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Dear Emmie

South Ayrshire Council is delighted to support this year's Better Backs campaign which aims to reduce the incidence and impact of back pain and upper limb disorders caused or made worse by work and to reduce the number of working days lost to these causes.

We have set ourselves the following goals with view to tackling back pain and upper limb disorders in our work place:

- **Better information and training passed on to staff.**
- **Manual handling courses to be more available.**

We plan to achieve our goals by taking the following actions:

- *More training courses set up for staff.*
- *Advise staff of proper posture when operating computers etc.*

South Ayrshire Council is committed to working with HSE and the Local Authorities on this issue - together we can make a real difference.

Yours sincerely

John Armstrong
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