Team

Schedule your check-ins

You will need more check-ins now that you don't have your teammate across the table. Set a schedule so that everyone can arrange their DND-work around it.

Over communicate

Chat. No visual queues, no auditory queues. To avoid resentment and hasty assumptions, be ridiculously clear on your meaning. Make sure you use emojis as much as possible with your text on your instant messaging platform to convey what you really mean.

Give feedback in video conversation

Some conversations just won't go over well if you just put them in text. For "sensitive" topics, make it a video call.

Always on video call

The team could set up an always on video call, where you'll just hang out, do your work and "disturb" each other with questions – basically as you do when you're around your desk. It has the added benefit of being able to share your screen when you have those types of questions.