

# Cefnogi Busnesau yng Ngwynedd Supporting Businesses in Gwynedd



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## **Gwynedd Business Support Bulletin 26.11.2021**

### **COVID-19: Wearing face coverings in retail premises: promotional pack**

Posters and leaflets to promote the use of face coverings in retail premises can be downloaded here:

<https://gov.wales/wearing-face-coverings-retail-premises-promotional-pack>

### **COVID-19: Employer Responsibilities – Information and Guidance**

Wales remains at Alert Level 0, with all businesses able to open. Carrying out a coronavirus risk assessment continues to be a legal requirement for all businesses, employers and event organisers and reasonable measures to minimise the risk of coronavirus must be implemented. The latest information and guidance for employers is available at:

<https://gov.wales/your-responsibilities-employer-coronavirus>

## **HEALTH & SAFETY: Managing home workers' health and safety**

Updated HSE guidance for anyone who employs home workers, including those who split their time between their workplace and home (hybrid working), can be found at:

<https://www.hse.gov.uk/home-working/employer/index.htm>

## **WELLBEING: Working Minds campaign launched**

The HSE's Working Minds campaign encourages employers to promote good mental health at work and raises awareness about how to recognise and respond to the signs of stress. Information can be found at:

<https://workright.campaign.gov.uk/campaigns/working-minds/>

## **OPPORTUNITY: Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) in Wales – Could your business benefit?**

The Welsh Government has extended its membership of MIT's Industrial Liaison program (ILP) – set up to bridge the gap between research and industry. ILP membership provides access to a range of resources such as webinars, conferences and tailored workshops. To find out more, go to:

<https://businesswales.gov.wales/news-and-blogs/blogs/mit-wales-could-your-business-benefit>

## **SUPPORT: Cyber Resilience Centre for Wales (WCRC)**

The Cyber Resilience Centre for Wales (WCRC) supports and helps protect SMEs, supply chain businesses and third sector organisations in the country against cyber crime. A range of

membership packages are offered, with core membership being free. For more information, go to:

<https://www.wcrcentre.co.uk/>

## **BREXIT: Check how to import or export goods**

A new tool to check how to import or export goods, which provides step by step tailored guidance, has been launched. For more information, go to:

<https://www.gov.uk/check-how-to-import-export>

## **FUNDING: Aerospace innovation grant for SMEs**

UK registered businesses can apply for a share of a £2.5 million grant funded by Innovate UK and the Aerospace Technology Institute (ATI) programme, to carry out industry-led civil aerospace collaborative R&D projects. The closing date for applications is 12 January 2022. For further information, go to:

<https://bit.ly/30Zzhgq>

## **EVENT: North Wales Economic Ambition Board – Early Market Engagement Event 3 December 2021**

The North Wales Economic Ambition Board will be commissioning delivery of its Growth Deal projects over the coming years, and will be holding an Early Market Engagement event on Zoom on 3 December 2021, from 10:00am-12:30pm. There will be an introduction to the Growth Deal and a discussion about the opportunities that will arise from it. For more information, and to register, go to:

<https://bit.ly/3kfxvOE>

## **EVENT: Recruitment of Employees – The Legal Issues 29 November 2021**

This Business Wales webinar, to be held on 29 November 2021, from 10:00am-11:00am, will provide an insight into the legal issues to consider during the recruitment process. For more information, go to:

<https://wales.business-events.org.uk/en/events/recruitment-of-employees-the-legal-issues/>

## **EVENT: FSB – Women entrepreneurs in hospitality 30 November 2021**

This webinar, to be held on 30 November 2021, from 11:00am-12:00pm, will highlight key findings from FSB's report A Menu for Recovery, and discuss why the sector appeals to women entrepreneurs to set up their business, but also what more could be done to help women in growing their businesses. For more information, and to register, go to:

<https://www.fsb.org.uk/event-calendar/women-entrepreneurs-in-hospitality.html>

## **TRAINING: Help to Grow | Management scheme**

The UK Government's Help to Grow: Management Scheme is designed to be manageable alongside full-time work, and supports small business leaders to develop skills covering financial management, innovation and digital adoption. For more information about the forthcoming course, which will start with an introductory session on 30 November 2021, go to:

<https://bit.ly/3CA4F1M>

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More useful information is available from:

## **Gwynedd Council – Business Support**

<https://www.gwynedd.llyw.cymru/businesscovid19>

<https://twitter.com/BusnesGwynedd>

## **Gwynedd Business Network**

<https://www.gwyneddbusnes.net/>

<https://twitter.com/gwyneddbusnes>

## **Business Wales**

<https://businesswales.gov.wales/coronavirus-advice/>

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