

XPO Logistics

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COVID-19: Guidance and Best Practice
Keeping yourself and others
safe in the workplace



Introduction



- This document shares guidance and best practices for the safety of colleagues on site, in their cab, in the office and mobile workers
- Regular visitors are obliged to follow the same rules as XPO workers for this document
- We outline guidance for site/office managers and also what should be communicated to all employees, covering:
 - Guidance across all locations
 - Preparing the workplace
 - Arriving at site
 - Managing visitors
 - Breaks & welfare facilities
 - Warehouses & Transport sites
 - In the office
- We encourage you to take inspiration from those practices and adapt them to your site and operations, always remaining compliant to local governmental regulations
- Reference materials are included, covering processes, communications templates and posters

For questions/ comments, please contact your local EHS manager, or coronavirus.europe@xpo.com



Keep Yourself and Others Safe



COVID-19 – WHAT WE KNOW

- The virus is spread through droplets when people sneeze or cough. This can also be transmitted by touching a contaminated surface or touching one's face. The spread of the virus is possible before people are symptomatic. The spread of the disease is rapid. (WHO, 2020)
- The most common symptoms of this virus are fever, dry cough and shortness of breath. It is deadly to certain population groups (see local government guidelines) and can represent only a flu to others. (WHO, 2020)



For all locations

Guidance that can be applied across warehouses, transport sites, and offices



Preparing the Workplace



Communication

- All posters displayed
- Site entry and exit protocol (**self-certification** questionnaire) implemented
- Employees aware of how to put on and dispose of protective equipment
- Regular briefings/safety talks instated regarding COVID-19

Social Distancing

- **Risk** assessment conducted
- Shifts and breaks staggered
- Floor markings implemented
- Entrance/Exit, Working areas and welfare areas adapted
- Add a one-way system where possible (stairs, warehouse, entrance etc)
- Employee briefings adapted
- Transport partners (coaches/buses) informed of our policies

Hygiene

- Suitable wash areas are available and maintained
- Sufficient hand sanitizer is available
- Install hand sanitizer on both sides of any door that cannot be propped open
- Increased site cleaning in communal areas
- A process is in place to clean shared equipment
- Arrangements are in place to dispose of used material
- Contingency cleaning policy created In case of outbreak at site

PPE available

- Gloves
- Masks
- Hand sanitizer
- Antibacterial wipes

Health Assessment

- Self certification on entrance
- Temperature check where recommended
- Isolation room identified
- Briefing conducted to inform all colleagues of the procedures
- PPE available for the person screening temperature check

Prepare for if a colleague falls ill

- All relevant staff know the protocol
- Employee contact details are up to date
- Isolation room identified
- Toilets that could be isolated identified



General Advice

SITE / OFFICE MANAGERS

- All colleagues who can work from home should as often as possible
- Reduce the number of people on shift at a single time by implementing shift staggering; or by increasing the number of shifts where feasible
- Avoid having colleagues working at/visiting different sites
- Risk assess site for Covid-19 (see guidance)
- Add a one-way system where possible (stairs, warehouse, entrance etc)
- Install hand sanitiser on both sides of any door that cannot be propped open
- Increase the frequency of cleaning especially on points of contact

ALL EMPLOYEES

- Colleagues who need to go to sites should self-assess their health before going onto site
- Guidelines on the usage of PPE needs to be respected



REFERENCE MATERIALS

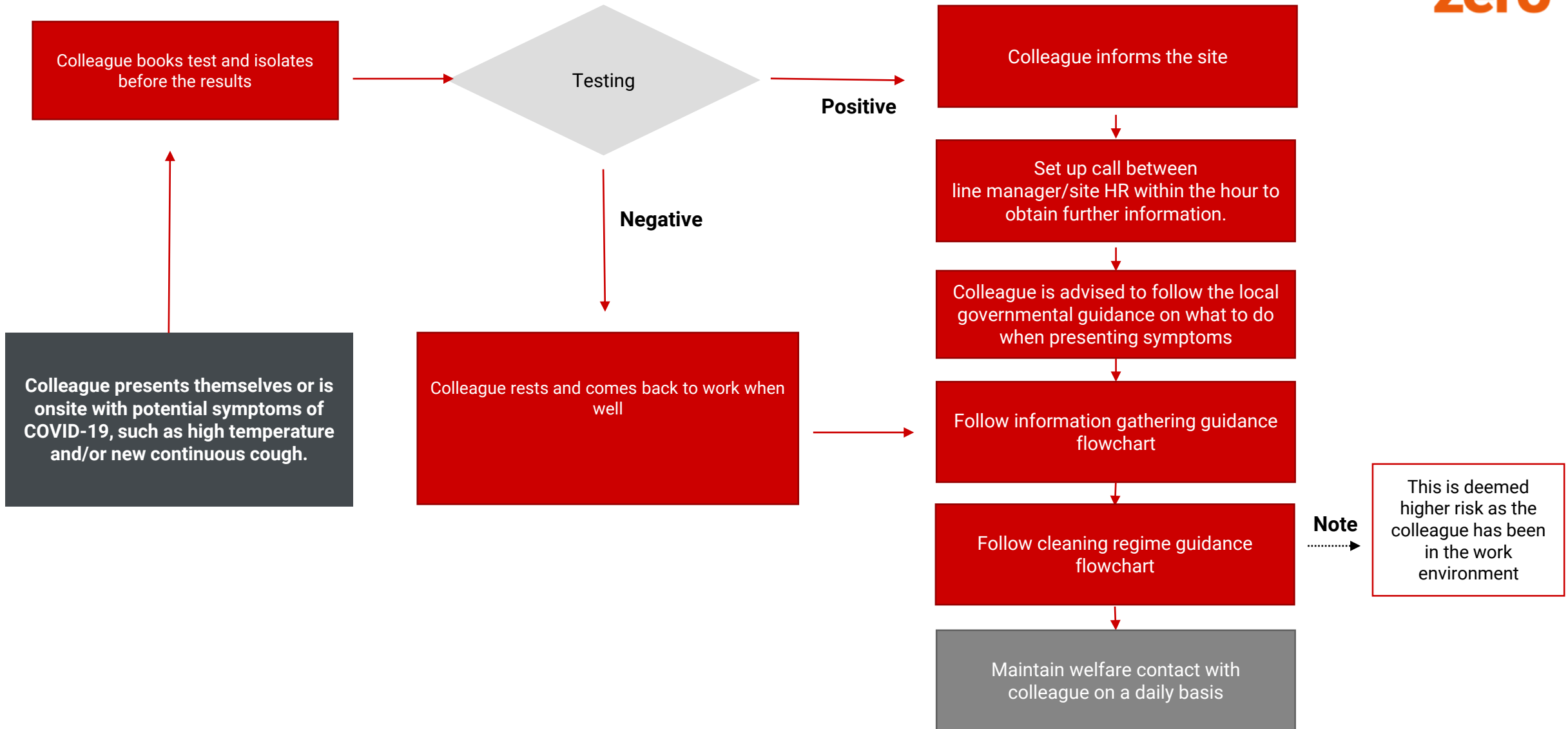
Site Checklists Risk assessment for sites

