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## Briefing Note 154 - COVID-19 Guidance As at 18:00 Monday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2021

### Summary of UK activities: period ending Monday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2021

#### DATE

##### Monday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2021

- 01 [Helping advise on the pandemics of the future](#)
- 02 [Worried about having your second dose of the AstraZeneca vaccination? \[leaflet\]](#)
- 03 [19<sup>th</sup> July 2021 remains target date for ending restrictions in England](#)

##### Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2021

- 01 [Analysis of reinfections of COVID-19, June 2021 \[data\]](#)

##### Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> June 2021

- 01 [Collecting tax debts as the UK emerges from the COVID-19 pandemic \[HMRC briefing\]](#)
- 02 [COVID-19 vaccinations if you live abroad](#)
- 03 [JCVI issues interim advice on COVID-19 booster vaccination programme](#)

##### Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> July 2021

- 01 [Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme statistics: 1<sup>st</sup> July 2021](#)
- 02 [COVID-19 vaccinations: adverse reactions \[data\]](#)
- 03 [New Variant Assessment Platform](#)

##### Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2021

- 01 [Celebrities in new film supporting COVID-19 vaccination programme](#)

##### Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2021

- 01 [Health and Social Care Secretary's opinion piece in the Mail on Sunday](#)



## B. Data sources

### Statistics and survey data related to the COVID-19 response

- B1 [COVID-19 latest insights: interactive tool](#)
- B2 [UK COVID-19 deaths within 28 days of a positive test: 128,222 \[up to 4<sup>th</sup> July\]](#)
- B3 [UK deaths with COVID-19 on the death certificate: 152,606 \[up to 18<sup>th</sup> June\]](#)
- B4 [UK people who have tested positive for COVID-19 within past 7 days: 173,662 \[+67%\]](#)
- B5 [COVID-19 patients in UK hospitals and associated data](#)
- B6 [UK vaccinations: 45,351,719 \(1st dose\), 33,726,362 \(2<sup>nd</sup> dose\) @ 4<sup>th</sup> July 2021](#)
- B7 [Office for National Statistics \(ONS\): analysis of COVID-19 data](#)
- B8 [The R number and growth rate in the UK @ 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2021](#)
- B9 [PPE delivery statistics \(England\): weekly reports](#)
- B10 [Transport use in Great Britain since March 2020: data across all modes](#)
- B11 [Grant payments made to businesses by local authority area in England](#)
- B12 [Government data on funding to support businesses and self-employed](#)
- B13 [Business insights and the impact on the UK economy \(1<sup>st</sup> July 2021\)](#)
- B14 [COVID-19 and the impact on output in the UK economy in April 2021](#)
- B15 [Social impacts on Great Britain: Opinions and Lifestyle Survey \[2<sup>nd</sup> July 2021\]](#)
- B16 [NHS test and Trace Statistics \[England\] methodology](#)
- B17 [Infection Survey pilot: England and Wales \[2<sup>nd</sup> July 2021\]](#)
- B18 [COVID-19: impact on health – reports and tools \[collection\]](#)
- B19 [COVID-19 tests in defence & positive cases in the UK Armed Forces \[24<sup>th</sup> June 2021\]](#)
- B20 [Economic activity and social change in the UK, real-time indicators \[2<sup>nd</sup> July 2021\]](#)
- B21 [Vulnerable children and young people survey](#)
- B22 [National flu and COVID-19 surveillance reports](#)
- B23 [UK Immigration and border statistics relating to COVID-19](#)
- B24 [Attendance in education and early years settings \[to 29<sup>th</sup> June 2021\]](#)
- B25 [Collection of slides, datasets and transcripts used at UK Government press conferences](#)
- B26 [Excess mortality in the English regions \[to 17<sup>th</sup> June 2021\]](#)
- B27 [COVID-19 and vaccine hesitancy by sub-group, Great Britain: 26/05/2021-20/06/2021](#)
- B28 [COVID-19 and the social impacts on disabled people in Great Britain: February 2021](#)
- B29 [Characteristics of people testing positive for COVID-19 in the UK \[20<sup>th</sup> May 2021\]](#)



