



Briefing Note 130 - COVID-19 Guidance

As at 13:00 Monday 18th January 2021

Summary of UK activities: period ending Monday 18th January 21

NATIONAL LOCKDOWN RESTRICTIONS APPLY IN ENGLAND

Date

Monday 11th January 2021

- 01 [What's working well in remote education](#)
- 02 [UK COVID-19 vaccines delivery plan \[policy paper\]](#)
- 03 [UK COVID-19 surveillance strategy \[post-delivery monitoring of vaccine programme\]](#)
- 04 [A look at volunteering during the response to COVID-19](#)
- 05 [Slides and datasets used at UK government COVID-19 press conference \[11th January\]](#)
- 06 [Statement made by Health Secretary at COVID-19 press conference \[11th January\]](#)

Tuesday 12th January 2021

- 01 [Review your remote education \[guidance for schools and further education providers\]](#)
- 02 [Defence Secretary's statement to Parliament on the Defence's COVID-19 support role](#)
- 03 [Road space reallocation: statutory guidance for local authorities](#)

Wednesday 13th January 2021

- 01 [People must have proof of a negative COVID-19 test to travel to England from abroad](#)

Thursday 14th January 2021

- 01 [Past COVID-19 infection gives some immunity but people may still carry & transmit it](#)
- 02 [NHS Test & Trace reaches one million over new year, as record numbers test positive](#)

Friday 15th January 2021

- 01 [Coming to the UK for seasonal agricultural work on English farms](#)
- 02 [Prime Minister's statement at COVID-19 press conference \[15th January\]](#)
- 03 [Slides and datasets used at COVID-19 press conference \[15th January\]](#)
- 04 [All UK travel corridors temporarily suspended to prevent new variants spreading](#)



05 [Adult Social Rapid Testing Fund](#)

Saturday 16th January 2021

01 [Mandatory COVID-19 testing introduced to bolster England border measures](#)

Sunday 17th January 2021

01 [British public urged to play their part in historic vaccine roll out](#)

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: 89,261 \[up to 17th January\]](#)
- B2 [UK deaths with COVID-19 on the death certificate: 89,243 \[up to 1st January\]](#)
- B3 [UK people who have tested positive for COVID-19 within past 7 days: 323,614 \[-22%\]](#)
- B4 [COVID-19 vaccination data: UK people who have been vaccinated to date](#)
- B5 [COVID-19 vaccination monitoring reports](#)
- B6 [Office for National Statistics \(ONS\): analysis of COVID-19 data](#)
- B7 [The R number and growth rate in the UK \(as at 15th January 2021\)](#)
- B8 [National COVID-19 surveillance reports \[Public Health England\]](#)
- B9 [HM Treasury business loan scheme statistics](#)
- B10 [PPE delivery statistics \(England\): weekly reports](#)
- B11 [Transport use in Great Britain since March 2020: data across all modes](#)
- B12 [Grant payments made to businesses by local authority area in England](#)
- B13 [Government data on funding to support businesses and self-employed](#)
- B14 [Analysis over time, business impact of COVID-19: Waves 2 to 5, UK](#)
- B15 [COVID-19 and the impact on output in the UK economy: November 2020](#)
- B16 [Analysis of death registrations NOT associated with COVID-19](#)
- B17 [Social impacts on Great Britain: Opinions and Lifestyle Survey \[15th January 2021\]](#)
- B18 [Household spending data during COVID-19](#)
- B19 [Weekly statistics for NHS Test & Trace \(England\) and COVID-19 testing \(UK\)](#)
- B20 [NHS test and Trace Statistics \[England\] methodology](#)
- B21 [Infection Survey pilot: England and Wales \[8th January 2021\]](#)



