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COUNCIL

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Dear Provider,

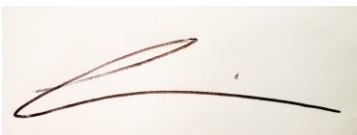
**Latex gloves:**

These gloves are made of latex, which some people are allergic to, causing mild to severe dermatitis (dryness, itching, redness, which can develop into flaking, scaling, cracks, swelling and blisters).

Staff who are latex allergic should not use latex gloves and people should stop using latex gloves if they get skin a reaction to these gloves. This should be shared between employers and employees.

We will not provide any service provider with exclusively latex gloves but will provide a mix of gloves so that those with allergy can continue to work safely, with nitrile or vinyl gloves.

Yours sincerely,



**Dr Sophie Candfield**  
**Registrar in Public Health**  
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