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### Asylum accommodation

- Following the movement to the 'Delay' phase of Government planning, Home
  Office management of asymptomatic and symptomatic asylum claimants has
  been updated in line with latest guidance, in particular for migrants arriving in the
  UK clandestinely (e.g. across the Channel in small boats). UKVI has secured
  appropriate accommodation for asymptomatic cases and will hold them for the
  full isolation period if required.
- The Home Office continues to work with partners to consider where to place symptomatic cases; at present these are being placed in discrete parts of the IRC estate if they cannot be placed elsewhere.
- Further engagement and support is required support from DHSC around NHS provision for our new accommodation at Heathrow

# Support for victims of modern slavery.

 We are working with our Contractor (The Salvation Army) to produce guidance for people working in safehouses and support workers of victims. As far as possible we want that to be very similar advice to that given to people in nondetention HO facilities (such as asylum accommodation and refuges) and we are in touch with colleagues there to ensure that.

#### Domestic abuse.

- The Government has issued guidance in relation to those in supported living provision, which includes advice on safety, cleaning and isolation. The Government is liaising with refuge providers, who are engaged in their own contingency planning in relation to accommodation and associated support services in line with Public Health England advice.
- There continues to be concern about those having to self isolate with abusive family members and concern for children who are not now at school. Work continues with the provider sector and the police, to ensure that avenues of help and support continue to be available and that anyone in imminent danger may continue to rely on a 999 response.

## Safeguarding.

• The Disclosure Barring Service (DBS) has put business continuity plans in place testing scenarios of up to loss of 60% of staff to maintain critical barring services and production of disclosure services. They are also working with their main suppliers on business continuity testing

#### **Death Registration**

Death registration services are delivered by the Local Registration Service (LRS) in 173 Local Authorities across England and Wales. This forms one part of the "death management" process, which also includes medical professionals,