- B22 [COVID-19: impact on health – reports and tools \[collection\]](#)
- B23 [Number of COVID-19 tests in defence and positive cases in the UK Armed Forces 2020](#)
- B24 [COVID-19 and the indicators for the UK economy and society: 3rd December 2020](#)
- B25 [COVID-19 excess mortality rates in English regions](#)
- B26 [Vulnerable children and young people survey](#)
- B27 [Comparing methods used in infection survey and NHS Test and Trace](#)
- B28 [COVID-19 and the non-UK workforce characteristics](#)
- B29 [National flu and COVID-19 surveillance reports](#)
- B30 [Deaths due to COVID-19 compared with deaths from influenza and pneumonia](#)
- B31 [Survey of childcare and early years providers and COVID-19](#)
- B32 [Public attitude survey of traffic and road use during COVID-19](#)
- B33 [COVID-19 deaths of people identified as having learning disabilities](#)
- B34 [Self-Employment Income Support Scheme statistics: November 2020](#)
- B35 [UK Immigration and border statistics relating to COVID-19](#)
- B36 [COVID-19 cases by local authority area in England \[14th January 2021\]](#)
- B37 [Attendance in education and early years settings \[to 11th January 2021\]](#)
- B38 [COVID-19 and the impact on different ethnic groups in the UK](#)
- B39 [Estimates of the prevalence of long-COVID symptoms and COVID complications](#)
- B40 [COVID-19 pre-existing health conditions and ethnicity](#)

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

Lockdown Restrictions

England

With new cases and hospital admissions continuing to rise over the past week the clear government message for everyone in England is '[stay at home](#)' and only leave for specific purposes. The message is reinforced by the Chief Medical Officer for England, Professor Chris Whitty in this [video](#).

Wales

Wales remains in lockdown under its [alert level 4](#). Measures are reviewed at least every three weeks.

Scotland

Scotland (other than some islands) remains in lockdown until at least the end of January 2021. Additional restrictions came into effect on 8th January and will remain in place for at least four weeks.

Northern Ireland

A [six-week lockdown](#) began in Northern Ireland on 26th December and will remain in place until 6th February 2021. They will be reviewed on 21st January 2021.

Vaccination Delivery Programme

As at Saturday 16th January 2021, [3.85 million people](#) across the UK had received the first dose of a COVID-19 vaccine in accordance with the UK Government's [COVID-19 Vaccines Delivery Plan](#).

The R number

The [latest R number](#) range for the UK is 1.2 - 1.3 (as at 15th January 2021) and the growth rate range is between +2% and +5%, meaning that the number of new infections is estimated to be growing by between 2% and 5% every day.

During January, the UK government will publish the R number estimate on these dates:

- Friday 22nd January
- Friday 29th January

International travel

Different international travel rules apply in [England](#), [Scotland](#), [Wales](#) and [Northern Ireland](#) and it is essential to check [government foreign travel advice](#). Under current restrictions people must stay at home and not travel, including abroad, unless they have a legally permitted reason to do so. All UK [travel corridors have been temporarily suspended](#) to protect against new international COVID-19 variants entering the UK.



International travellers intending to travel to England are required to [provide a negative COVID-19 test](#) before departure to England or risk a fine on arrival.

Dates of interest

29th January 2021: final date for claiming grants under the [Self-Employment Income Support scheme](#).

31st January 2021: closing date for applications for the [Future Fund](#).

31st March 2021: Closing date for applications for the [Coronavirus Business Interruption Loan Scheme](#), the [Bounce Back Loan Scheme](#) and the [Coronavirus Large Business Interruption Loan Scheme](#).

30th April 2021: [Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme](#) ends.

England's national lockdown poster is available [here](#).



