**More info re coronavirus issues**

Over the coming weeks community will be essential, so we’re asking all Warminster residents to contact your nearest five neighbours. Use the forms overleaf to jot down your details and keep connected with your local

community.

The idea is simple – check in with your five nearest neighbours. Give them your number, make sure you have theirs and know that they can call you if you are needed. If you are in need of help and support, and don’t feel able to reach

out to your neighbours, then follow our FAQ’s.

And remember even if you are isolated at home there are ways that you can continue to support your neighbours, your family, your community - keep spirits up and most of all talk to each other.

It might feel odd to start with but this is normal for now and our strongest means of support.

**The most vulnerable**

Wiltshire Council has set up the Wiltshire Wellbeing Hub to deal with the vulnerable people across the county and will ensure that their basic needs of food, drugs and social care are supported. There are over 400 community

groups across Wiltshire supporting the Wiltshire Wellbeing Hub.

People can get in touch with the hub via email at **Wellbeinghub@wiltshire.gov.uk**or by calling **0300 003 4576.**It’s available from 8am-8pm Monday-Friday and 10am-4pm at weekends.

Follow Government guidance on hand washing, social distancing and when you are allowed outdoors. The actions we take will help us all to stay safe, talking to our family, friends and neighbours. Remember, you can spread the

virus even if you don’t have symptoms.

**Latest Updates**- **Warminster Community Radio**

Listen to WCR - in addition to broadcasting on **105.5FM,**WCR is available online too.

**Coronavirus Warminster FAQ’s**

**I need or know of someone in Warminster who may need help/support, what help is available?**

**Warminster Food Bank**

Provision of food is by telephone request and home delivery only. Call **01985 214463**between 9 am and 11 am Tues, Wed and Friday. To request food out of these hours or in an emergency phone

**07855 627945**. Please do not go to Dewey House.

**Churches Together**

Can help with shopping, getting a prescription or just a friendly chat. Helpline **07960 221663**. Open 9am to 6pm

**Warminster Action Group**

Can help with shopping, prescriptions, dog walking.

Find them on facebook or helpline **01985 250 081**.

Email: **communityhelpwarminster@gmail.com**

**How can I help others?**

Making contact with somebody nearby is your best source of support in the immediate future. We are encouraging all Warminster residents to get to

know your neighbours and offer help (and your telephone number) where needed. People can volunteer to help a local community group and there is the national NHS volunteer scheme.

**Is Warminster Town Council still operating?**

Council staff are still working but the Civic Centre is closed to the public. Play areas and public toilets have been closed, but the Lake Pleasure Grounds

remain open for people to exercise in.

You can email us on **admin@warminster-tc.gov.uk**

or phone us on 01985 214847.

**I am worried about my job, income, bills, etc**

There is support available via phone and online. If you need assistance check out www.gov.uk, or contact CAB or other support organisations.

**Will bin collections continue to run as normal?**

Currently yes. Keep up to date at www.wiltshire.gov.uk Please don’t fly tip.

Warminster Town

Form for completion

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| Hello!  If you are self-isolating, I can help. |
| My Name is……………………………………………………………………………..I live locally at………………………………………………………………………….My Phone number is……………………………………………………………….If you are self-isolating due to Covid-19, I can help you with:Picking up shoppingPosting mailA friendly phone call Urgent SuppliesJust call or text me and I’ll do my best to help you (for free!) |