



## Briefing Note 117 - COVID-19 Guidance As at 15:00 Monday 26<sup>th</sup> October 2020

### Summary of UK activities: period ending Monday 26<sup>th</sup> October

#### Date

#### Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2020

- 01 [Self-Employment Income Support Scheme payments: how to check payment status](#)
- 02 [How to self-declare as a private sector COVID-19 testing provider](#)
- 03 [Prime Minister's statement on COVID-19: 20<sup>th</sup> October 2020](#)

#### Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2020

- 01 [New partnership announced to provide enhanced COVID-19 statistical modelling](#)
- 02 [Health Secretary warns of long-term health effects of COVID-19 \['Long COVID'\]](#)
- 03 [Scientific Advisory Group for Emergencies \(SAGE\): addition of Ethnicity Sub-group](#)
- 04 [Discharge of people with a positive COVID-19 test from hospital to a care home](#)

#### Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2020

- 01 [Allocation of additional emergency funding for local authorities in England](#)
- 02 [Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme: awareness, understanding and experience](#)
- 03 [Plan for Jobs: Financial support for businesses and workers through the winter](#)
- 04 [Prime Minister's statement on COVID-19: 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2020](#)
- 05 [The Job Support Scheme](#)

#### Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2020

- 01 [Sewage signals early warning of COVID-19 outbreak](#)
- 02 [COVID-19 and the private security industry: frequently asked questions](#)
- 03 [Person protective equipment \(PPE\): local contacts for care providers](#)
- 04 [Weekly 'watchlist' report giving COVID-19 data for local authorities in England](#)

#### Monday 26<sup>th</sup> October 2020

- 01 [Survey of childcare and early years providers and COVID-19](#)
- 02 [Example lessons for remote teaching](#)

03 [School-led webinars on mote education](#)

## B. Data sources

### Sources of statistics and survey data related to the COVID-19 response

- B1 [UK COVID-19 deaths within 28 days of a positive test: 44,896](#)
- B2 [UK deaths with COVID-19 on the death certificate: 58,164](#)
- B3 [UK people who have tested positive for COVID-19: 873,800](#)
- B4 [Office for National Statistics \(ONS\): analysis of COVID-19 data](#)
- B5 [The R number and growth rate in the UK](#)
- B6 [National COVID-19 surveillance reports \[Public Health England\]](#)
- B7 [HM Treasury business loan scheme statistics](#)
- B8 [PPE delivery statistics \(England\): weekly reports](#)
- B9 [Transport use in Great Britain since March 2020: data across all modes](#)
- B10 [Grant payments made to businesses by local authority area in England](#)
- B11 [Government data on funding to support businesses and self-employed](#)
- B12 [Analysis over time, business impact of COVID-19: Waves 2 to 5, UK](#)
- B13 [COVID-19 and the effects on the UK Balance of Payments](#)
- B14 [Analysis of death registrations NOT associated with COVID-19](#)
- B15 [Mortality by religion, ethnicity & disability: 2<sup>nd</sup> March to 15<sup>th</sup> May 2020](#)
- B16 [The social impacts on Great Britain: Opinions and Lifestyle Survey](#)
- B17 [Household spending data during COVID-19](#)
- B18 [Social impacts of COVID-19 on disabled people in Great Britain: May 2020](#)
- B19 [Weekly statistics for NHS Test & Trace \(England\) and COVID-19 testing \(UK\)](#)
- B20 [NHS test and Trace methodology \(England\)](#)
- B21 [Infection Survey pilot: England and Wales, 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2020](#)
- B22 [COVID-19 and the impact on caring](#)
- B23 [COVID-19: impact on health – reports and tools \[collection\]](#)
- B24 [Number of COVID-19 tests in defence and positive cases in the UK Armed Forces 2020](#)
- B25 [COVID-19 and the economic impacts on the UK: 30<sup>th</sup> July 2020](#)
- B26 [COVID-19 excess mortality rates in English regions](#)
- B27 [COVID-19 Infection Survey: Characteristics of people testing positive](#)