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Annex A

RESOURCES: UK government guidance and related advice

Information updated at 13:00 Monday 18th January 2021

REF	DOCUMENTS and OTHER SOURCES OF GUIDANCE	DATE
RECOVERY PLANNING		
R1	OUR PLAN TO REBUILD: The UK Government’s COVID-19 Recovery Strategy	11/05/2020
R2	NEXT CHAPTER IN OUR PLAN TO REBUILD: The UK Recovery Strategy	24/07/2020
R3	COVID-19 CONTAIN national framework: a guide for local decision-makers	29/12/2020
R4	Working safely during coronavirus [searchable online manual – 14 guides]	07/01/2021
R5	Safer public places – urban centres and green spaces [Version 1.1]	26/06/2020
R6	Guidance for moving home safely in England	07/01/2021
R7	Guidance on accessing green spaces safely	13/01/2020
R8	Reopening High Streets Safely Fund guidance	08/10/2020
R9	Actions for schools in England during the pandemic	14/01/2021
R10	Guidance on the phased return of sport and recreation	21/12/2020
R11	Elite sport: guidance on return to domestic competition	21/12/2020
R12	National Framework for Prison Regimes and Services	02/06/2020
R13	Probation Service Roadmap to Recovery	02/06/2020
R14	Safer aviation guidance for operators and passengers	13/01/2021
R15	Guidance for the safe use of places of worship	11/01/2021
R16	Collection of guidance for culture, media and sport sectors	08/01/2021
R17	Guidance for managing playgrounds and outdoor gyms	06/01/2021
R18	Guidance for food businesses	06/01/2021
R19	Safer travel advice for public transport passengers	16/01/2021
R20	Guidance for the safe use of multi-purpose community facilities	05/01/2021
R21	Temporary VAT changes for hospitality and holiday accommodation	03/12/2020
R22	Working safely: providers of grassroots sports and gym/leisure facilities	07/01/2021
R23	Driver and rider training and tests [England, Scotland & Wales]	11/01/2021



R24	<u>Staying COVID-19 Secure in</u>	17/01/2021
R25	<u>Courts and tribunals recovery planning update</u>	15/01/2021

ADULT SOCIAL CARE

R26	<u>Admission and care of residents in care homes, version 2 [England]</u>	Dec 2020
R27	<u>How to work safely in care homes</u>	02/11/2020
R28	<u>Health and wellbeing of the adult social care workforce</u>	14/01/2021
R29	<u>Care homes support package</u>	11/01/2021
R30	<u>Providing personal home care [Frequently Asked Questions]</u>	11/01/2021
R31	<u>Adult Social Care Infection Control Fund: round 2</u>	15/01/2021
R32	<u>Action to take following the death of a person working in adult social care</u>	07/07/2020
R33	<u>Adult social care risk reduction framework [England]</u>	Nov 2020
R34	<u>Visiting care homes during COVID-19: revised guidance</u>	12/01/2021
R35	<u>Supported living services during COVID-19 [England]</u>	06/01/2021
R36	<u>Overview of social care guidance on COVID-19</u>	13/01/2021
R37	<u>Discharge of people with a positive test from hospital to a care home</u>	13/11/2020
R38	<u>Person protective equipment (PPE): local contacts for care providers</u>	11/01/2021
R39	<u>Arrangements for outside visits by care home residents of working age</u>	12/01/2021
R40	<u>Guidance for COVID-19 retesting for care and supported living settings</u>	09/12/2020
R41	<u>COVID-19 lateral flow testing of visitors to care homes explained</u>	15/12/2020

ANIMALS and PETS

R42	<u>Advice for people in England with animals [pets and livestock]</u>	13/01/2021
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BUSINESS SUPPORT AND EMPLOYMENT

Business support: Bounce Back Loan

R43	<u>How to apply for a Bounce Back Loan [valid until 31st March 2021]</u>	Website
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Business support: Coronavirus Additional Restrictions Grant

R44	<u>Check if your business is eligible for the Additional Restrictions Grant</u>	22/12/2020
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Business Support: Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme [Furlough]

R45	<u>Check if your employer can use the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme</u>	05/01/2021
R46	<u>Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme: awareness and understanding</u>	22/10/2020
R47	<u>Coronavirus JRS can be used by direct payment holders who employ carers</u>	10/06/2020



