

TERMS OF BUSINESS AND DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS



Terms of Business

Disbursements should be paid to David Cowburn Funerals in advance of the funeral. Disbursements are fees external to David Cowburn Funerals and include cremation or burial costs, ministers or non-religious celebrants, flowers, catering, doctor's fees, etc.

An invoice for the remaining bill will be issued a week after the funeral and is due within two weeks. Should the balance of the account be outstanding after two weeks, we will exercise our statutory right to claim interest (at 8% over the Bank of England base rate) and compensation for debt recovery costs under the Late Payment legislation.

The total cost of an 'Unattended Funeral' must be paid in advance. If the funeral is to be paid for by the estate of the deceased, present the death certificate along with an invoice from the funeral director before the funeral to ensure that sufficient funds are available. Disbursements still must be paid in advance by the estate, next of kin or executor. Should you qualify for financial support from the Social Fund (DSS), you will still have to pay certain fees in advance. Please be aware that the Social Fund will not cover the entire cost of a funeral. All other costs must be met by you personally.

Disclosure of Interests

David Cowburn Funerals is owned by David & Suzanne Cowburn.