

MRC London Institute of Medical Sciences (LMS)



Walter Lilly would like to give our utmost thanks and gratitude to all of the NHS staff and key workers involved in the battle to overcome Covid-19.

These are continuously challenging times for all and we hope you and your families remain safe and well.



CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

In the period we completed our investigation of the newly uncovered HV cables to the West boundary of the site and have safely removed them. We are now investigating an unexpected water main pipe in the South West corner of the site and are working towards a successful resolution to either remove or divert it.

The removal of existing building foundations is progressing well with the North and South ends of the site nearing completion and our contractor is now moving towards the centre. As the concrete is broken in situ and removed from site, we are backfilling with recycled material to begin to form the piling mat ready for the piling operations to begin.

Health and safety on site is always our number one priority and now that the breaking operations are in full flow we are paying particular attention to construction traffic and pedestrian interfaces.

Both Walter Lilly and our Contractors have regular health and safety inspections carried out on site to ensure that the health and wellbeing of our workforce remains at the forefront of the operations.

We are continuing to monitor noise, dust and vibration levels during these works, concentrating particularly on the heavy breaking works within the agreed periods to minimise impact on the surrounding stakeholders. We are liaising directly with these stakeholders to minimise the impact on them as much as feasible. To help assess the impact of these noisy works, we have installed additional sound monitoring equipment which we continue to analyse. There are also multiple water cannons in operation during the works to ensure dust is kept to a minimum.

We are ensuring that the site continues to operate within the Government guidelines in respect to Covid-19.

UPCOMING WORKS

We will continue to remove the below ground obstructions, working inwards from both the North and South ends of the site to begin the forming of the pile mat in preparation for the piling contractor to arrive on site. Investigation of the untraced water main in the South West corner of the site will be carried out. We will continue to monitor and manage the noise, dust and vibration levels created by the works. We are planning for the upcoming piling operations and the installation of the two tower cranes that are due to be erected on site in July.

OUR SUPPLY CHAIN IN THE SPOTLIGHT



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