R48	Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme: guidance for research organisations	05/06/2020
R49	Steps for employers to take when calculating furlough scheme claims	23/12/2020
R50	Updated guidance for employers to check on furloughing arrangements	05/01/2021
R51	Extension of Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme to April 2021: guidance	13/01/2021
Business Support: Companies House		
R52	Sending your forms to Companies House: uploading documents guidance	08/10/2020
R53	Guidance for Companies House customers, employees, and suppliers	06/11/2020
Business support: Future Fund		
R54	Financial support for businesses: Headline terms for 'Future Fund'	05/06/2020
Business support: HMRC		
R55	Genuine HMRC contact and recognising phishing emails and texts	15/01/2021
R56	Penalties for not telling HMRC about COVID-19 furlough overpayments	28/07/2020
Business support: Kickstart Scheme		
R57	Employers can apply for a grant through the Kickstart Scheme	14/01/2021
R58	Kickstart Scheme terms and conditions	22/12/2020
R59	Kickstart Scheme: promotional materials	14/10/2020
R60	Kickstart Scheme: employer resources	19/11/2020
R61	Kickstart Scheme employer contacts	18/09/2020
Business support: Local Restrictions Support grant		
R62	Check if your business is eligible for the Additional Restrictions Grant	22/12/2020
Business support: Self-Employment Income Support Scheme		
R63	Self-Employment Income Support Scheme: how to make a claim	09/12/2020
R64	Eligibility for the Self-Employment Income Support Scheme	02/12/2020
Business support: general information		
R65	Recovery Advice for Business [Free access to platform until 31/12/2020]	Website
R66	Find financial support for your business: online support tool	Website
R67	Guidance on Local Authority Discretionary Fund: August 2020 – version 3	August 2020
R68	How employers can use the Coronavirus Statutory Sick Pay Rebate Scheme	10/11/2020
R69	Support if your business is affected by COVID-1 [videos and webinars]	14/01/2021



R70	Information for farmers, landowners, and rural businesses	13/01/2021
R71	Support from Business Representative Organisations and trade bodies	08/06/2020
R72	Contract cancellations and refunds due to COVID-19: updated advice	28/08/2020
R73	Code of practice for the commercial property sector during COVID-19	June 2020
R74	Access to work: factsheet for those with disabilities or health conditions	17/08/2020
R75	Reporting outbreaks of COVID-19: early outbreak management	14/01/2021
R76	Financial support for zoos and aquariums	03/08/2020
R77	Penalties for not informing HMRC about COVID-19 support overpayments	13/11/2020
R78	Business support resources during COVID-19	18/12/2020
R79	Income tax & national insurance contribution exemption for antigen tests	15/12/2020
R80	Guidance for employers and workers on COVID-19 work absences	31/12/2020
R81	£4.6 billion in new lockdown grants to support businesses and protect jobs	05/01/2021

CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

R82	Guidance for parents & carers on looking after mental health of children	16/10/2020
R83	Guidance for children's social care services	07/01/2021
R84	Making a childcare bubble with another household	15/01/2021
R85	Education and childcare support: collection of guidance	Website
R86	COVID-19 test kits for children's homes: guidance	14/12/2020

CONSTRUCTION SITES

R87	Construction Industry Roadmap to Recovery	01/06/2020
R88	Construction Leadership Council	Website
R89	Construction site operating procedures: version 5	04/07/2020
R90	Charter for Safe Working Practice	13/05/2020
R91	Working safely in construction - video	13/05/2020
R92	The use of face coverings in construction – industry guidance version 2	02/11/2020

COVID ALERT LEVELS

R93	UK COVID Alert Levels methodology: an overview of how it works	05/01/2021
R94	COVID-19 Alert Levels: statement from England's Chief Medical officer	10/01/2021
R95	TV advert urges public to stay at home to protect the NHS and save lives	10/01/2021