Cleaning procedure

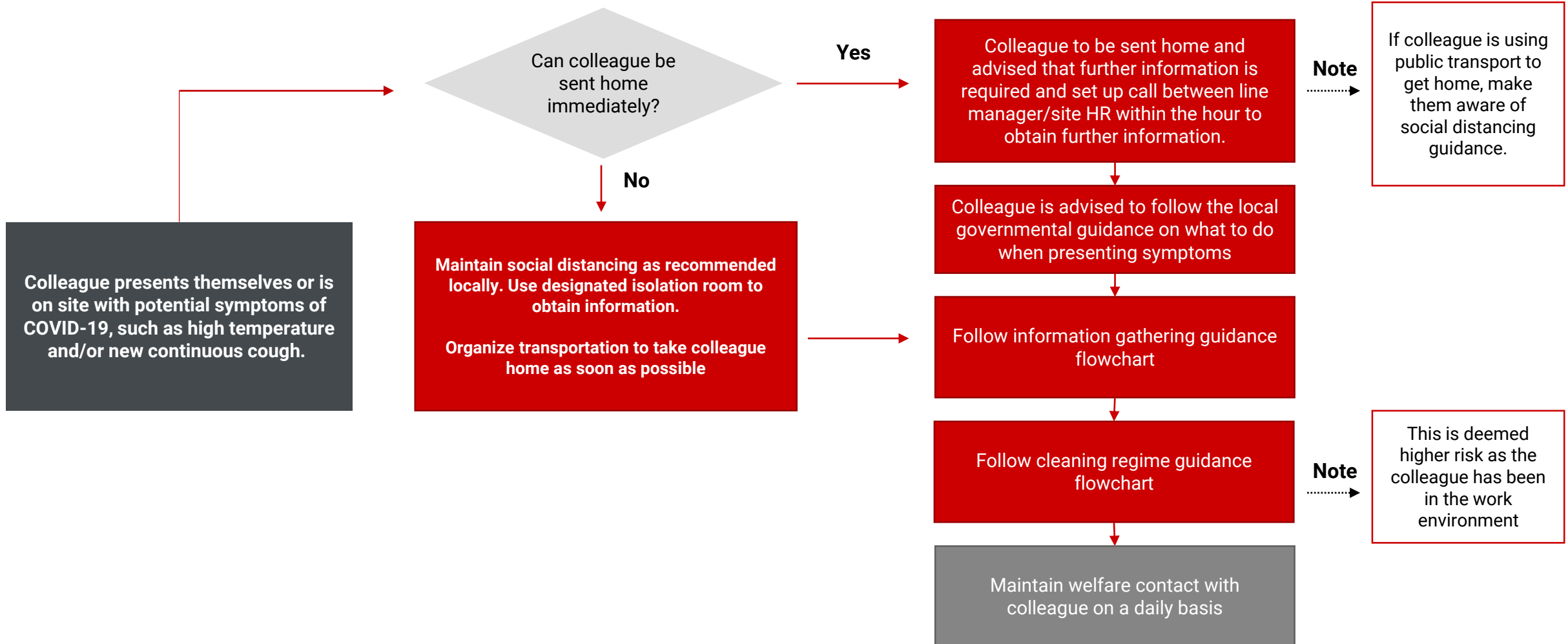
Our Response Poster

Protect your health Poster

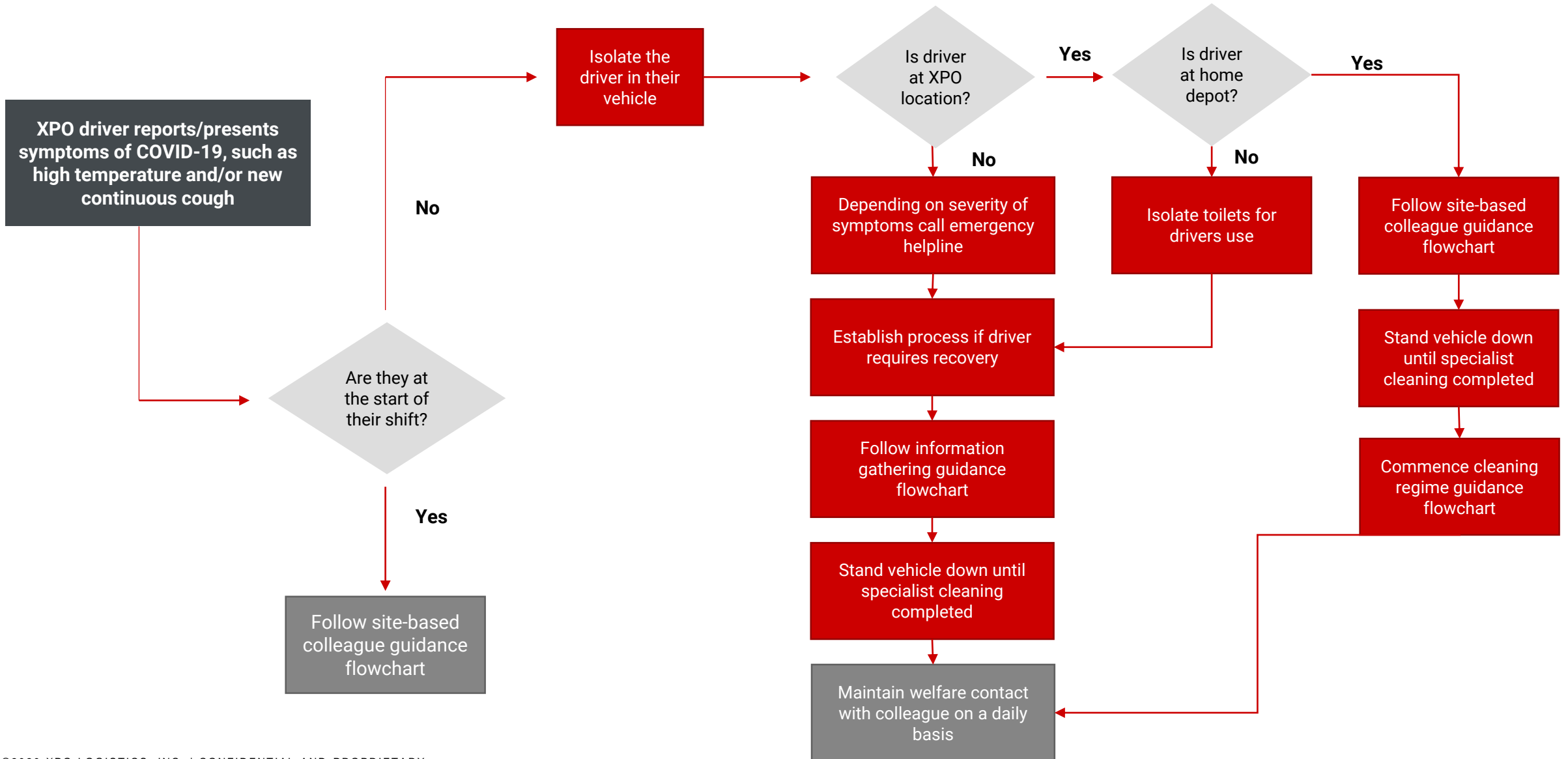
Positive case follow up actions



Site-based colleague falls ill during shift



Driver falls ill during shift



Reopening Sites



Before re-opening a site, ensure managers and colleagues are familiar with the procedures related to Covid-19 to maintain everyone's safety on site. The risk assessment document gives in-depth guidelines on how to do so