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- B28 [Unity and Division in Great Britain: the effects of COVID-19 on perceptions over time](#)
- B29 [COVID-19 and crime in England and Wales: August 2020](#)
- B30 [Vulnerable children and young people survey](#)
- B31 [COVID-19 and its impact on the UK Institutional Sector accounts \(April-June 2020\)](#)
- B32 [Comparing methods used in infection survey and NHS Test and Trace](#)
- B33 [National Travel Attitudes Study: Wave 4 \(provisional\)](#)
- B34 [COVID-19 and the non-UK workforce characteristics](#)
- B35 [National flu and COVID-19 surveillance reports](#)
- B36 [Deaths due to COVID-19 compared with deaths from influenza and pneumonia](#)

## C. Devolved administrations

### Information for Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland

- C1 [Information about COVID-19 and its impact on Scotland](#)
- C2 [Information about COVID-19 and its impact on Wales](#)
- C3 [Information about COVID-19 and its impact on Northern Ireland](#)

## D. Commentary

Information links in the annex to this document are updated when UK government guidance changes.

### International travel

International travel advice continues to be updated frequently with countries and territories being added and removed from UK government travel corridors as infection rates overseas change. The latest travel information is available [here](#).

### COVID Alert Systems

There are different arrangements and restrictions in [England](#), [Scotland](#), [Wales](#) and [Northern Ireland](#).

#### England

The new three-tier COVID Alert system for **England** came into effect on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> October.

The full list of local COVID alert levels for areas in England designated HIGH or VERY HIGH are available [here](#).

You can find information about the current COVID alert level for any place in England by a postcode search [here](#).

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## Wales

Wales introduced its 'firebreak' arrangements on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> October. These will end at 12:01 am on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> November 2020. Further details about the firebreak are available [here](#) and on the [Welsh Government website](#).

## Scotland

The Scottish Government published the [Scottish Strategic Framework](#) on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> October. The framework sets out five levels of protection from a baseline 0 to the highest level 4.

The [latest R number](#) range for the UK is 1.2– 1.4 and the growth rate range is between +3% and +6%, meaning that the rate of new infections is estimated to be growing by between 3% to 6% every day. This equates to a slight reduction in growth rate data which was published last week.

On Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> October, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Rishi Sunak, announced a range of [financial support measures](#) for UK businesses and workers over the winter months. These include:

- [The Job Support Scheme](#);
- The [Self-Employed Grant](#); and
- [Business Grants](#)

## Dates of interest

**1<sup>st</sup> November 2020:** launch of [Job Support Scheme](#).

**30<sup>th</sup> November 2020:** final date for employers to submit claims for the [Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme](#) for periods ending on or before 31<sup>st</sup> October 2020. After this date employers will not be able to submit any further claims or add to existing claims.

**15<sup>th</sup> February 2021:** launch of [Job Retention Bonus Scheme](#).

**COVID telephone hotline for reporting fraudsters: 0800 587 5030**

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## Annex

RESOURCES: UK government guidance and related advice

Information updated at 1500, Monday 26<sup>th</sup> October 2020

### COVID ALERT TIERS - ENGLAND

[England  
Local COVID  
Alert Level 1](#)  
**MEDIUM RISK**

[England  
Local COVID  
Alert Level 2](#)  
**HIGH RISK**

[England  
Local COVID  
Alert Level 3](#)  
**VERY HIGH RISK**

[Check the local alert level in your area in England using your postcode](#)