DEATHS AND BEREAVEMENT

R96	Support for the bereaved [collection of guidance in multiple languages]	15/06/2020
R97	Guidance to local authorities in England on local death management	April 2020
R98	Guidance for managing a funeral during the pandemic	13/01/2021
R99	Collection of guidance for those involved in managing deaths	21/04/2020
R100	Information leaflet for the bereaved	28/05/2020
R101	Verification of deaths in England in times of emergency	05/05/2020
R102	Local death management: templates for use by local authorities in England	14/05/2020
R103	Process for informing government of the death of a worker in social care	07/07/2020
R104	Public health funerals: non-statutory guidance [England and Wales]	16/09/2020
R105	Quality of death registration data during COVID-19 [England and Wales]	03/12/2020

Guidance from the Chief Coroner

R106	Chief Coroner’s Note 34 – guidance for coroners	26/03/2020
R107	Chief Coroner’s Note 35 – hearings during the pandemic	27/03/2020
R108	Chief Coroner’s Note 36 – Coronavirus Act: provisions relevant to coroners	30/03/2020
R109	Chief Coroner’s Note 37 – possible COVID-19 workplace exposure	28/04/2020

EDUCATION

Education – downloadable resources

R110	BBC Bitesize: support for students in primary and secondary schools	Website
R111	Oak National Academy: an online teaching resource for teachers	Website
R112	Oak National Academy: downloadable Schools Pack for remote teaching	Website
R113	Collection of online resources for home learning	03/12/2020
R114	Remote education good practice	27/10/2020
R115	Example lessons for remote teaching	26/10/2020
R116	School-led webinars on remote education	18/12/2020
R117	Help with accessing and buying resources for remote education	23/11/2020

Education – education settings and vocational training

R118	Collection of guidance for schools and other educational settings	14/01/2021
R119	Information for parents & carers about schools & other settings	08/01/2021
R120	Actions for schools in England during the COVID-19 pandemic	14/01/2021



R121	Collection of guidance for early years and childcare [England]	15/01/2021
R122	Providing apprenticeships during COVID-19	08/01/2021
R123	International travel advice for educational settings	05/10/2020
R124	Planning guide for primary schools in England	14/01/2021
R125	Tier 4 sponsors, migrants & short-term students on temporary concessions	24/12/2020
R126	Actions for early years and childcare providers [England]	07/01/2021
R127	School governance update	02/12/2020
R128	Higher education restructuring scheme to help universities in England	30/10/2020
R129	10 top tips for parents to support children to read	16/07/2020
R130	Protective measures for after-school clubs and other out-of-school settings	08/01/2021
R131	Guidance for boarding schools with international students	06/11/2020
R132	Package of support for students who have to defer their studies	25/11/2020
R133	How additional funding can help pupils catch up on missed education	19/11/2020
R134	Help with remote education: guidance and support for teachers & schools	03/12/2020
R135	Information on student movements from January 2021	07/01/2021
R136	Asymptomatic COVID-19 testing in schools and colleges from January 2021	15/12/2020
R137	Schools & childcare settings [England]: guidance for returning in Jan 2021	14/01/2021
R138	GCSE subject-level conditions for 2021 [education regulation]	06/01/2021

FACE COVERINGS

R139	Face coverings: when to wear one and how to make your own	04/12/2020
R140	How to make and wear a simple cloth face covering	15/07/2020
R141	Face coverings in education [England]	08/01/2021

FOOD HYGIENE

R142	Guidance for consumers on how to maintain food hygiene	25/04/2020
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GLOSSARY OF TERMS USED IN UK GOVERNMENT GUIDANCE

R143	Glossary	20/10/2020
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GOVERNMENT PLANNING AND CO-ORDINATION OF COVID-19 RESPONSE

R144	Parliamentary scrutiny of the government's handling of COVID-19	10/09/2020
R145	Public Inquiry into government's handling of COVID-19 response	10/09/2020