SITE / OFFICE MANAGERS

- Share company guidelines and practices before employees return to site to ensure protocols are being followed thoroughly
- Reassure colleagues on their safety
- Provide PPE to employees
- Modify location for ensuring social distancing is in place (see poster)
- Put mandatory posters up on walls
- Review fire and first aid procedures with employees
- Organize staggered shifts

ALL EMPLOYEES

- Make yourself familiar with company guidelines and practices before your return to site to ensure safe working conditions for you and your colleagues including fire and first aid procedures
- Avoid using changing rooms as much as possible
- Limit the items brought to sites
- Use recommended PPE as per guidelines



REFERENCE MATERIALS

Risk assessment for sites

Social distancing Poster

Protect your health Poster

Our Response Poster

Arriving to Locations

SITE / OFFICE MANAGERS

- Manage gatherings outside site between shifts
- Implement a one-way entrance system or several entrance doors where possible
- Leave doors open where possible to avoid contact with handles
- Ensure hand sanitizer is available at entrance
- Take employees temperature where the thermometers are in use
- Inform transport partners of our social distancing policies
- Provide shields for reception staff, brief them and lessen their exposure with floor tape, sign in for visitors
- *Best practice : Leave every other car parking spot free*

ALL EMPLOYEES

- Avoid car sharing where possible or sit on the backseat to keep social distancing measures
- Avoid public transport where possible, or stay far from others and limit contact to touchpoints (i.e. handrail)
- Wash hands when leaving public transport and when coming onto site
- Greet people with no contact and respecting social distance
- Do not gather in groups at the beginning of the shift
- Avoid lifts or turn your back to others in lifts



REFERENCE MATERIALS

Self-Certification Poster Social distancing Poster
Guideline for temperature check Risk assessment for sites

Temperature Screening (comply with local regulations)



SITE / OFFICE MANAGERS

- Risk assess the site and ask authorization for a temperature screening device if deemed necessary
- Screen temperatures as per the guidelines. Do not keep a record of the temperature or question screening results
- Display advisory signage

ALL EMPLOYEES

- Comply with temperature screening if your site demands it (change according to country regulations)
- Inform them of current medication or conditions that could impact your body temperature (according to country regulations)
- *Best practice: take your temperature and stay home if your temperature is abnormal*



REFERENCE MATERIALS

Guideline for temperature check Thermal cameras Poster

Managing Visitors



SITE MANAGERS

- Limit the number of visitors on site. This should only be for critical work (gas leak, extinguisher fault ...)
- Ask visitors to answer the site's self-certification questionnaire
- Ask visitors to wash their hands when coming onto site
- Clean the work area after they have left
- Ensure critical visitors are informed of the XPO and local guidelines for health and safety before coming on site

