



COVID-19: Position on Red Tractor Meat & Poultry Processor Members (UPDATED 04.06.20)

We are facing the greatest health crisis in a generation. The core foundations that hold the UK together are being tested – food production being one of them.

Shoppers are relying on farmers, food companies and the wider industry to continue as normal wherever possible and, that is what Red Tractor intends to do.

Red Tractor policy throughout this time has and will continue to follow Government guidelines.

From **00.01 Wednesday 25th March**, we suspended all physical Red Tractor Meat and Poultry Processing inspections.

We have worked with our certification bodies to establish a protocol for announced remote live-stream inspections in accordance with UKAS requirements. This would mean members would be able to maintain certification to the Red Tractor Meat and Poultry Processing Scheme. From **4th June** there will be a roll out of the remote assessment protocol for members due an assessment. Members affected will be contacted by the certification body in advance of any upcoming assessments.

If you have any questions, please contact your certification body who will continue to manage your Red Tractor certification on your behalf.

See separate position relevant to Red Tractor farming members.

See separate position relevant to Red Tractor Licensees.

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