STAY HOME ► **PROTECT THE NHS** ► **SAVE LIVES**

HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS AND HOSPITAL SETTINGS

R146	Background information (epidemiology, virology, and clinical features)	13/01/2021
R147	Collection of guidance for healthcare professionals and others	13/01/2021
R148	Management of exposed healthcare workers, patients, and care residents	17/12/2020
R149	Guidance for ambulance trusts	18/05/2020
R150	Guidance for first responders	22/09/2020
R151	Guidance for taking swab samples	02/07/2020
R152	Infection prevention and control	20/10/2020
R153	Infection control precautions when discharging from hospital to home	18/12/2020
R154	Health and care settings: infection prevention and control version 1.0	20/08/2020
R155	Flu immunisation training recommendations	05/08/2020
R156	Hospital discharge arrangements: collection of guidance	16/09/2020

HEMOCARE [DOMICILIARY CARE]

R157	PPE for care workers delivering home care in England	02/11/2020
R158	Putting on PPE for home carers	30/04/2020
R159	Taking off PPE for home carers	30/04/2020
R160	Using direct payments for health budgets and social care	18/11/2020
R161	Weekly testing for all homecare workers in registered organisations	11/01/2021

IMMIGRATION AND BORDERS

R162	Guidance for those affected by changes to UK immigration & borders	07/01/2021
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INTERNATIONAL

R163	Guidance for UK businesses trading internationally	26/06/2020
R164	Essential international travel advice	16/01/2021
R165	Advice for UK visa applicants and temporary UK residents	17/01/2021
R166	How to self-isolate if you are coming to the UK from abroad	12/01/2021
R167	COVID-19 risk assessment methodology for inbound international travel	24/11/2020
R168	COVID-19 'Test to Release' for international travel	15/01/2021
R169	Quarantine exemptions for senior executives [suspended]	15/01/2021
R170	COVID-19: cruise ship holiday guidance	16/01/2021
R171	Guidance for HGV operators & drivers to cross international borders safely	24/12/2020



R172	Foreign travel insurance	16/01/2021
INVESTIGATIONS INTO THE HANDLING OF THE PANDEMIC PREPARATION AND RESPONSE		
R173	Readying the NHS and adult social care in England for COVID-19 [NAO]	12/06/2020
R174	Investigation into UK government procurement during COVID-19 [NAO]	18/11/2020
LABORATORIES		
R175	Guidance for sampling and for diagnostic laboratories	16/07/2020
LAWS AND REGULATIONS [for access to all COVID-19 legislation click HERE]		
R176	Coronavirus Act 2020	25/03/2020
R177	Coronavirus Act 2020: table setting out the status of each power	07/05/2020
R178	Coronavirus Act 2020: two-monthly reports on active powers [4 reports]	01/12/2020
R179	Coronavirus Act 2020 analysis: how the Act has been applied [CP 295]	23/09/2020
R180	Health Protection (Coronavirus) Regulations 2020	10/02/2020
R181	Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (England) Regulations 2020	26/03/2020
R182	The Adoption and Children (Coronavirus)(Amendment) Regulations 2020	24/04/2020
R183	HSE guidance on RIDDOR reporting of COVID-19	Website
R184	Health Protection (Coronavirus, Public Health Info for Passengers) Regs	08/06/2020
R185	Businesses to give access to toilet and washing facilities for delivery drivers	14/06/2020
R186	Health & Social Care Workers (Scrutiny of Coronavirus Deaths) Directions	03/07/2020
R187	How to join telephone and video court and tribunal hearings	25/11/2020
R188	Coronavirus Act 2020 Provision of Remote Education (England)	Sept 2020
R189	Making traffic regulation orders during COVID-19	29/06/2020
LIFE ASSURANCE SCHEME FOR NHS AND SOCIAL CARE WORKERS [England]		
R190	NHS & Social Care Coronavirus Life Assurance Scheme	Website
LOCAL AUTHORITIES		
R191	Guidance to local authorities for controlling fraud	March 2020
R192	Council tax: guidance for local authorities on the hardship fund 2020-2021	March 2020
R193	Business rates discount 2020-2021: guidance for local authorities	02/04/2020
R194	Guidance to local authorities in England on prioritising waste collections	14/12/2020
R195	Collection of guidance for local authorities' children's services	14/01/2021
R196	Mitigating impacts on Gypsy and traveller Communities	01/05/2020