- B30 [Industries and firms where turnover was resilient during the pandemic: data](#)
- B31 [COVID-19 and self-isolation in England after being in contact with a positive case](#)
- B32 [COVID-19 and the social impacts on households in subnational areas in GB: 2020/21](#)
- B33 [Daily contact testing study \[NHS test and Trace daily contact testing\]](#)
- B34 [Data supporting international travel traffic light travel system \[7<sup>th</sup> May 2021\]](#)
- B35 [Qualitative study: COVID-19 vaccine refusal \(February to March 2021\) \[data release\]](#)
- B36 [Deaths involving COVID-19 in care sector \(England & Wales\): 20/03/2020-02/04/2021](#)
- B37 [COVID-19 and the impact on output in the UK economy: April 2021](#)
- B38 [Attendance in education and early years settings 23/03/2020 to 24/06/2021](#)
- B39 [COVID-19 data informing local and national decision-making \[collection\]](#)
- B40 [Understanding the business impacts of local and national restrictions: May 2021](#)
- B41 [COVID-19 in charts: What we learned over the past month \(May 2021\)](#)
- B42 [National Travel Attitudes Study: Wave 5](#)
- B43 [Statistics relating to UK passenger arrivals since COVID-19 outbreak to May 2021](#)
- B44 [Data informing international travel traffic-light system risk assessment](#)
- B45 [Vaccination rates in people over 70 years in England: 08/12/2020 – 09/05/2021](#)
- B46 [Economies of ale: pubs in the time of COVID-19 \[statistics\]](#)
- B47 [COVID-19 and the social impacts on unpaid carers in Great Britain \[statistics\]](#)
- B48 [How people with a vaccine spent their time: one year on from the first UK lockdown](#)

## 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

### [England](#)

England remains in Step 3 of the [roadmap out of lockdown](#). Current restrictions and permitted activities are available [HERE](#) and will remain in place until 19<sup>th</sup> July 2021 when it is expected that the country will move to Step 4 of the roadmap .



At 1700 today, Monday 5<sup>th</sup> July, the Prime Minister, Boris Johnson, gave a briefing at a COVID-19 press conference. He reported that all the evidence indicates that the UK vaccination programme has weakened the link between the disease and death. He confirmed that it was the intention to remove all legal restrictions in England on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2021, at Step 4 of the roadmap. This will be announced on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> July when the final decision will be made.

The Prime Minister announced a five-point plan for living with COVID-19. Key points are:

1. The vaccination programme will continue at pace. It is expected that every adult will have been offered a first dose of a vaccine by 19<sup>th</sup> July, with two-thirds having received both doses by then.
2. Legal restrictions will be replaced by people exercising personal responsibility and further guidance will be issued by government. Face coverings will become voluntary, social distancing measures will end and people will no longer be encouraged to work from home.
3. The NHS Test and Trace arrangements will continue to operate.
4. Border controls will be maintained, including the red travel list.
5. The government will continue monitoring the data to manage the pandemic and retain contingency measures.

## Scotland

Scotland has five [COVID-19 Protection Levels](#) from 0 to 4. Each level has a different set of rules setting out what is permitted within a specific geographic area. The Scottish Government has set a timetable for its pathway out of restrictions:

### **13<sup>th</sup> July 2021**

There will be a review of the current levels ahead of planned changes on 19<sup>th</sup> July 2021.

### **19<sup>th</sup> July 2021**

The whole of Scotland will move to its Level 0 if all necessary vaccination and harm reduction measures are met. Physical distancing outdoors will be removed and physical distancing for indoor public places will reduce to 1m if the data allows

### **9<sup>th</sup> August 2021**

All major COVID-19 restrictions will be lifted if the necessary conditions on vaccination and harm reduction continue.