REF	DOCUMENTS and OTHER SOURCES OF GUIDANCE	DATE
<b>RECOVERY PLANNING</b>		
R1	<a href="#"><u>OUR PLAN TO REBUILD: The UK Government's COVID-19 Recovery Strategy</u></a>	11/05/2020
R2	<a href="#"><u>NEXT CHAPTER IN OUR PLAN TO REBUILD: The UK Recovery Strategy</u></a>	24/07/2020
R3	<a href="#"><u>COVID-19 CONTAIN national framework: a guide for local decision-makers</u></a>	28/08/2020
R4	<a href="#"><u>Working safely during coronavirus [searchable online manual – 14 guides]</u></a>	23/10/2020
R5	<a href="#"><u>Safer public places – urban centres and green spaces</u></a>	26/06/2020
R6	<a href="#"><u>Guidance for moving home safely in England</u></a>	29/08/2020
R7	<a href="#"><u>Guidance on accessing green spaces safely</u></a>	12/10/2020
R8	<a href="#"><u>Reopening High Streets Safely Fund guidance</u></a>	08/10/2020
R9	<a href="#"><u>Guidance for full opening of schools</u></a>	22/10/2020
R10	<a href="#"><u>Guidance on the phased return of sport and recreation</u></a>	01/10/2020
R11	<a href="#"><u>Elite sport: guidance on return to domestic competition COVID Alert Level 1</u></a>	01/10/2020
R12	<a href="#"><u>National Framework for Prison Regimes and Services</u></a>	02/06/2020
R13	<a href="#"><u>Probation Service Roadmap to Recovery</u></a>	02/06/2020
R14	<a href="#"><u>Safer aviation guidance for operators and passengers</u></a>	14/09/2020

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R15	<a href="#">Guidance for the safe use of places of worship</a>	16/10/2020
R16	<a href="#">Closing certain businesses and venues in England and easing lockdown,</a>	24/09/2020
R17	<a href="#">Review of two metre social distancing guidance – summary of findings</a>	24/06/2020
R18	<a href="#">Collection of guidance for culture, media and sport sectors</a>	23/10/2020
R19	<a href="#">Pavement licences: guidance</a>	22/07/2020
R20	<a href="#">Guidance for managing playgrounds and outdoor gyms</a>	13/10/2020
R21	<a href="#">Guidance for food businesses</a>	05/10/2020
R22	<a href="#">Safer travel advice for public transport passengers</a>	14/10/2020
R23	<a href="#">Guidance for the safe use of multi-purpose community facilities</a>	13/10/2020
R24	<a href="#">Planning guidance to support the Business and Planning Act 2020</a>	25/08/2020
R25	<a href="#">Temporary VAT changes for hospitality and holiday accommodation</a>	21/07/2020
R26	<a href="#">Working safely: providers of grassroots sports and gym/leisure facilities</a>	23/10/2020
R27	<a href="#">Face coverings to be mandatory in shops and supermarkets from 24<sup>th</sup> July</a>	14/07/2020
R28	<a href="#">Preventing loss of cultural venues &amp; planning conditions for holiday parks</a>	14/07/2020
R29	<a href="#">Restarting driver and rider training and tests [England, Scotland &amp; Wales]</a>	22/10/2020
R30	<a href="#">Updated Staying COVID-19 Secure in 2020 notice</a>	23/07/2020
R31	<a href="#">Kickstart Scheme employer contacts</a>	18/09/2020

## ADULT SOCIAL CARE

R32	<a href="#">Admission and care of residents in care homes [England]</a>	16/09/2020
R33	<a href="#">How to work safely in care homes</a>	07/10/2020
R34	<a href="#">Health and wellbeing of the adult social care workforce</a>	11/05/2020
R35	<a href="#">Care homes support package</a>	09/07/2020
R36	<a href="#">Providing personal home care [Frequently Asked Questions]</a>	02/09/2020
R37	<a href="#">Adult Social Care Infection Control Fund: round 2</a>	01/10/2020
R38	<a href="#">Action to take following the death of a person working in adult social care</a>	07/07/2020
R39	<a href="#">Adult social care risk reduction framework [England]</a>	19/06/2020
R40	<a href="#">Visiting care homes during COVID-19: revised guidance</a>	15/10/2020
R41	<a href="#">Supported living services during COVID-19 [England]</a>	12/10/2020
R42	<a href="#">Overview of social care guidance on COVID-19</a>	11/09/2020
R43	<a href="#">COVID-19 infection rises: a letter to care providers on action to be taken</a>	11/09/2020
R44	<a href="#">New action plan to protect care homes from COVID-19 during winter</a>	18/09/2020