R197	Guidance for local government	22/12/2020
R198	Community Infrastructure Levy guidance	10/08/2020
R199	Guidance for public health officers: potentially infectious persons	July 2020
R200	Local government income compensation scheme for lost sales, fees, etc.	24/08/2020
R201	COVID-19 local authority compliance and enforcement grant allocations	08/10/2020
R202	Allocation of additional emergency funding for local authorities in England	11/01/2021
R203	COVID Winter Grant Scheme for vulnerable households and families	30/12/2020
R204	Contain Outbreak Management Fund [payments to local authorities]	10/12/2020
R205	Additional COVID-19 enforcement powers for local authorities in England	04/12/2020
MEDICINES AND HEALTHCARE REGULATORY AUTHORITY (MHRA)		
R206	Medicines & Healthcare Products Regulatory Agency (MHRA): collection	08/01/2021
MENTAL HEALTH AND WELLBEING SUPPORT		
Mental health and wellbeing: online support		
R207	Mental health helplines	Website
R208	Samaritans	Website
R209	Young Minds	Website
R210	Mental Health UK	Website
R211	Every Mind Matters	Website
R212	FRONTLINE: support for health, care, emergency, education & key workers	Website
R213	Aye Feel [mental health support for young people in Scotland]	Website
R214	Lifelines Scotland: support for emergency responders in Scotland	Website
R215	Get fit with Flex and Strength [NHS exercise plan]	Website
Mental health and wellbeing: advice and guidance		
R216	Support and guidance for those suffering with mental health issues	04/11/2020
R217	Easy-read guide: looking after your feelings and body	March 2020
R218	Health and social care staff who care for people lacking mental capacity	12/01/2021
R219	Teaching mental wellbeing: practical materials for training staff in schools	08/06/2020
R220	Mental health and wellbeing if you are abroad during the pandemic	18/06/2020
R221	COVID-19: mental health and wellbeing surveillance report	17/12/2020
R222	Staying mentally well: Winter Plan 2020-21	23/11/2020



MILITARY AID TO THE CIVIL AUTHORITIES (MACA)/ARMED FORCES		
R223	COVID-19 update on changes to Veterans UK Services	15/10/2020
R224	COVID Support Force: military support to UK public services	15/01/2021
R225	Armed Forces support for UK activities	15/01/2021
NATIONAL LOCKDOWN [ENGLAND]: STAY AT HOME		
R226	Stay at home: what you can and cannot do	14/01/2021
R227	England lockdown posters: promotional material	05/01/2021
OFFICE FOR BUDGET RESPONSIBILITY (OBR)		
R228	Coronavirus analysis and implications for the UK economy [OBR]	Website
PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)		
R229	Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Strategy [September 2020]	28/09/2020
R230	PPE use for aerosol generating procedures	21/08/2020
R231	PPE use for non-aerosol generating procedures	21/08/2020
R232	Management of exposed healthcare workers and patients in hospitals	17/12/2020
R233	Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Hub	23/12/2020
R234	Cleansing and PPE waste at a healthcare management facility: RPS C1	24/09/2020
R235	Personal Protective Equipment Portal – how to order emergency supplies	11/01/2021
R236	PPE guide for community and social care settings	31/07/2020
R237	#WearAMaskChallenge [World Health Organisation]	06/08/2020
PROCUREMENT POLICY GUIDANCE TO PUBLIC BODIES		
R238	Payment to suppliers of public bodies	12/01/2021
PUBLIC INFORMATION		
R239	Coronavirus: action plan – A guide to what you can expect across the UK	03/03/2020
R240	Guidance for everyone	13/01/2021
R241	Easy read guidance for households with possible coronavirus infection	18/12/2020
R242	Video explanation about the rate of infection value known as ‘R’	30/04/2020
R243	British Sign Language COVID-19 information accessible via SIGNHEALTH	Website
R244	Searching for archaeological finds in England during COVID-19	06/01/2021
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