ALL EMPLOYEES

- Avoid any unrequired contact with visitors

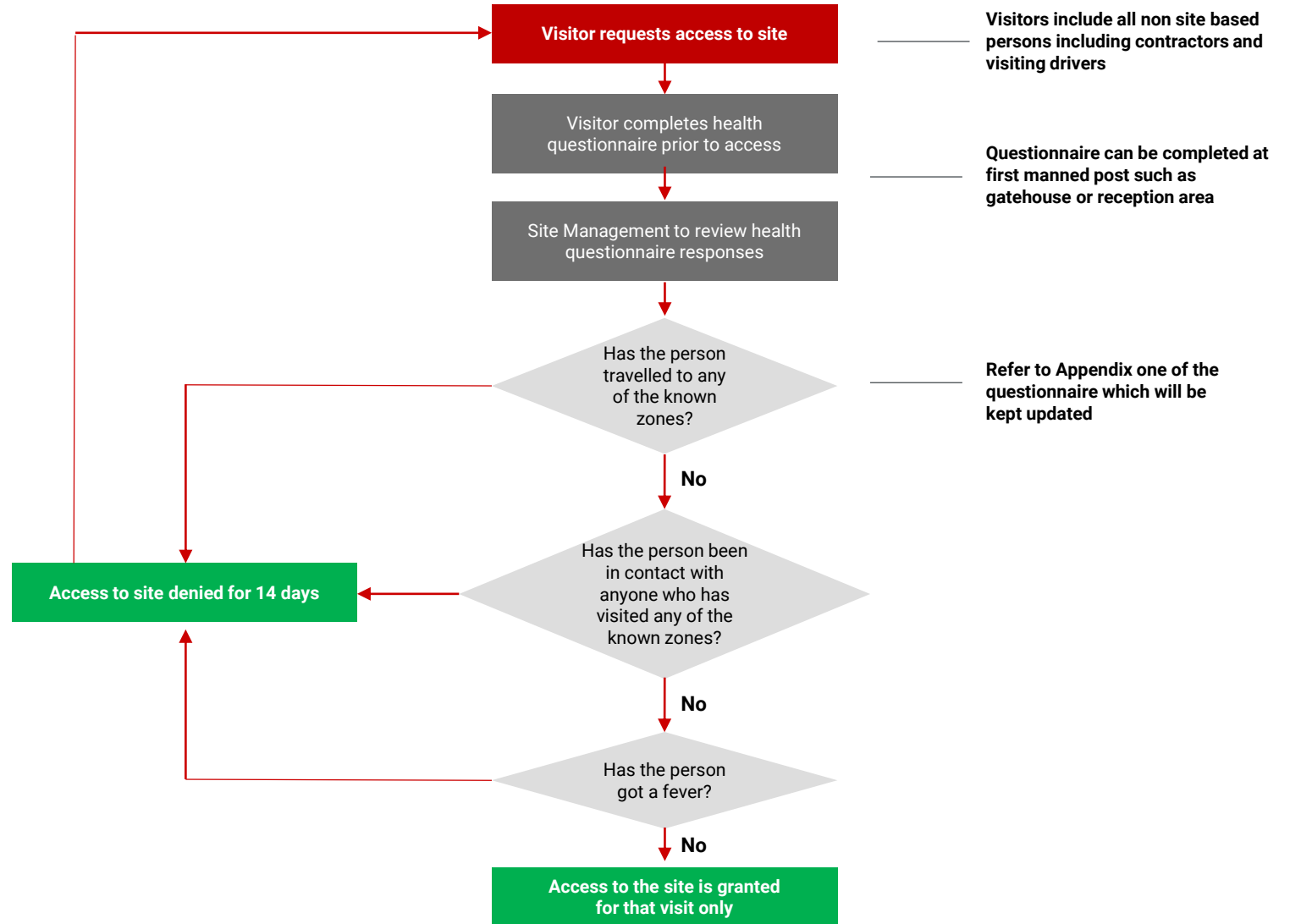


REFERENCE MATERIALS

Management of Visitors Protocol

Self-Certification Poster

Management of Site Visitors



Breaks and Welfare Facilities

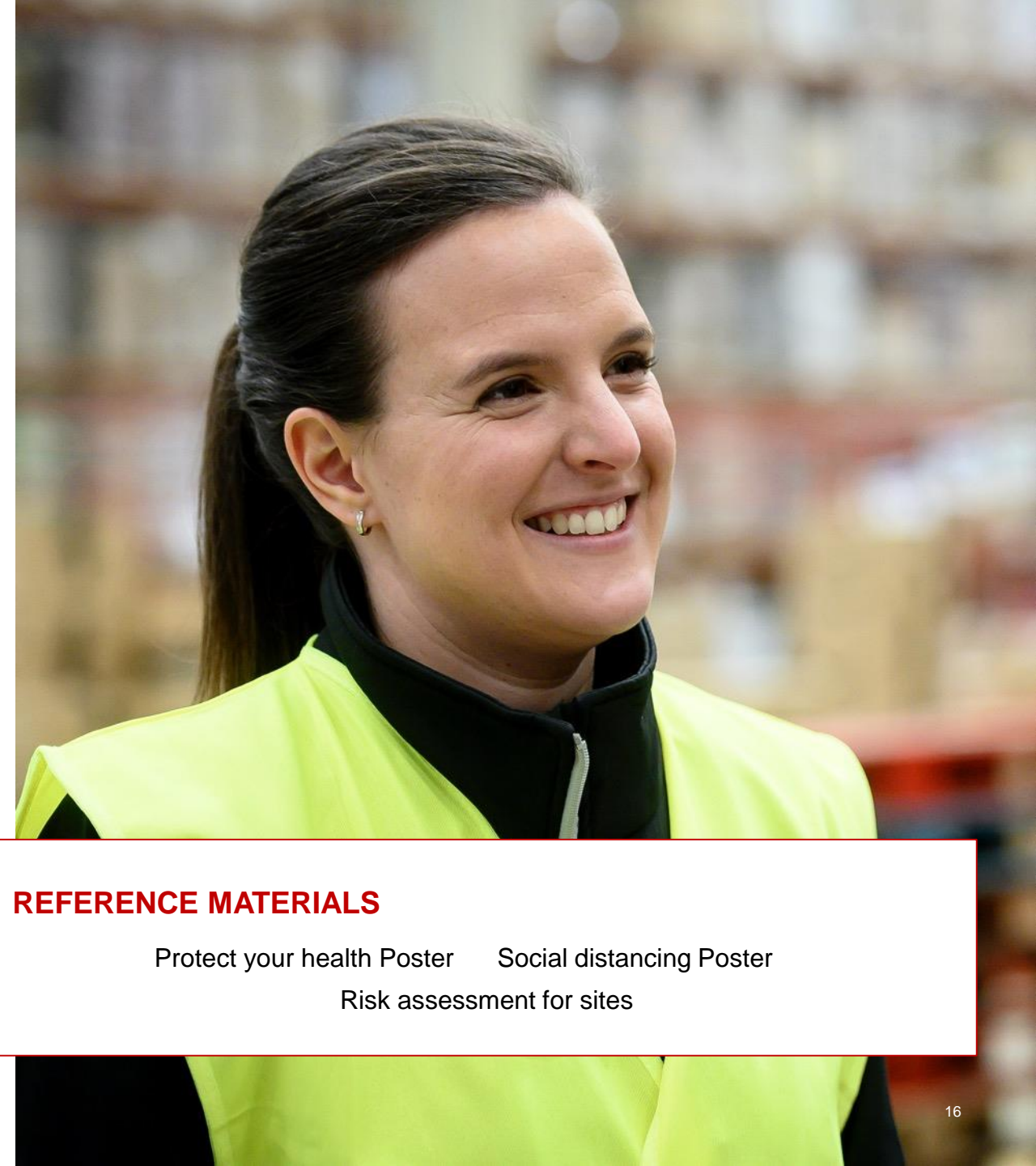


SITE MANAGERS

- Mark break areas with floor marking for distancing
- Toilets: limit the number of people accessing the facility
- Canteen/ coffee area: leave space between people/ card payments as much as possible. Do not use fridges and microwaves
- Reorganise the furniture to respect distancing guidelines
- Provide single use drying equipment for washrooms / sink areas
- Add posters reminding of preventative measures and social distancing
- *Best practice: Vending machines to be disabled, recommend card payments*

ALL EMPLOYEES

- Respect floor marking and social distance
- Wash your hands before and after breaks
- *Best practice: Pay with card where possible*



