



## **CONSENT FORM**

The main symptoms of Covid-19 are:

- **High temperature** – this means you feel hot to touch on your chest or back (you do not need to measure your temperature)
- **New, continuous cough** – this means coughing a lot for more than an hour, or 3 or more coughing episodes in 24 hours (if you usually have a cough, it may be worse than usual)
- **Loss or change to your sense of smell or taste** – this means you've noticed you cannot smell or taste anything, or things smell or taste different to normal.

Most people with Covid-19 have at least one of these symptoms. Please confirm the following by ticking:

In the last 7 days, you have **not** had any of the symptoms listed above.

In the last 14-days, you have **not** knowingly been in contact, with anyone suffering from Covid-19 or anyone complaining of any of the symptoms above.

You are **not** shielding or self-isolation due to being classed as vulnerable or a high-risk patient or are self-isolating for any other reason, e.g. someone in your household is considered high risk, recent foreign travel

You have read, understood and are happy to comply with the Farndon and Tattenhall Clinics, Infection control procedure to minimise the spread of Covid-19.

Following your assessment over the phone, you have decided that you want to attend a face-to-face appointment. There are risks and benefits in attending a face-to-face appointment, the main ones are detailed below:

**Benefits:** You may feel more comfortable with a face-to-face appointment as it is familiar to you and therefore feel open to discuss your condition in more detail. The laying on of hands enables a more detailed assessment and can in some cases be a more favourable effective way of treating certain musculoskeletal conditions.

**Risks:** As much as we have tried to reduce the risk as much as possible, there will always be an inherent risk of exposure to COVID-19 in any public place where people are present and in any face-to-face contact. Do you understand the risks and benefits of attending a face to face appointment? **YES / NO**

**You are signing to confirm you are willing to accept the potential risks outlined in attending a face-to-face appointment.**

**Signature:**

**Name printed:**

**Date:**