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## ANIMALS and PETS

R45 [Advice for people in England with animals \[pets and livestock\]](#) 12/10/2020

## BUSINESS SUPPORT AND EMPLOYMENT

### Business support: Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme

R46 [Check if your employer can use the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme](#) 07/08/2020

R47 [Claiming wages through the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme](#) 09/10/2020

R48 [Grant funding schemes: guidance for local authorities – version 6](#) August 2020

R49 [Financial support for businesses: Headline terms for ‘Future Fund’](#) 19/04/2020

R50 [Find financial support for your business: online support tool](#) Website

R51 [How to apply for a Bounce Back Loan \[British Business Bank\]](#) Website

R52 [Guidance on Local Authority Discretionary Fund: August 2020 – version 3](#) August 2020

R53 [How employers can use the Coronavirus Statutory Sick Pay Rebate Scheme](#) 16/09/2020

R54 [Support if your business is affected by COVID-1 \[videos and webinars\]](#) 09/10/2020

R55 [Information for farmers, landowners, and rural businesses](#) 28/09/2020

R56 [Updated guidance for employers to check on furloughing arrangements](#) 02/10/2020

R57 [Support from Business Representative Organisations and trade bodies](#) 08/06/2020

R58 [Guidance for Companies House customers, employees, and suppliers](#) 22/10/2020

R59 [Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme: guidance for research organisations](#) 05/06/2020

R60 [Coronavirus JRS can be used by direct payment holders who employ carers](#) 10/06/2020

R61 [Genuine HMRC contact and recognising phishing emails and texts](#) 19/10/2020

R62 [Sending your forms to Companies House: a temporary service](#) 08/10/2020

R63 [Steps for employers to take when calculating furlough scheme claims](#) 02/10/2020

R64 [Code of practice for the commercial property sector during COVID-19](#) 19/06/2020

R65 [Recovery Advice for Business Scheme \[Free Advice Scheme\]](#) Website

R66 [Access to work: factsheet for those with disabilities or health conditions](#) 17/08/2020

R67 [Reporting outbreaks of COVID-19](#) 29/09/2020

R68 [Penalties for not telling HMRC about COVID-19 furlough overpayments](#) 28/07/2020

R69 [Financial support for zoos and aquariums](#) 03/08/2020

R70 [Coronavirus and occupational switching: January to June 2020 \[article\]](#) 25/08/2020

R71 [Contract cancellations and refunds due to COVID-19: updated advice](#) 28/08/2020

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## Business support: Job Retention Bonus Scheme

R72	<a href="#">Job Retention Bonus: how employers can claim from 15<sup>th</sup> February 2021</a>	02/10/2020
R73	<a href="#">Treasury Direction in relation to the Coronavirus Job Retention Bonus</a>	14/10/2020
R74	<a href="#">£9 billion Job Retention Bonus set to benefit millions of businesses</a>	02/10/2020

## Business support: Job Support Scheme

R75	<a href="#">Business support: Job Support Scheme explained</a>	22/10/2020
R76	<a href="#">Job Support Scheme includes firms required to close due to restrictions</a>	12/10/2020

## Business support: Kickstart Scheme

B77	<a href="#">Employers can apply for a grant through the Kickstart Scheme</a>	14/10/2020
B78	<a href="#">Kickstart Scheme: promotional materials</a>	14/10/2020
B79	<a href="#">Kickstart Scheme: employer resources</a>	23/09/2020

## CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

R80	<a href="#">Guidance for parents &amp; carers on looking after mental health of children</a>	16/10/2020
R81	<a href="#">Guidance for children's social care services</a>	15/10/2020

