



# Viral gastroenteritis outbreak management Pack Contents

## Section 1: General

1. Introduction
2. Do you have an outbreak of viral gastroenteritis? - flow chart (1 x display poster)
3. Viral Gastroenteritis/Norovirus – Community Infection Prevention and Control Policy for Care Home settings (master copy)

## Section 2: Forms and guidance

4. Care pathway for residents with viral gastroenteritis (master copy)
5. Communication handover checklist – viral gastroenteritis (master copy)
6. Deep cleaning guidance in Care Homes for viral gastroenteritis (master copy)
7. Fluid intake/output chart (record form – master copy)
8. Inter-health and social care infection control transfer Form (master copy)
9. Preventing dehydration (information sheet)
10. Stool chart Record (master copy)
11. Urine colour guide (information sheet)
12. Viral gastroenteritis Factsheet – Information for residents and visitors (1 x display copy)
13. Viral gastroenteritis outbreak Record – resident details (master copy)
14. Viral gastroenteritis outbreak Record – staff details (master copy)
15. Viral gastroenteritis: Stool specimen guidance for staff (information sheet)

## Section 3: Posters

16. Are you or have you been suffering from diarrhoea and/or vomiting in the last 48 hours? (1 x display poster)
17. Bristol stool form scale (1 x display poster)
18. During an outbreak of viral gastroenteritis (3 x display posters)
19. Hand hygiene technique for staff (3 x display poster)
20. National colour coding scheme for cleaning materials and equipment in care homes (1 x display poster)
21. Outbreak of infection – Visitors: please seek advice before entering (1 x display poster)
22. Stop – Please see the person in charge before entering this room (3 x isolation display poster)
23. Stop the spread of germs – please wash your hands for service users and visitors (3 x display posters)
24. Viral gastroenteritis/Norovirus: Quick reference guide (1 x display posters)

## Section 4: Further information

25. Beat the bugs – myth buster (master copy)
26. Norovirus MOT – outbreak checklist (master copy)
27. Preventing Infection Workbook: Guidance for Care Homes
28. Infection Prevention and Control CQC inspection preparation Pack for Care Homes