## Wales

All of Wales remains at its [Alert Level 1](#). The Welsh Government has not yet published a timetable for the further easing of restrictions.

## Northern Ireland

The rules that apply in Northern Ireland are [HERE](#). The current restrictions are due to be formally reviewed on 8<sup>th</sup> July 2021.

### **UK Vaccines Delivery Plan**

Over [45 million people](#) across the UK had received the first dose of a COVID-19 vaccine and over 33.7 million had received their second dose, by the end of 4<sup>th</sup> July 2021.



### **International travel**

The [red, amber and green traffic light system](#) for people entering England remains in force and was updated on 30<sup>th</sup> June 2021.

### **Dates of interest**

#### **12<sup>th</sup> July 2021:**

Final decision on removing legal restrictions in England and moving to Step 4 of the roadmap out of lockdown to be formally announced.

#### **19<sup>th</sup> July 2021:**

[Roadmap Step 4](#)

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## Annex A

### RESOURCES: UK government guidance and related advice

**Information updated at 18:00 Monday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2021**

REF	DOCUMENTS and OTHER SOURCES OF GUIDANCE	DATE
<b>RECOVERY PLANNING</b>		
R1	<a href="#">Roadmap out of the current COVID-19 lockdown in England</a>	22/02/2021
R2	<a href="#">COVID-19 CONTAIN national framework: a guide for local decision-makers</a>	18/03/2021
R3	<a href="#">Working safely during coronavirus [searchable online manual – 14 guides]</a>	22/06/2021
R4	<a href="#">Safer public places – urban centres and green spaces [Version 5.11]</a>	21/01/2021
R5	<a href="#">Guidance for moving home safely in England</a>	17/05/2021
R6	<a href="#">Guidance on accessing green spaces safely</a>	18/05/2021
R7	<a href="#">Reopening High Streets Safely: Welcome Back Fund guidance</a>	15/06/2021
R8	<a href="#">Actions for schools in England during the pandemic</a>	24/05/2021
R9	<a href="#">Guidance on the phased return of elite sport</a>	16/05/2021
R10	<a href="#">Safer aviation guidance for operators and passengers</a>	25/06/2021
R11	<a href="#">Guidance for the safe use of places of worship</a>	16/06/2021
R12	<a href="#">Collection of guidance for culture, media, and sport sectors</a>	22/06/2021
R13	<a href="#">Guidance for managing playgrounds and outdoor gyms</a>	18/05/2021
R14	<a href="#">Guidance for food businesses</a>	21/05/2021
R15	<a href="#">Safer travel advice for public transport passengers</a>	15/06/2021
R16	<a href="#">Guidance for the safe use of multi-purpose community facilities</a>	17/05/2021
R17	<a href="#">Working safely: providers of grassroots sports and gym/leisure facilities</a>	22/06/2021
R18	<a href="#">Driver and rider training and tests [England, Scotland &amp; Wales]</a>	06/05/2021
R19	<a href="#">Staying COVID-19 Secure in 2021 [compliance statement poster]</a>	17/01/2021
R20	<a href="#">COVID-19 Response – Spring Review: terms of reference for four reviews</a>	05/04/2021
R21	<a href="#">COVID-19 mental health and wellbeing recovery action plan [2021-2022]</a>	27/03/2021
R22	<a href="#">Guidance for managing beaches, the countryside and coastal areas</a>	29/03/2021
R23	<a href="#">Guidance about the Events Research Programme</a>	28/06/2021
R24	<a href="#">Welcome Back Fund: guidance for local authorities and partners</a>	15/06/2021
R25	<a href="#">Step 3 COVID-19 restrictions posters [effective from 17<sup>th</sup> May 2021]</a>	17/05/2021