## CONSTRUCTION SITES

R82	<a href="#">Construction Industry Roadmap to Recovery</a>	01/06/2020
R83	<a href="#">Construction Leadership Council</a>	Website
R84	<a href="#">Construction site operating procedures: version 5</a>	04/07/2020
R85	<a href="#">Charter for Safe Working Practice</a>	13/05/2020
R86	<a href="#">Working safely in construction - video</a>	13/05/2020
R87	<a href="#">The use of face coverings in construction – industry guidance</a>	14/08/2020

## COVID ALERT LEVELS - ENGLAND

R88	<a href="#">What you need to know about alert levels in England</a>	12/10/2020
R89	<a href="#">Local COVID alert levels: the full list</a>	16/10/2020
R90	<a href="#">Local COVID alert posters [promotional material]</a>	13/10/2020

## DEATHS AND BEREAVEMENT

R91	<a href="#">Support for the bereaved [collection of guidance in multiple languages]</a>	15/06/2020
R92	<a href="#">Guidance to local authorities in England on local death management</a>	April 2020
R93	<a href="#">Guidance for managing a funeral during the pandemic</a>	23/10/2020
R94	<a href="#">Collection of guidance for those involved in managing deaths</a>	21/04/2020
R95	<a href="#">Information leaflet for the bereaved</a>	28/05/2020



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R96	<a href="#">Chief Coroner's Note 34 – guidance for coroners</a>	26/03/2020
R97	<a href="#">Chief Coroner's Note 35 – hearings during the pandemic</a>	27/03/2020
R98	<a href="#">Chief Coroner's Note 36 – Coronavirus Act: provisions relevant to coroners</a>	30/03/2020
R99	<a href="#">Chief Coroner's Note 37 – possible COVID-19 workplace exposure</a>	28/04/2020
R100	<a href="#">Verification of deaths in England in times of emergency</a>	05/05/2020
R101	<a href="#">Local death management: templates for use by local authorities in England</a>	14/05/2020
R102	<a href="#">Process for informing government of the death of a worker in social care</a>	07/07/2020
R103	<a href="#">New UK-wide methodology agreed to record COVID-19 deaths</a>	12/08/2020
R104	<a href="#">Air pollution and COVID-19 mortality rates</a>	13/08/2020
R105	<a href="#">Public health funerals: good practice guidance [England and Wales]</a>	16/09/2020

## EDUCATION

### Education – downloadable resources

R106	<a href="#">BBC Bitesize: support for students in primary and secondary schools</a>	Website
R107	<a href="#">Oak National Academy: an online teaching resource for teachers</a>	Website
R108	<a href="#">Oak National Academy: downloadable Schools Pack for remote teaching</a>	Website
R109	<a href="#">Collection of online resources for home learning</a>	01/10/2020
R110	<a href="#">Remote education good practice</a>	01/10/2020

### Education – education settings and vocational training

R111	<a href="#">Collection of guidance for schools and other educational settings</a>	22/09/2020
R112	<a href="#">Information for parents &amp; carers about schools &amp; other settings</a>	16/10/2020
R113	<a href="#">Actions for schools during the temporary closure of schools in England</a>	22/10/2020
R114	<a href="#">Collection of guidance for early years and childcare</a>	22/10/2020
R115	<a href="#">Guidance for apprentices, employers, training providers and assessors</a>	15/10/2020
R116	<a href="#">International travel advice for educational settings</a>	05/10/2020
R117	<a href="#">Planning guide for primary schools in England</a>	22/10/2020
R118	<a href="#">Tier 4 sponsors, migrants &amp; short-term students on temporary concessions</a>	05/10/2020
R119	<a href="#">Actions for early years and childcare providers [England]</a>	21/10/2020
R120	<a href="#">School governance update</a>	08/10/2020
R121	<a href="#">Guidance for prospective students on student finance and other matters</a>	27/08/2020
R122	<a href="#">University research support package</a>	27/06/2020
R123	<a href="#">Higher education restructuring scheme to help universities in England</a>	16/07/2020