REFERENCE MATERIALS

Protect your health Poster Social distancing Poster
Risk assessment for sites

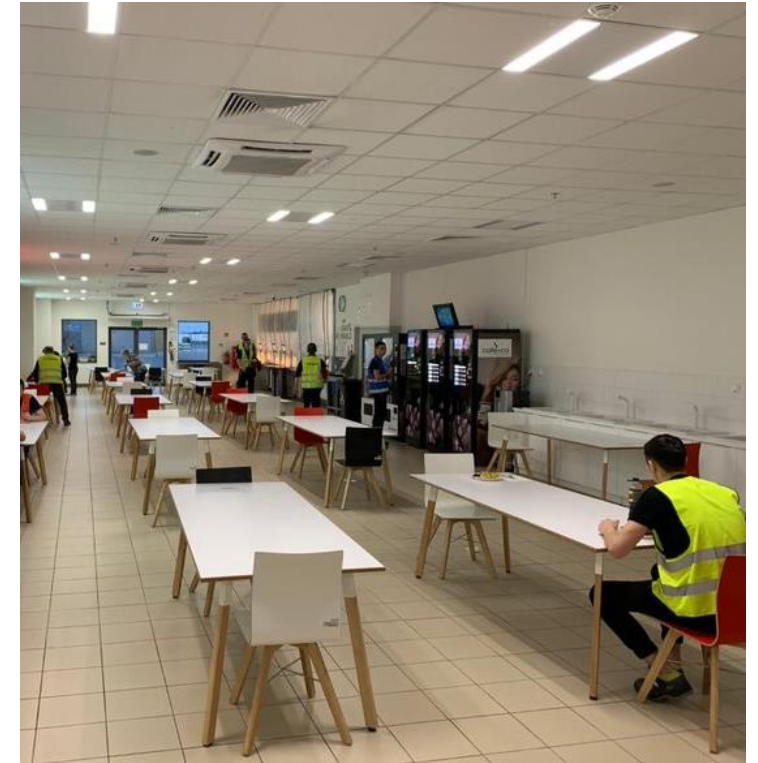
Examples



Disabled coffee machine



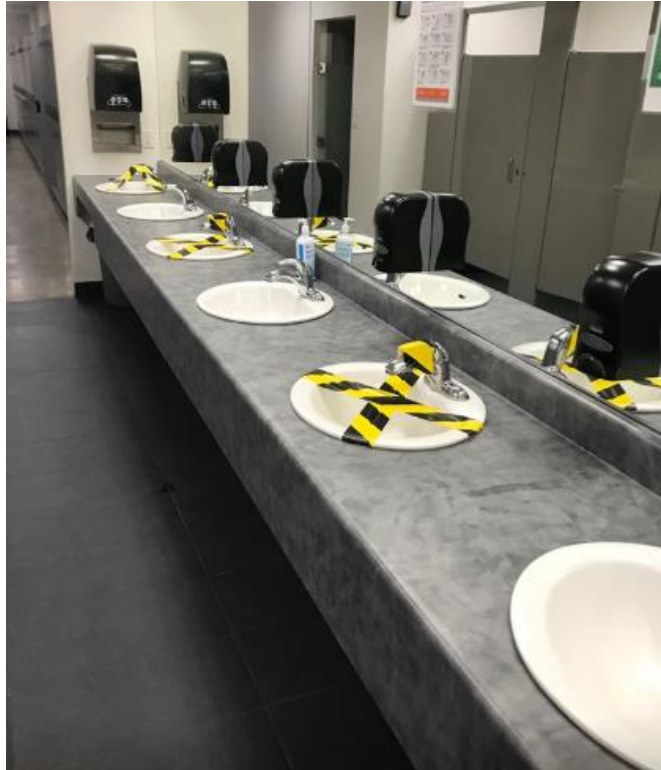
Shield in canteen to ensure distance



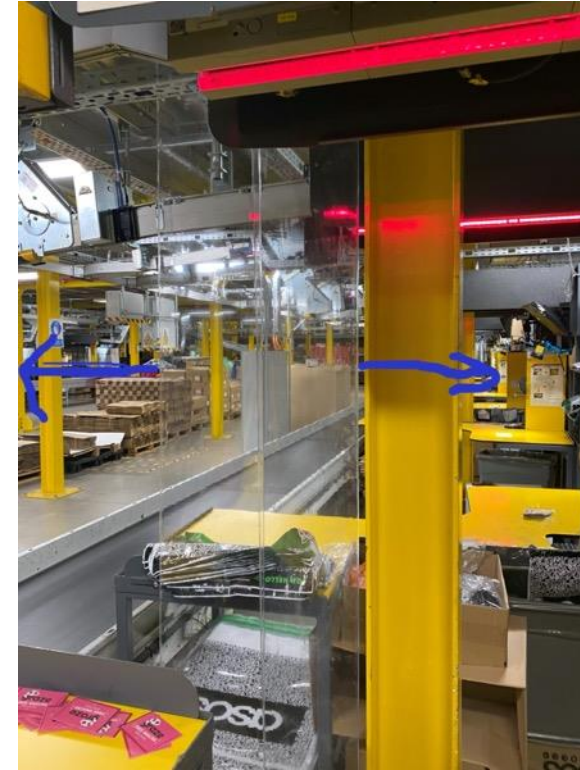
Canteen arrangements for distancing

Example of safety guidelines

Road to
zero



Facilities marking to respect distancing guidelines



Protective shields between workers

Example: Using tape to ensure Walkways and Team briefings follow social distancing rules



Floor markings to facilitate social distancing

Guidance for Warehouses and Transport Sites



Getting ready for the shift

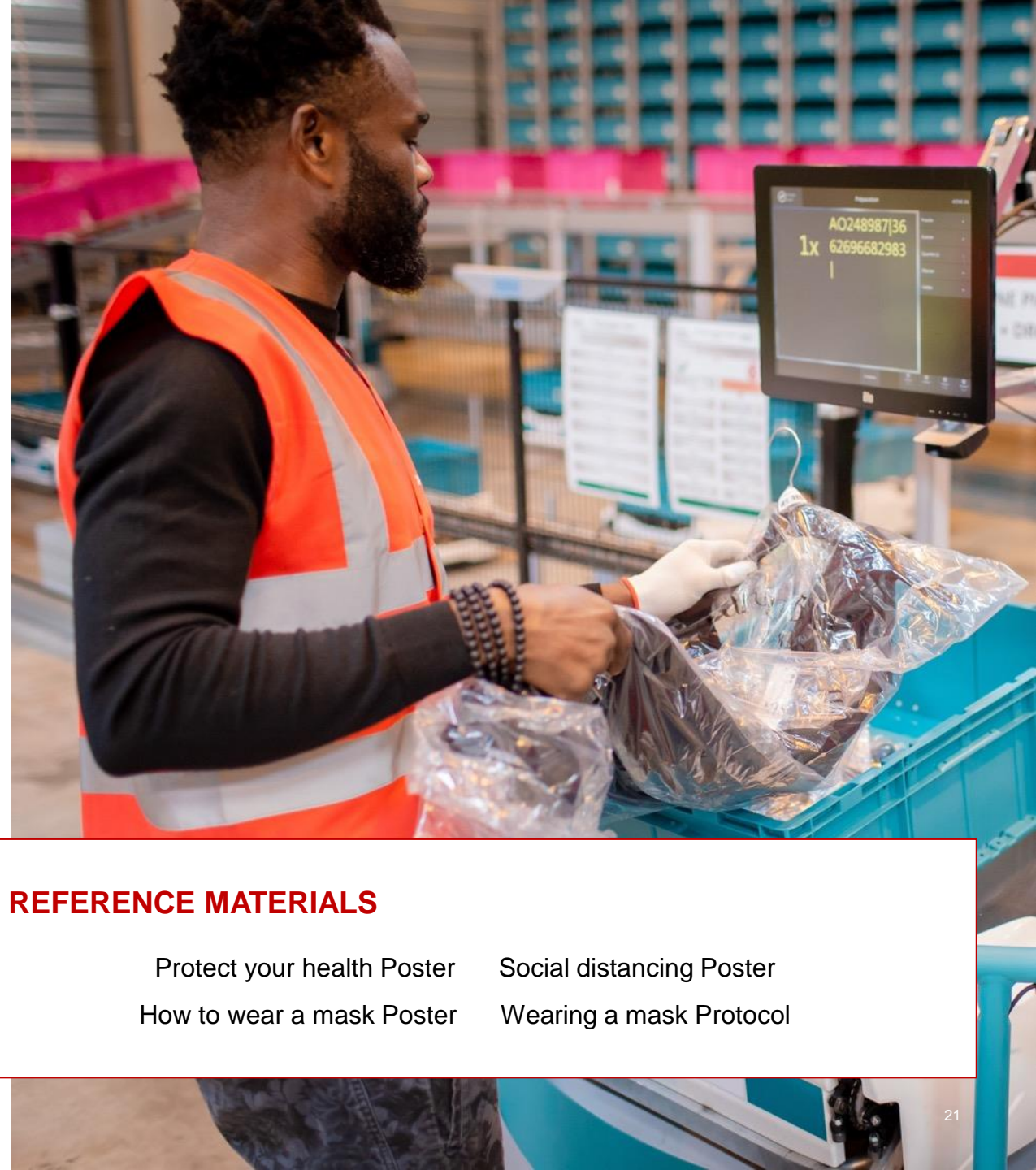


SITE MANAGERS

- Changing rooms: encourage getting changed at home, limit the number of people according to the size of the room
- Clocking in: try and have several machines, ensure distances are respected and sanitiser/ hand wash is used after contact with the machine.
- Mark the floor with the appropriate distance to keep
- Turnstiles: deactivate them where possible
- Have a one-way system to enter the warehouse where applicable
- Team briefing in accordance to social distancing
- Ensure employees know how to correctly use PPE