R26	<a href="#">COVID-19 commercial bus operator support grant announced</a>	04/06/2021
R27	<a href="#">Events Research Programme - Science</a>	04/06/2021
R28	<a href="#">Education recovery support</a>	June 2021
R29	<a href="#">Planning weddings, civil partnerships, funerals, wakes &amp; commemorations</a>	22/06/2021

#### ADULT SOCIAL CARE

R30	<a href="#">Adult social care risk reduction framework [England]</a>	Nov 2020
R31	<a href="#">Admission and care of residents in care homes [England]</a>	23/06/2021
R32	<a href="#">How to work safely in care homes</a>	09/06/2021
R33	<a href="#">Health and wellbeing of the adult social care workforce</a>	19/05/2021
R34	<a href="#">Overview of adult social care guidance for care providers</a>	23/06/2021
R35	<a href="#">Providing personal home care [Frequently Asked Questions]</a>	17/05/2021
R36	<a href="#">Action to take following the death of a person working in adult social care</a>	07/07/2020
R37	<a href="#">Visiting care homes during COVID-19: revised guidance</a>	21/06/2021
R38	<a href="#">Supported living services during COVID-19 [England]</a>	18/06/2021
R39	<a href="#">Personal protective equipment (PPE): local contacts for care providers</a>	23/04/2021
R40	<a href="#">Arrangements for outside visits by care home residents of working age</a>	17/06/2021
R41	<a href="#">COVID-19 testing for personal assistants in adult social care [England]</a>	18/06/2021
R42	<a href="#">Restricting workforce movement between care homes and other settings</a>	03/03/2021
R43	<a href="#">COVID-19 testing in adult care homes: step-by-step guides</a>	29/06/2021
R44	<a href="#">Testing staff, residents and visitors in all adult social care settings</a>	29/06/2021
R45	<a href="#">Adult Social Care Infection Control and Testing Fund</a>	08/04/2021
R46	<a href="#">Vivaldi 2: COVID-19 care homes independent study report</a>	07/05/2021
R47	<a href="#">Staff movement between care homes: consultation outcome</a>	29/06/2021
R48	<a href="#">Everyone working in care homes to be fully vaccinated under new law</a>	16/06/2021

#### ANIMALS and PETS

R49	<a href="#">Advice for people in England with animals [pets and livestock]</a>	18/05/2021
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#### BUSINESS SUPPORT AND EMPLOYMENT

##### Business support: Coronavirus Additional Restrictions Grant

R50	<a href="#">Check if your business is eligible for the Additional Restrictions Grant</a>	17/06/2021
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##### Business Support: Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme [Furlough]

R51	<a href="#">Check if your employer can use the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme</a>	17/06/2021
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R52	<a href="#">Steps for employers to take when calculating furlough scheme claims</a>	20/05/2021
R53	<a href="#">Changes to the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme from July 2021</a>	03/03/2021
R54	<a href="#">Template for claiming for 16-99 employees through Job Retention Scheme</a>	24/06/2021
<b>Business Support: Companies House</b>		
R55	<a href="#">Guidance for Companies House customers, employees, and suppliers</a>	22/04/2021
<b>Business support: HMRC</b>		
R56	<a href="#">Genuine HMRC contact and recognising phishing emails and texts</a>	29/06/2021
R57	<a href="#">Penalties for not telling HMRC about COVID-19 furlough overpayments</a>	08/04/2021
R58	<a href="#">How employers can ask HMRC not to publish Job Retention Scheme claims</a>	30/03/2021
<b>Business support: Kickstart Scheme</b>		
R59	<a href="#">Employers can apply for a grant through the Kickstart Scheme</a>	21/06/2021
R60	<a href="#">Kickstart Scheme terms and conditions</a>	21/06/2021
R61	<a href="#">Kickstart Scheme: promotional materials</a>	03/02/2021
R62	<a href="#">Kickstart Scheme: employer resources</a>	29/06/2021
R63	<a href="#">Kickstart Scheme employer contacts</a>	03/02/2021
<b>Business support: Self-Employment Income Support Scheme</b>		
R64	<a href="#">Self-Employment Income Support Scheme: update to tax charges</a>	03/03/2021
R65	<a href="#">Self-Employment Income Support Scheme fifth grant</a>	25/06/2021
<b>Business Support: Recovery Loan Scheme</b>		
R66	<a href="#">Recovery Loan Scheme for UK businesses</a>	03/03/2021
<b>Business Support: Restart Grant Scheme</b>		
R67	<a href="#">COVID-19 Restart Grant eligibility checker [withdrawn on 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2021]</a>	02/07/2021
<b>Business support: general information</b>		
R68	<a href="#">Find financial support for your business: online support tool</a>	Website
R69	<a href="#">How employers can claim back Statutory Sick Pay paid due to COVID-19</a>	29/05/2020
R70	<a href="#">Support if your business is affected by COVID-19</a>	20/05/2021
R71	<a href="#">Information for farmers, landowners, and rural businesses</a>	12/06/2021
R72	<a href="#">Support from Business Representative Organisations and trade bodies</a>	02/02/2021
R73	<a href="#">Business support resources during COVID-19</a>	18/12/2020
R74	<a href="#">Guidance for employers and workers on COVID-19 work absences</a>	31/12/2020
R75	<a href="#">Employment &amp; support programmes for jobseekers [collection]</a>	26/01/2021





