



COVID-19: WASHING UNIFORMS / WORK CLOTHES

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- Uniforms/Work clothing should be transported home in a
 - disposable plastic bag, which should then be disposed of into household waste
 - or
 - alginate bag that can be put straight into the washing machine

- Uniforms/Work clothing should be laundered:
 - Separately from other household washing
 - In a load not more than half the machine capacity
 - At the maximum temperature the fabric can tolerate
 - Followed by ironing or tumble dry