ALL EMPLOYEES

- Wash hands before entering the work area
- Wear the PPE required for your role and masks or gloves according to your site and country guidelines.
- Bring as little items as you need that day



REFERENCE MATERIALS

Protect your health Poster
How to wear a mask Poster

Social distancing Poster
Wearing a mask Protocol

During shifts



SITE MANAGERS

- Picking distance: add one-way systems and markers for worker distancing to be respected. If this is not possible, have them work diagonally rather than face to face
- Double manning jobs: limit them, keep the same pair, enforce use of PPE
- Have glass/plastic shields for driver offices
- Implement shields between workers where there is a lot of interaction or little distancing
- Risk assess any task that doesn't fall in line with any of the company's guidelines and take appropriate measures.
- Routinely check that social distancing and hygiene measures are being adhered to

ALL EMPLOYEES

- Picking distance: distancing to be respected
- Wash your hands regularly with soap or alcohol-based gel
- Collect Proof Of Delivery with little contact as possible
- Wear the appropriate PPE as advised, ask for guidance if you are unsure of how to use it
- Keep handheld devices to yourself or disinfect them between uses and wear gloves if possible



REFERENCE MATERIALS

Social distancing Poster

End of shift / exiting site



SITE MANAGERS

- Provide disposal for PPE
- Stagger end of shift where possible
- Manage social distancing guidelines in changing rooms, lockers and toilets
- Clocking out: ensure social distancing is respected, staggering the shifts should help avoid an excessively long queue.
- Implement one-way system or several exit doors where possible
- Manage gatherings of staff who finish shifts
- *Best practices: Turn off the mandatory pressing of the random search button. Searches can be maintained with distance*

ALL EMPLOYEES

- Dispose of your PPE in the appropriate bin
- Maintain social distancing guidelines in changing rooms, clock machines, lockers and toilets
- Clocking out: ensure social distancing is met



Warehouse – Some of the measures taken to reduce risk of COVID-19 - Example



Isolate according to guidance	Regular cleaning of turnstile	Sanitiser near turnstile	Sanitiser and information at clock in point	Handwashing encouraged	Sanitiser and information at reception	Canteen organised for social distancing	Targeted cleaning
Motion activated sanitisers	Breaks staggered	Restricted movements	Social distancing encouraged	Office staff segregated	Some staff working from home	Separate toilet and canteen from visiting drivers	
Work areas organised for distancing	Isolation room	Disposable gloves available	Facemasks available	Staggered finish times to avoid congestion	More regular cleaning	Handsets cleaned before use	Bsafes
Visitors waiting room	MHE cleaned before use	Daily updates	Notice boards	Canteen screen	Smoking area marked	Ongoing improvements	

Warehouse – Some of the measures taken to reduce risk of COVID-19 - Example



Isolate according to Government guidance	Daily updates	1 way clocking in / out system	Sanitiser and information at reception / clocking in point	Regular targeted cleaning	Canteen reorganised and pool table taken away	Information available and regularly updated	Dedicated bin for gloves and facemasks
Restricted numbers in toilets and locker room	Start / finish times staggered	Work areas modified / extended	Information for drivers visiting site	Wipes available to clean MHE / AMT	Disposable gloves and facemasks available	Isolation room	Ongoing improvements
Signage displayed all around the site	Restricted movements	Drivers key policy	Drivers wait in passenger seat of cab	Break times staggered	Restricted numbers in smoking area	Contractors / visitors only allowed if essential	Monitoring with Bsafes and Care cards
Office staff segregated	Some office staff working from home	Social distancing when clocking out	Tannoy calls reminding of distancing and hand washing				

Transport – Some of the measures taken to reduce risk of COVID-19 - Example

Road to zero



Regular cleaning of turnstile



Sanitiser near turnstile



Glass panel partition to transport office



Taped area inside and outside drivers lobby (Distancing)



Information screen and notices



Hand sanitiser for drivers



Covid-19 Specific SSoW



Separate canteen from visitors



Driver cleans cab before use. Deeper clean weekly.



Handwashing encouraged



Canteen organised for social distancing



Gloves and masks for drivers



Separate toilet for visiting drivers



Office staff segregated



Some staff working from home



Social distancing



Isolate according to guidance



Daily updates



Ongoing improvements

Transport – Some of the measures taken to reduce risk of COVID-19 - Example



Isolate according to Government guidance	Daily updates	Information in drivers lobby	Hand sanitiser in drivers lobby	Regular targeted cleaning in facilities	Canteen reorganised and pool table taken away	Information available and regularly updated	Dedicated bin for gloves and facemasks
Restricted numbers in toilets and locker room	Wipes provided to clean cabs	Door to drivers lobby kept closed and locked	Glass panel partition to transport office	Information for drivers visiting site	Disposable gloves and facemasks available	Isolation room	Ongoing improvements
Hand sanitiser has been given to all drivers	Restricted movements	Drivers key policy	Drivers wait in passenger seat of cab	Signage displayed all around the site	Restricted numbers in smoking area	Regular hand washing encouraged	DLX window modified to not open as wide
Office staff given personal hand sanitiser	Some office staff working from home	Only one person allowed on delivery runs	Paperwork minimised				

