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**From:** [REDACTED]@gov.scot  
**Sent:** 14 August 2025 09:14  
**To:** [REDACTED]@nhs.scot  
**Subject:** RE: Supporting access to education

Good idea [REDACTED] thanks

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**From:** [REDACTED]@nhs.scot>  
**Sent:** 14 August 2025 09:07  
**To:** Edward Doyle [REDACTED]@gov.scot>  
**Subject:** Re: Supporting access to education

Hi [REDACTED]  
I agree, this is more of between education staff and clinicians. I thought, as a good practice, to involve relevant group of people. Alison Gilhooly is going to ask other networks if they have any teachers who we can test it with. Will keep you posted.

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**From:** [REDACTED]@gov.scot [REDACTED]@gov.scot>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 14, 2025 7:54 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED]@nhs.scot>  
**Subject:** RE: Supporting access to education

Morning [REDACTED]

Are there any other than LKC and LKS we could approach? Although it would be good to have I don't think it is essential – ultimately this is a template to facilitate a referral/information sharing and we don't, in general, require patient input to these. It may also delay things.

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**Sent:** 13 August 2025 09:41  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@gov.scot>  
**Subject:** Re: Supporting access to education

Morning [REDACTED], thank you for doing this. In the absence of long COVID kids, what are your thoughts on some LE groups signing it off. I will review it today and see if I can find some admin support to tidy it up before circulating it for signing off by the bigger group.

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@gov.scot> [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@gov.scot>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 11, 2025 8:37 AM  
**To:** NSS longCOVID [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@nhs.scot>; [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@nhs.scot>  
**Subject:** Supporting access to education

Morning [REDACTED]

As discussed I have edited this a bit. The main changes are to

Reduce the conditions referred to and limit them to those aligned with long covid  
Take out recommendations which are not for health such as ventilation standards in schools  
Take out references to masks – there are a wide range of views on these and it is a very contentious area clinically and in wider society and I don't think it would be helpful to include  
Added the organisation as well as the signatory  
We did discuss a disclaimer but if the clinicians organisation/employer is listed then I am not sure that is necessary as the document would go from the relevant organisation which would be responsible for the actions of the employee.

Hope helpful and we can get this wrapped up.

Regards

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