escalating demands on the NHS.

Ongoing support

- 4Sight Vision Support staff and trustees are working on a plan that will enable us to safely support our members through this difficult time and we will be providing details of that plan shortly.

Contact details

In the meantime, you can still contact us on these numbers or via email if you have any concerns about your eye health.

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We will continue to monitor the situation daily via Public Health England announcements and will make further changes to our services and plans as deemed necessary at that time.

We hope to be able to reopen our Centres and resume normal 4Sight Vision Support activities across West Sussex as soon as the Government and PHE say that is safe to do so.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation and for your continued support.

The 4Sight Vision Support Team

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For further information on 'Social Distancing' please follow this link to the Public Health England website:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-guidance-on-social-distancing-and-for-vulnerable-people/guidance-on-social-distancing-for-everyone-in-the-uk-and-protecting-older-people-and-vulnerable-adults>



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