Drivers

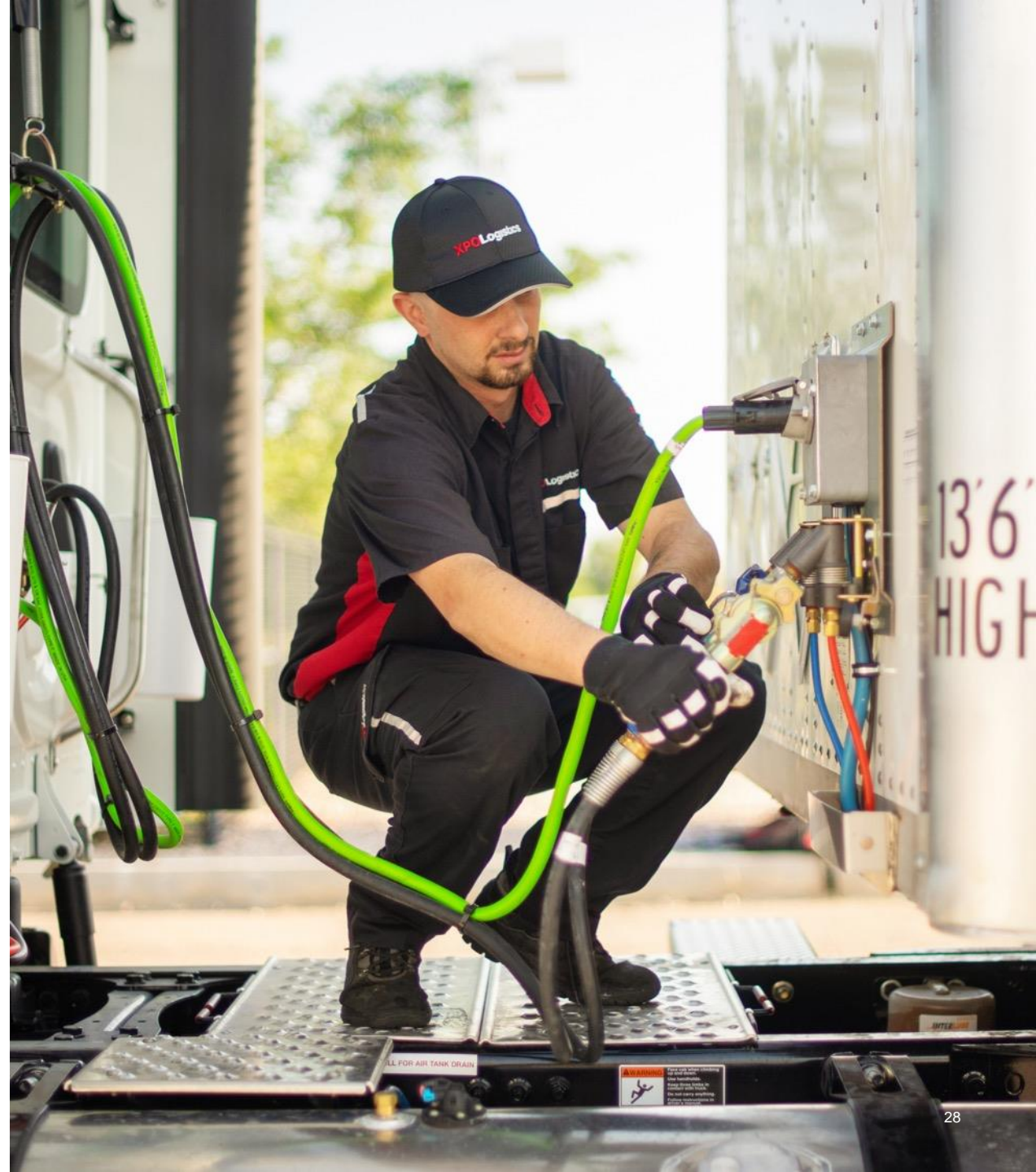


SITE MANAGERS

- Ask drivers to use PPE according to risk assessment
- Have dedicated welfare facilities for visiting drivers
- Drivers should retrieve a form of Proof Of Delivery
- Keys should be deposited in a place that is visible but not handed over or in a plastic ziplock bag
- *Best practice: Disinfect the cab before and after usage*

DRIVERS

- Use the dedicated welfare facilities for visiting drivers
- Use PPE as required by site
- Stay in cabs during unloading and loading of trailer
- Carry a hand sanitizer product, gloves and PPE
- Retrieve a form of Proof Of Delivery
- Keys should be deposited in a place that is visible but not handed over
- *Best practices: Disinfect the cab before and after usage*
- *Prefer contact-free delivery*



Example of one-way system and shield to ensure distancing



Barrier to ensure colleagues safety in narrow areas



Searches with distance, a scanner on a racket



One way system

Guidance for Office locations

A woman with long dark hair, wearing a red lace top and a watch, is sitting at a desk in an office. She is looking at a laptop screen and has her hands on the keyboard. The office environment includes a desk with a mouse, a telephone, and other office equipment. The background is slightly blurred, showing other desks and office furniture.

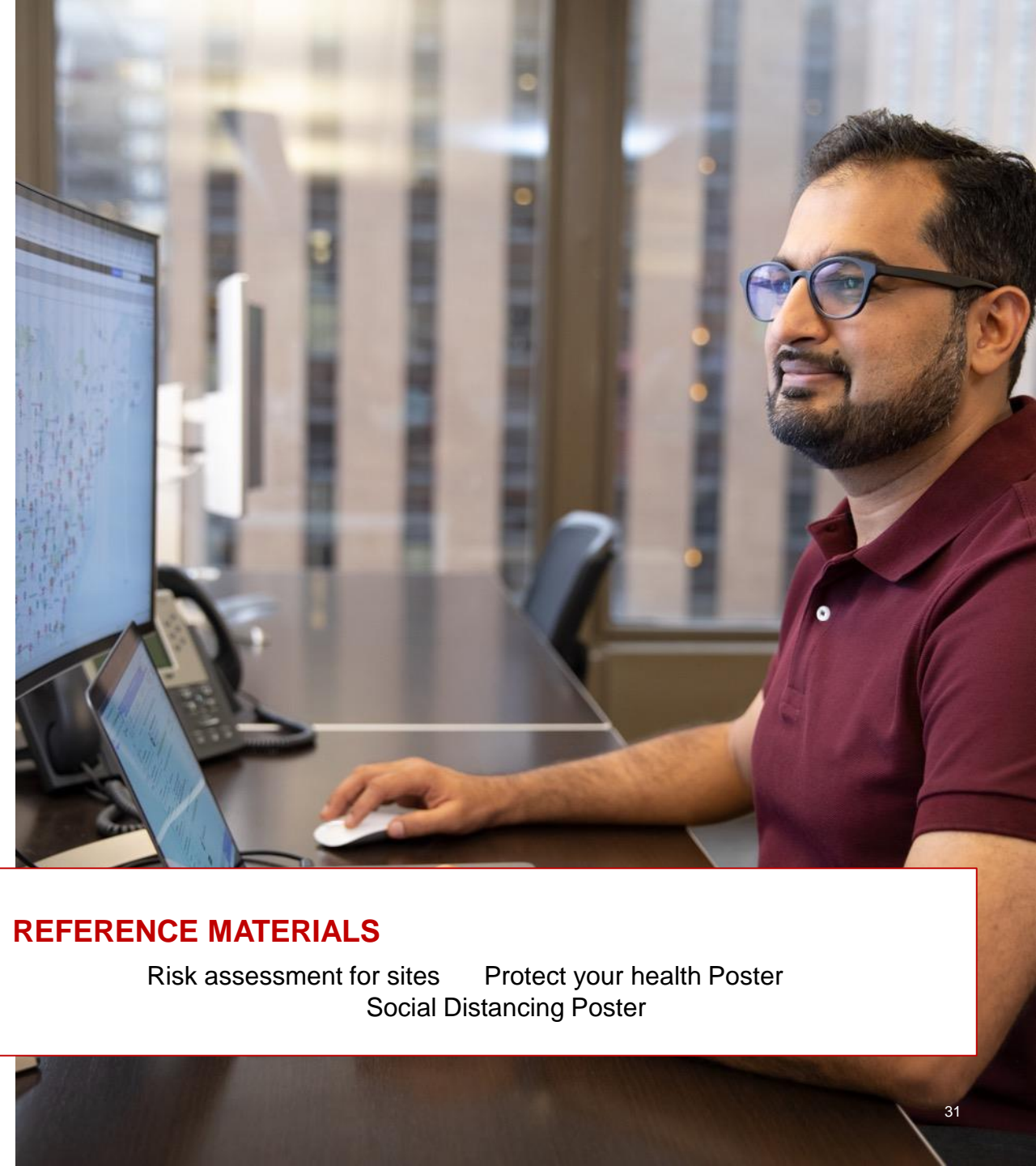
Preparing the office

OFFICE MANAGERS

- Add one-way systems and markers for social distancing to be respected.
 - Consider corridors, stairs, lifts, communal spaces in risk assessment
- Ensure distance between desks, reorganising where possible, by spacing out or having colleagues work diagonally rather than face to face
- Implement shields between workers if the risk assessment deems necessary
- Reduce the number of people in the office at a single time by implementing | staggering and rotas
- Add posters reminding of preventative measures and social distancing
- Provide cleaning supplies for cleaning desks after use
- Do not use water fountains and supply water bottles where possible
- Stagger breaks to respect social distancing guidelines
- Limit the usage of shared products/ clean after usage (headsets, stapler..)
- Request the reception staff to sign in on tablets
- *Best practices: avoid hot desking*

