Proposal name	Introduction	of handsanitiser	TfL Modes Impacted															
Proposal contact details	Name:	XXX	Email:		Phone:		Please place a tick (✓) in the box below for all of the TfL modes affected											
D&I contact (will be identified when feedback is given)	Name:	XXX	Email:		Phone:		Buses	ПП	07	TfL Rail	DLR	Trams	ТРН	LRS	EAL	Cycle Hire	Streets	D-a-R
REqIA number and stages record (allocated by D&I)	Number:	4		А	Version:	2	Stations and Victoria Coach Stn	very small number excluded for safety reasons		All TfL, GWR and NR stations served by TfL Rail. No provision at Shenfield (GA managed station).	safe to do so			✓	√		B s a	ottles of hand anitiser vailable n every vehicle
Key dates	Date submitted	24-Jun-20	D&I review		IDAG review		SISG re	eview										

Reviewers	Job titile/team	Date reviewed
XX	Project Manager	
XX	Customer Experience Manager	24-Jun-20
XX	Diversity & Inclusion Advisor	24-Jun-20
XX	Customer Experience Lead	30-Jun-20

Information from	Job title/team

Other TfL projects that affect, may be affected by or link with this

Any other relevant information

Hand sanitisers have been introduced across the TfL estate to provide free hand sanitiser to customers. We are not obliged under DfT gudiance to provide hand sanitiser for customers (it should be considered for staff accessing a workpace in their guidance). However, TfL have taken the decision to provide it for the public as a responsible measure to help maintain personal hygeine on public transport.

	Impact			Mitig Implem			on			N	itigation communicated with staff		Mitigation communicated with public	
Proposed change	positive (P) or Negative (N)	Impact number	, Impact	Mitgations/recommendations		_	Fully	Implementation Explanation	Residu risk		How?	Y/N	How?	Ongoing Monitoring and responses
Hand sanitiser dispensers are available for public use across the TIL network. Customers are encouraged to use it at the start and end of their journey and to continue to maintain regular handwashing and refrain from touching their faces.			Hand sanitiser is not provided by TfL at the start and end of every journey. This risks excluding certain socio economic and geographical groups from access to free hand sanitiser.	TPH policy team are looking to add advice to carry hand sanitiser to existing advice for TPH customers.		√		Access has been given wherever practical to install a hand santiser despenser. Provision is extensive and reasonable.					TfL website outlines where hand sanitiser is available.	
	N		Some locations on the London Overground and DLR are excluded due to various safety reasons - related to impinging on customer flows, proximity to traffic, and antisocial behaviour. The Rail services call at some stations not directly managed by TfL and these are either GWR, NR or GA managed. All stations other than Shenfield (GA managed) have hand santisers installed by the relevant station management company.											
	N	2	Wheelchair users or people of small stature may not be able to reach. Based on BS8300:2018 the height will need to be between 750mm - 1000mm. The reach ranges for wheelchair users at this height are up to 90-120mm from the front, and up to 100-135mm from the side. See images tab for measurements. - Unit tap is 884.5mm high so is within acceptable height range - Unit tap is approximately 200mm from the front of the unit and 85mm from the side of the unit. Therefore wheelchair users may find it difficult to reach the tap from the front of the unit (either forward facing or side on) but the tap is an accessible distance from the side of the unit (either forward facing or side on)			√		We are unable at present to change the existing unit (being constrained by the market and fire regulations). Any future procurement strategies should explore more accessible options that allow more space under the tap to allow wheelchair users to get closer						
	N	3	The pump needs two hands in order to operate, those with limited mobility or use of limbs may need assistance in order to access the hand sanitiser	Any future procurement strategies should explore more accessible tap options that do not require two handed operation. By way of a mitigation, most locations where hand sanitisers are available are staffed, therefore staff may be available to offer assistance should it be required.		√		We are unable at present to change the existing unit (being constrained by the market and fire regulations).	Some custom may no be able use	t				
	N	4	If dispensers are not located sensitively, we risk restricting the ability of a range of people to manouevre. This is particularly important to maintain social distancing.					Locations were chosen prior to this Rapid Equality Impact Assessment being completed and were driven by fire and safely requirements. Locations were chosen in order to prevent congestion to customer flows, so in all probability there will be space around the unit for a small queue to form without blocking other customer flows. The general needs of customers should allign with those requiring larger spaces to manoevre in. We recognise there may be exceptions. We will contiue to listen for feedback from customers if there are locations which are problematic. If hand sanitisers are installed for the long term then this will be reviewed in detail at every site The constrained environment at many TIL locations means the choice of locations is limited; minimum distances are required from other flammable elements, the						
	N		There is the possibility that visually impaired customers may not be able to identify the dispensers. Clarity on where and how people use the dispensers would be beneficial to all customers but is particualry necessary for people with visual impairments or learning and cognitive impairments.	Ensure visual contrast. Audio announcements. Consistent look and feel to the unit			✓	location can not block a means of escape nor cause congestion. Key elements of the dispenser are visually hightlighted. Base unit white and wrapped in blue vinyls, so provides contrast against typical station environment. See "Images" tab for examples. A consistent look and feel has been achieved across the TIL estate with use of vinyl. There are two different unit sizes, but otherwise the look and feel and functionality are consistent. When considering location they have been positioned in visible locations "en route" so that customers can naturally find them on their journey.	1.					
	N	6	If dispensers are not suitably placed then they could cause an obstacle for users.	Ensure visual contrast. Ensure locations do not create trip hazards.				The vinyl wrap on each unit creates contrast. It was an installation requirement that the units do not create an obstruction or hazard.						
	N	7	There is a risk of not finding the button and failing to santise hands.	Ensure design provides visual contrast.				The top plate (white) and back plate (blue vinyl) provides visual contrast for stainless steel pump button. It is a familiar operation similar to a tap in terms of look and feel. See "images" tab.						
	N	8	Locations could mean that people need to divert from their desired route and may increase journeys for people who may find additional routes difficult or impossible.	locations determined to be on main entrance/exit routes.			✓	When considering location they have been positioned in visible locations "en route" so that customers can naturally find them on thier journey so they should not create unreasonable and unecessary walking times.						
	N		The pump action tap on top of the dispenser needs to be pressed down in order to pump out hand sanitiser from the protruding nozzle. This does not require fine motor skills but does require a degree of downward pressure to execute. This does not require dexterity but does require two hand operation.	people with limited dexterity and have additional hygeine benefits. If this is	~			When exploring the options available to procure, they were limited because of the need to comply with fire regulations. No unit with was available (in the volume and urgency required) with an automatic or lever dispenser that complied with fire regulations. The alcohol content in hand sanitiser creates a fire risk and TfL requires a metal container and dispenser in order to reduce fire risk.		to Will ate				
	N	10		Ensure visual and audible reminders at the dispenser locations. Ensure that options do not rely upon one particular form of communication; include easy-read formats, audible, visual and unambiguous symbols near the dispensers.		~	✓	Signage includes a graphic - see "Images" tab, to communicate clearly what the unit is for						
	N	11	Changes staff good to manually handle the unit is a set of the	may cause a reaction.				formula (https://www.who.int/gpsc/5may/Cuide_to_Local_Production.pdf/ua=1). This contains no allergens. There remains a risk of skin irritation that exists with all hand sanitisers (drying out the skin or stinging abrasions) and the unit does have a label on it to warn users of a potential alergic reaction. This wording was added as a "catch all" to over Till. for any adverse reactions. The risk is minimal. Ingredients are 70% Ethanol, 4.17% Hydrogen Peroxide and 1.45% Glycerol (the remainder being water).						
	N	12	Cleaning staff need to manually handle the unit in order to refill it.	Review manual handling requirements to ensure acceptable			-	ABM cleaning contractors have assessed working practices. Not beyond 5kg lift. Similar to existing cleaning tasks, incorportated into ABM job specifications already.						
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Warning text appearing on the unit:

"Caution, Contains Alcohol. Do not use on damaged, sensitive or irritated skin. Avoid eye contact. Adult supervision required for child use. Can cause an allergic reaction."







The Hand Sanitiser Scheme - In Pictures



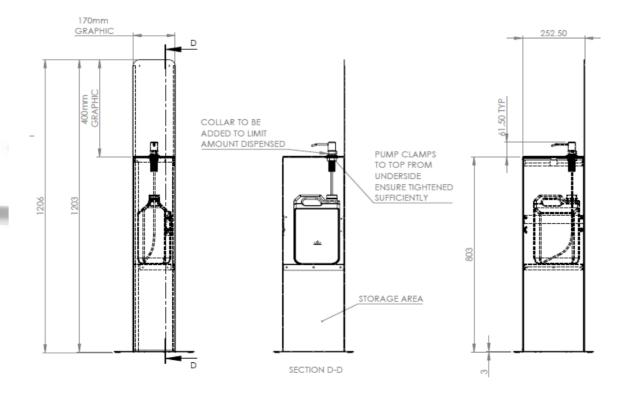












Reference number	Abbreviatio n	Reference documents or abbreviation meaning
1	D&I	TfL Diversity and inclusion team
2	DAR	Dial-a-Ride
3	DLR	Docklands Light Railway
4	EA	Equality Act 2010
5	EAL	Emirates Air Line
6	GLA	Greater London Authority
7	IDAG	Independent Disability Advisory Group
8	LO	London Overground
9	LRS	London River Services
10	LU	London Underground
11	MBR	Mobile boarding ramp
12	MIP	Mobility mpaired person
13	ORR	Office of Rail and Road
14	PCG	Protected Characteristic Group (As identified within the Equality Act)
15	P&L bay	Parking and loading bay
16	PSED	Public Sector Equality Duty (section 149 of the Equality Act)
17	RDG	Rail Delivery Group
18	REqIA	Rapid Equality Impact Assessment
19	SISG	Social Impact Steering Group
20	T&D	Technical and Data
21	TfL	Transport for London
22	TPH	Taxis and Private Hire
23	TSC	Transport Support Card
24	TTM	Temporary traffic management
25	TVM	Ticket vending machine
26	VIP	Visually impaired person