

NATD OFFICE CLOSURE

Update: 24th March 2020

Following from the announcement last night the NATD office will be closed until further notice.

POLICY REGARDING EXAMINATION SESSIONS IN EXCEPTIONAL CIRCUMSTANCES

With reference to the current concern about Covid 19 (Coronavirus)

Update: 17th March 2020

Operational Schools

NATD continues to monitor the developing situation and follow the official government advice regarding schools and businesses.

Principals of dance schools will need to make very difficult decisions and comply with the official guidance that is being given. Currently there are no enforced school closures.

For further information

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/public-health-england>

Northern Ireland <https://www.health-ni.gov.uk>

Overseas <https://www.gov.uk/foreign-travel-advice>

Where the local area is in an official lockdown situation the teacher must contact myself (annettehufton@natd.org.uk) or the NATD Head Office (info@natd.org.uk) for further guidance

Annette Hufton
Quality Assurance Manager
17th March 2020

A letter from Chief Executive Officer, Mr Kevin Page:

To All Members,

At this very worrying time, the President, myself and the NATD Council of Management wish you well and sincerely hope that you can cope with the government announcements that were made yesterday.

You must remain positive and try to survive and get through the next few weeks of uncertainty in the best possible way.

Myself and the NATD office are here to help and offer further re-assurances, we are continuing to support teachers that have already booked examination sessions and look forward to further ones being booked.

Unfortunately, our major events for 2020 have been cancelled, these difficult decisions have had to be made as the current government guidelines only take us in to the middle of June when the virus

is expected to peek but not beyond that date. I feel that it is the right decision to be made. Further information will be posted on our website, and regular updates will be given on social media.

My message to you all is to stay safe and remember we are only a phone call away – I have attached the best advice below.



Very best wishes to you all

Kevin Page
Chief Executive



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