ALL EMPLOYEES

- Should respect all guidance regarding preventative measures and distancing
- Encourage payment by card
- Should disinfect their desks and equipment after use (phone, keyboard...)
- Should keep and wash their own glass/cutlery



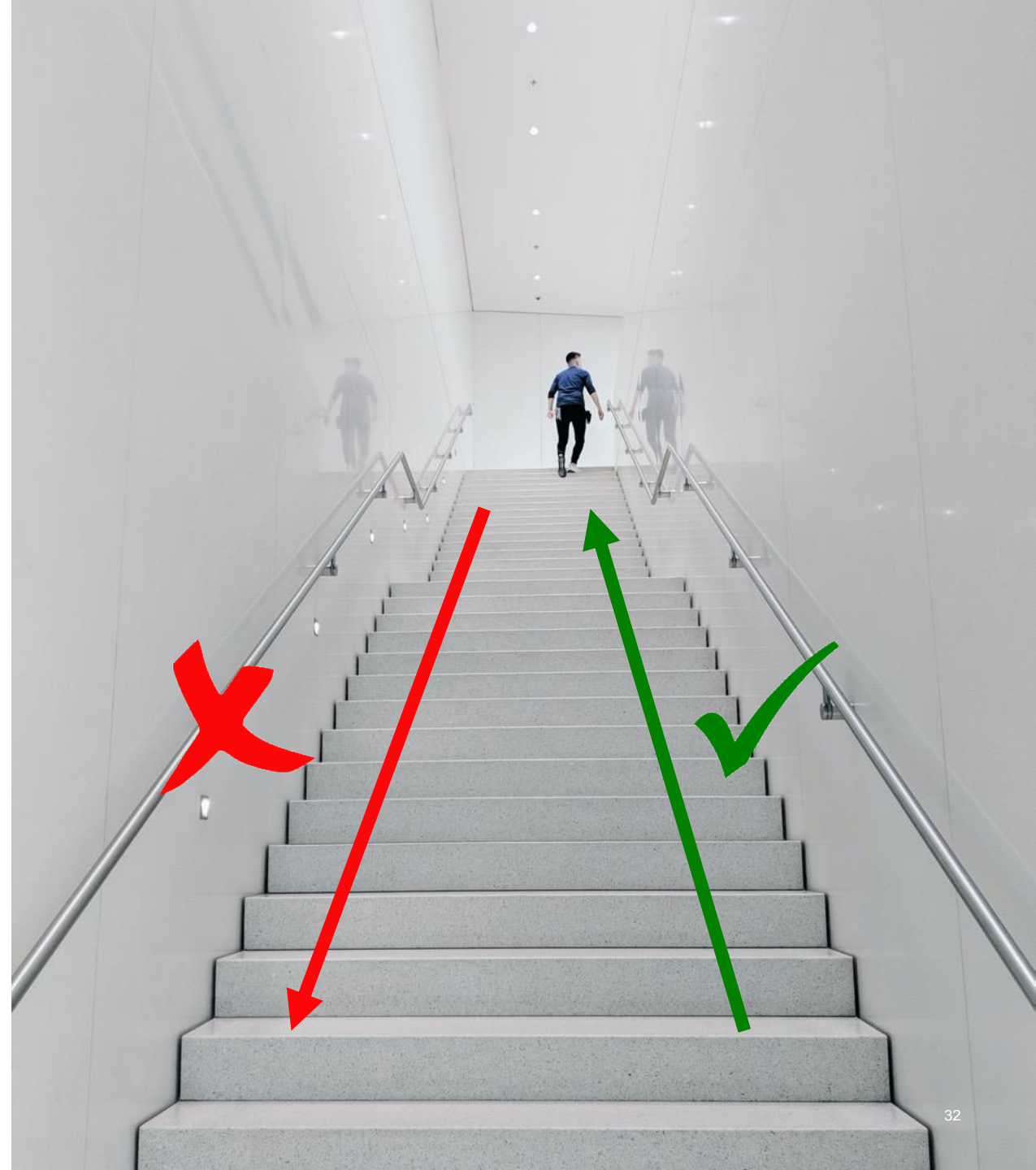
REFERENCE MATERIALS

Risk assessment for sites Protect your health Poster
Social Distancing Poster

Examples of preparing the office



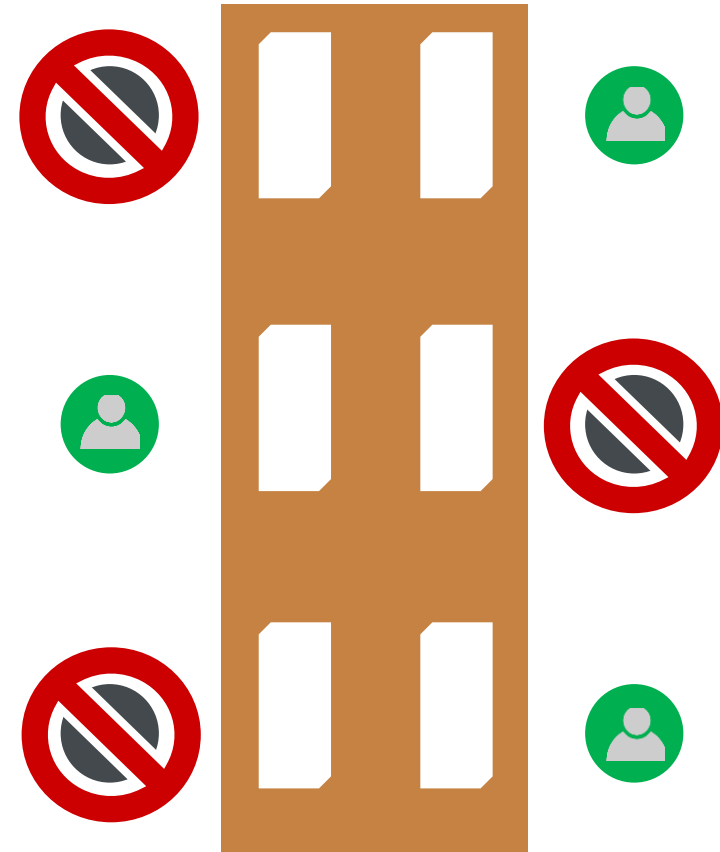
Implement a one-way system where possible



Meeting Rooms

Road to
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- Avoid physical meetings
- Space out chairs in offices or standing meetings or close the rooms (follow local regulations)
- Avoid sharing speakers to ensure distances are being kept
- Clean speakers/ projectors/ clickers after meetings
- Do not pass on clickers or mouse between participants
- Leave doors and windows open until the meeting starts to avoid contacts



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