



## **Densholme Farm - Infection Control Protocol – 1/6/24**

### **To prevent the spread of infection**

On arrival wash your hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, and regularly throughout the day. Hand washing facilities are available around the farm. The NHS recommends hand washing should last at least 20 seconds this will need to be longer if hands are very dirty and that hand sanitizer gel is used as an extra precaution throughout the day. Please make sure clients/visitors are washing their hands appropriately and support them if necessary.

### **General Hygiene**

Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue or your sleeve (not your hands) when you cough or sneeze and put tissues in the bin straight away, washing your hands immediately afterwards.

DO NOT touch your eyes or nose if your hands are not clean.

Avoid contact with anyone who begins to feel unwell.

DO NOT shake hands or touch anyone. Explain to clients this is because we are doing our best to stop the infection spreading and making them and others ill.

It is really important that hands are washed very carefully before eating.

Used pots and crockery to be placed straight into the dishwasher.

All surfaces need to be cleaned regularly with antibacterial cleaners while group is in operation. A stock is in the classroom kitchen and also in accessible toilet.

**If you or if you notice a service user feeling unwell, report this to your Supervisor immediately. Keep away from others (in a separate room if possible) and if it is a client inform their next of kin and ring 111 for further advice if appropriate.**

Thank you for your support with this matter.