

	Risk of cross-infection via toilet facilities	<i>eg allocation of specific bathrooms in the venue to your group</i> <i>eg communication (via signage and/or in advance online) of toilet locations and usage rules to your group</i> <i>eg check that cleaning equipment is available in toilets</i> <i>eg signage to encourage handwashing, and cleaning of sinks etc after use</i>	
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10. Worship

This category applies to student-organised religious worship of any kind.

For other events organised by religious groups (eg social, dining, lectures) see other sections.

University- or college-led worship will work to similar rules under university and college authorities.

For government guidance see <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-guidance-for-the-safe-use-of-places-of-worship-during-the-pandemic-from-4-july> - both the guidance document and the religious gatherings checklist

Risk category	Detail	Control measures	Person in charge
Communication	Risk of attendees misunderstanding and ignoring precautions	<i>eg providing pre-event communications in multiple ways to inform participants eg remind all participants that social distancing will be required eg signage at the venue eg consider equalities impacts in advance</i>	
Test and Trace logging	Cross-infection between participants	<i>eg use venue's Test and Trace logging system for visitors or keep manual record of participants and their contact details for 21 days</i>	
Detection of infection	Detecting COVID-19 cases and encouraging COVID-19 sense	<i>eg reminding participants not to ignore COVID-19 symptoms eg possible use of non-contact thermometers on entry as nudges</i>	
Air viral load	Risk of transmission through the air	<i>eg fresh air or air replacement ventilation available eg can windows/doors be opened</i>	
	Increased transmission through shouting/singing	<i>No singing permitted currently eg use of microphones to avoid raised voices eg use of screens around those raising voices/chanting</i>	
Proximity	High numbers in worship group	<i>eg full social distancing between participants eg reduce numbers present to adhere to government guidelines</i>	
	Proximity of worship leader to group	<i>eg social distancing of leader eg room layout arranged in advance</i>	
	Proximity of group while	<i>eg online ticketing</i>	

	queueing	<i>eg QR-code ticket checks on entry</i> <i>eg masks to be worn</i> <i>eg staggered/scheduled arrivals/departures</i> <i>eg one-way routes around venue</i> <i>eg socially-distanced queues</i> <i>eg marked queueing locations on ground</i>	
	Proximity of group in room	<i>eg limit capacity to a level which can maintain social distancing and obeys venue maximum capacity rules</i> <i>eg masks to be worn</i> <i>eg prearranged layout or preassigned seating plan</i> <i>eg remove or block out unnecessary seats</i> <i>eg block or cross out areas of tables to socially-distance</i> <i>eg consider whether household groups can sit together (pre-booked?)</i>	
Surface contact	Transmission of virus via fomite surfaces e.g. doors/codepads	<i>eg open doors for ingress/egress</i> <i>eg steward any open fire doors</i> <i>eg use of hand sanitiser</i>	
	In-room fomite surfaces such as tables, chairs etc	<i>eg cleaning before and after table/room use</i> <i>eg use of gloves and masks</i> <i>eg use of hand sanitiser</i>	
	Fomites as infected equipment touched by multiple people	<i>eg if equipment is needed, individual items per person/household group</i> <i>eg participants bring their own equipment (eg prayer mats)</i> <i>eg use of gloves</i> <i>eg cleaning of equipment</i> <i>eg use of hand sanitiser</i> <i>eg ablutions to be performed at home in advance, not at venue</i>	
	Risk of cross-infection via water sources	<i>eg ask individuals to bring their own water bottles</i> <i>eg handwashing at taps</i>	
	Risk of cross-infection via toilet facilities	<i>eg allocation of specific bathrooms in the venue to your group</i> <i>eg communication (via signage and/or in advance online) of toilet locations and usage rules to your group</i>	

		<i>eg check that cleaning equipment is available in toilets eg signage to encourage handwashing, and cleaning of sinks etc after use</i>	
	Microphones as fomites	<i>eg single stand microphone or one microphone per speaker</i>	