

## How BCECA member companies have been supporting the fight against coronavirus

Throughout the spread of the Covid-19 pandemic, BCECA member companies have adapted to the changing, unique and challenging situation. Every company has been helping in the fight against coronavirus in their own way, below are a few examples of the actions they have taken:

- **Home working, health and wellbeing initiatives for employees:**

- Prior to the pandemic, most BCECA member companies had few remote workers. However, they have been able to adapt swiftly and now the vast majority of their employees are working from home.
- JM sites in the UK are encouraging their employees to stay active, healthy and positive through sharing a series of wellbeing resources. These include a library of free exercise videos, online yoga classes, a virtual lunch with a dietician, a photography competition and mindfulness webinars..

- [Wood](#) have created weekly activity workbooks for kids to engage them during the lockdown.



- **Maintaining supply of key products and providing equipment in high demand:**

- [JM's](#) Battery Materials business released two oxygen storage tanks for use in NHS facilities.



- JM's Life Science Technologies business in Royston received an email from one of their Italian Pharmaceutical customers, thanking them for maintaining the catalyst supply that supports them in the production of life-saving ethical drugs.

- JM's sites in Annan and Edinburgh continue to manufacture products used as vital ingredients in numerous medicines, including those used to treat chronic pain.

- Worley rapidly mobilised to keep a critical polymer plant in Grangemouth running smoothly. The polymer is used in the production of PPE used by the NHS.

- [Air Products](#) installed extra vaporisers to provide additional oxygen supply to Southmead Hospital in Bristol, UK.



- **Supporting the local community:**

- [Petrofac](#) donated surplus PPE supplies to Cornerstone, a charity that provides care and support to the disabled community.



- Fluor has redirected existing financial resources to the most meaningful COVID-19 relief efforts in their communities. This included supporting local meal service charities and reserving resources to help schools rebound once now-shuttered buildings are re-opened.
- [JM](#) pledged to match all employee donations made to organisations and projects that are supporting our communities through COVID-19.

- [Petrofac](#) employees are using Petrofac's vans to deliver food to disadvantaged, low-income families and those who can't leave home.



- [JM](#) employees answered a call from the UK-based [3D Crowd](#) to print visor parts for the NHS using material supplied by JM.



BCECA member companies are committed to supporting their employees, local communities and customers through this period of uncertainty and new challenges.