# Childhood Day: safe fundraising guidance

Please see below our guidance on keeping safe before, during and after your collection shift:

**Before your collection:**

* If you feel unwell, **please do not** attend your collection and follow the guidance on cancelling your collection slot
* Let us know of any reasonable adjustment/support needed to participate in this event.

**During your collection:**

* Always be mindful of giving way to the public
* Remove yourself immediately from a location should it feel too overcrowded and if you feel uncomfortable
* Respect people’s personal space and circumstances

**If you witness a medical emergency**:

* Dial 999
* Make the area around the casualty safe for you, others and the casualty
* Monitor the casualty and/or find out what happened
* Comfort the casualty
* Brief your collection lead

**Cash Handling**:

* Once you are at your specified collection base, your collection lead will meet you here and make sure you have everything you need.
* Your safety is of utmost importance to us - you will be paired up with another collection volunteer, so you won’t be collecting on your own.
* If you need to leave your collection spot pass your bucket/contactless device to the other person or the collection lead.
* In the unlikely event that someone tries to take your tin or bucket please let it go.