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R124	<a href="#">10 top tips for parents to support children to read</a>	16/07/2020
R125	<a href="#">Exams and assessments in 2021</a>	03/08/2020
R130	<a href="#">Relief scheme for providers of apprenticeships to public sector employers</a>	07/08/2020
R131	<a href="#">Transport to school and other places of education: autumn term 2020</a>	29/09/2020
R132	<a href="#">Ofsted's autumn 2020 plans</a>	28/09/2020
R133	<a href="#">Vocational and technical qualifications 2020: collection of guidance</a>	21/09/2020
R134	<a href="#">Protective measures for after-school clubs and other out-of-school settings</a>	15/10/2020
R135	<a href="#">Information about going back to school, nurseries, and colleges</a>	16/10/2020
R136	<a href="#">Guidance for boarding schools with international students</a>	02/09/2020
R137	<a href="#">Package of support for students who have to defer their studies</a>	05/10/2020
R138	<a href="#">COVID-19 briefing on pilot visits to schools by Ofsted: September 2020</a>	06/10/2020
R139	<a href="#">Vocational and technical assessments in 2021 [Ofqual]</a>	12/10/2020

## FACE COVERINGS

R140	<a href="#">Face coverings: when to wear one and how to make your own</a>	24/09/2020
R141	<a href="#">How to make and wear a simple cloth face covering</a>	15/07/2020
R142	<a href="#">Face coverings in education [England]</a>	16/10/2020

## FOOD HYGIENE

R143	<a href="#">Guidance for consumers on how to maintain food hygiene</a>	25/04/2020
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## GLOSSARY OF TERMS USED IN UK GOVERNMENT GUIDANCE

R144	<a href="#">Glossary</a>	20/10/2020
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## GOVERNMENT PLANNING AND CO-ORDINATION OF COVID-19 RESPONSE

R145	<a href="#">Government planning &amp; response coordination: exchange of letters</a>	23/05/2020
R146	<a href="#">Parliamentary scrutiny of the government's handling of COVID-19</a>	10/09/2020
R147	<a href="#">Public Inquiry into government's handling of COVID-19 response</a>	10/09/2020

## HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS AND HOSPITAL SETTINGS

R148	<a href="#">Background information (epidemiology, virology, and clinical features)</a>	23/10/2020
R149	<a href="#">Collection of guidance for healthcare professionals and others</a>	16/10/2020
R150	<a href="#">Management of exposed healthcare workers, patients, and care residents</a>	28/08/2020
R151	<a href="#">Guidance for ambulance trusts</a>	18/05/2020
R152	<a href="#">Guidance for first responders</a>	22/09/2020

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R153	<a href="#">Guidance for taking swab samples</a>	02/07/2020
R154	<a href="#">Infection prevention and control</a>	20/10/2020
R155	<a href="#">Infection control precautions when discharging from hospital to home</a>	30/07/2020
R156	<a href="#">Health and care settings: infection prevention and control version 1.0</a>	20/08/2020
R157	<a href="#">Flu immunisation training recommendations</a>	05/08/2020
R158	<a href="#">Hospital discharge arrangements: collection of guidance</a>	16/09/2020
R159	<a href="#">New funding support to improve patient care in 25 A and E departments</a>	17/09/2020

## HEMOCARE [DOMICILIARY CARE]

R160	<a href="#">PPE for care workers delivering home care in England</a>	20/07/2020
R161	<a href="#">Putting on PPE for home carers</a>	30/04/2020
R162	<a href="#">Taking off PPE for home carers</a>	30/04/2020
R163	<a href="#">Using direct payments for health budgets and social care</a>	11/09/2020

## IMMIGRATION AND BORDERS

R164	<a href="#">Guidance for those affected by changes to UK immigration &amp; borders</a>	25/10/2020
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## INTERNATIONAL

