



PINNT COVID-19 statement

We all recognise that we are currently in uncharted waters; this is an unprecedented situation. Never before have we all had to face a virus that everyone is potentially susceptible to. Our members on home artificial nutrition (HAN) are sadly well versed in dealing with illnesses and medical conditions, but COVID-19 has given cause for increased anxiety and questions.

PINNT is supporting the official guidance www.gov.uk/coronavirus

PINNT operates from our volunteers' homes and we are committed to continuing with business as usual. Our trustees and executive committee members, all patients/carers are following all official advice to stay safe.

! Donations and fund-raising !

Donating to PINNT during the COVID-19 situation is a lovely gesture, thanks to those who have asked if it would help. We suggest people find a local or national project that will directly help support those in greater need at this time.

We have been overwhelmed with members' generosity during the renewal period, we feel active fund-raising at this time is insensitive. Please try to find a way to help those directly affected or in need due to COVID-19 if you wish to. Of course, we hope to reinstate fund-raising when the time is right.

Follow the advice:

- ✓ **Stay at home!**
- ✓ **Maintain social-distancing or self-isolation**
- ✓ **Follow the hand hygiene advice**
- ✓ **Stay informed and only trust official advice**
- ✓ **If you have received a text message or letter relating to *your* personal situation; follow that advice, they are giving it for a reason!**

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