Safety Tips for Mosques (Masjids) Ramadan 2021 (1442 hijri)

✔️ If unwanted visitors enter the masjid, try not to engage directly with them, and maintain a safe distance.
✔️ Dial 999 if you feel that they pose a risk to the safety of staff, worshippers or the masjid itself.
✔️ Ensure that CCTV in and around the mosque (masjid) is working; this is for securing evidence.
✔️ Ensure that entrances and exits of the mosque (masjid) remain well-lit during prayer times as this may deter late-night criminals.
✔️ Masjids are open places but do not be afraid to speak with unfamiliar visitors to ensure that they do not pose a risk.
✔️ If it is safe to do so, photograph any unwanted visitor or note their description.
✔️ If the mosque (masjid) receives hate mail or mail of unknown origin, its contents and envelope must be kept and handled minimally to preserve evidence and placed in a clean and sealable plastic bag to stop further contamination.

✔️ For up-to-date coronavirus (Covid-19) guidance for each nation, follow the links provided below:

✔️ In England, for example, the current guidelines state that you can attend services at places of worship, but you “most not mingle with anyone outside of your household or support bubble” for indoor services.
✔️ For all other guidance for England (following rule changes from April 12), click here.
✔️ For Wales, click here.
✔️ For Scotland, click here.
✔️ For Northern Ireland (the next review will occur on or before April 15), click here.

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