

Fairfield Association
Lone Worker Policy
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The Association's ADVICE is that volunteers should not work alone in isolated parts of the Nature Reserve. We also ADVISE that lone workers carry a mobile telephone and a whistle and familiarise themselves with the Safety Advice included in the Fields Access Policy.

Insofar as a volunteer works alone on the Reserve the Association's REQUIREMENT is that:

- Another person is informed of where the volunteer is working and when s/he is expected back.
- That other person is informed who to contact in the event of an emergency.
- The work done is with the agreement of the Volunteer Organiser.

The Association also requires co-working with the use of potentially dangerous machines and tools in isolated areas. For further detail see the Association's general [*Risk Assessment for Volunteer Sessions*](#) which specifies requirements for working with tools, machines, at height and in water.