R165	<a href="#">Guidance for UK businesses trading internationally</a>	26/06/2020
R166	<a href="#">Essential international travel advice</a>	18/09/2020
R167	<a href="#">Advice for UK visa applicants and temporary UK residents</a>	16/10/2020
R168	<a href="#">How to self-isolate if you are coming to the UK from abroad</a>	25/09/2020
R169	<a href="#">Global Travel Taskforce to assess safe and sustainable international travel</a>	07/10/2020

## INVESTIGATIONS INTO THE HANDLING OF THE PANDEMIC PREPARATION AND RESPONSE

R170	<a href="#">Readying the NHS and adult social care in England for COVID-19 [NAO]</a>	12/06/2020
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## LABORATORIES

R171	<a href="#">Guidance for sampling and for diagnostic laboratories</a>	16/07/2020
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## LAWS AND REGULATIONS

R172	<a href="#">Coronavirus Act 2020</a>	25/03/2020
R173	<a href="#">Coronavirus Act 2020: table setting out the status of each power</a>	07/05/2020
R174	<a href="#">Coronavirus Act 2020: two-monthly reports on active powers [3 reports]</a>	01/10/2020
R175	<a href="#">Coronavirus Act 2020 analysis: how the Act has been applied [CP 295]</a>	23/09/2020
R176	<a href="#">Health Protection (Coronavirus) Regulations 2020</a>	10/02/2020
R177	<a href="#">Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (England) Regulations 2020</a>	26/03/2020

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R178	<a href="#">The Adoption and Children (Coronavirus)(Amendment) Regulations 2020</a>	24/04/2020
R179	<a href="#">HSE guidance on RIDDOR reporting of COVID-19</a>	Website
R180	<a href="#">Health Protection (Coronavirus, Public Health Info for Passengers) Regs</a>	08/06/2020
R181	<a href="#">Businesses to give access to toilet and washing facilities for delivery drivers</a>	14/06/2020
R182	<a href="#">Temporary traffic orders procedure for England during COVID-19</a>	29/06/2020
R183	<a href="#">Health &amp; Social Care Workers (Scrutiny of Coronavirus Deaths) Directions</a>	03/07/2020
R184	<a href="#">How to join telephone and video court and tribunal hearings</a>	19/10/2020
R185	<a href="#">Draft legislative options for regional or local COVID-19 interventions</a>	24/07/2020
R186	<a href="#">Coronavirus Act 2020 Provision of Remote Education (England)</a>	Sept 2020
R187	<a href="#">Making traffic regulation orders during COVID-19</a>	29/06/2020

## LIFE ASSURANCE SCHEME FOR NHS AND SOCIAL CARE WORKERS [England]

R188	<a href="#">NHS &amp; Social Care Coronavirus Life Assurance Scheme</a>	Website
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## LOCAL AUTHORITIES

R189	<a href="#">Guidance to local authorities for controlling fraud</a>	March 2020
R190	<a href="#">Council tax: guidance for local authorities on the hardship fund</a>	March 2020
R191	<a href="#">Business rates discount 2020-2021: guidance for local authorities</a>	02/04/2020
R192	<a href="#">Guidance to local authorities in England on prioritising waste collections</a>	12/10/2020
R193	<a href="#">Collection of guidance for local authorities' children's services</a>	22/10/2020
R194	<a href="#">Mitigating impacts on Gypsy and traveller Communities</a>	01/05/2020
R195	<a href="#">Guidance for local government</a>	15/10/2020
R196	<a href="#">Community Infrastructure Levy guidance</a>	10/08/2020
R197	<a href="#">Guidance for public health officers: potentially infectious persons</a>	July 2020
R198	<a href="#">Local government income compensation scheme for lost sales, fees, etc.</a>	24/08/2020
R199	<a href="#">COVID-19 local authority compliance and enforcement grant allocations</a>	08/10/2020
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