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The holder of this letter is a volunteer at **Newcastle Staffs Foodbank**, a charity which is a member of the Trussell Trust's network. The Trussell Trust is a Registered Charity in England & Wales (1110522) and Scotland (SC044246).

Following the government's announcement on 20th March 2020 (detailed below), the holder of this letter is a key worker, who qualifies to continue their role in the community as the COVID-19 outbreak unfolds.

Key public services

*This includes those essential to the running of the justice system, religious staff, **charities and workers delivering key frontline services**, those responsible for the management of the deceased, and journalists and broadcasters who are providing public service broadcasting.*

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-maintaining-educational-provision/guidance-for-schools-colleges-and-local-authorities-on-maintaining-educational-provision>

The food bank is providing an essential community service during this unprecedented challenge, ensuring emergency food continues to be available to people without enough money for food.

If there are any concerns about this, please contact the Trussell Trust via the contact details above.

Warm regards,

Emma Revie,
Chief Executive Officer, the Trussell Trust