R76	<a href="#">Providing apprenticeships during COVID-19 in England</a>	12/05/2021
R77	<a href="#">Guidance to local authorities on paying grants to support businesses</a>	16/06/2021
R78	<a href="#">Re-opening businesses and venues: roadmap timeline</a>	17/05/2021
R79	<a href="#">Jobs and benefits: the COVID-19 challenge [independent report]</a>	02/03/2021
R80	<a href="#">Income Tax &amp; COVID-19 support: working households receiving tax credits</a>	03/03/2021
R81	<a href="#">Reduced rate VAT for hospitality, holiday accommodation and attractions</a>	03/03/2021
R82	<a href="#">New one-off £500 payment to working households receiving tax credits</a>	28/04/2021
R83	<a href="#">How to apply for COVID-19 airport and ground operations funding</a>	28/05/2021
<b>CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE</b>		
R84	<a href="#">Guidance for parents &amp; carers on looking after mental health of children</a>	19/05/2020
R85	<a href="#">Guidance for children's social care services</a>	24/05/2021
R86	<a href="#">Making a childcare bubble with another household</a>	17/05/2021
R87	<a href="#">Education and childcare support: collection of guidance</a>	Website
<b>CONSTRUCTION SITES</b>		
R88	<a href="#">Construction site operating procedures: version 7</a>	07/01/2021
R89	<a href="#">The use of face coverings in construction – industry guidance version 2</a>	02/11/2020
<b>COVID ALERT LEVELS</b>		
R90	<a href="#">UK COVID Alert Levels methodology: an overview of how it works</a>	05/01/2021
<b>DEATHS AND BEREAVEMENT</b>		
R91	<a href="#">Support for the bereaved [collection of guidance in multiple languages]</a>	15/06/2020
R92	<a href="#">Guidance for local authorities in England on local death management</a>	May 2021
R93	<a href="#">Guidance for managing a funeral in England during the pandemic</a>	30/06/2021
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
R96	<a href="#">Verification of deaths in England in times of emergency</a>	05/05/2020
R97	<a href="#">Local death management: templates for use by local authorities in England</a>	24/05/2021
R98	<a href="#">Public health funerals: good practice guidance [England and Wales]</a>	16/09/2020
<b>Guidance from the Chief Coroner</b>		
R99	<a href="#">Chief Coroner's Note 34 – guidance for coroners</a>	26/03/2020
R100	<a href="#">Chief Coroner's Note 35 – hearings during the pandemic</a>	27/03/2020
R101	<a href="#">Chief Coroner's Note 36 – Coronavirus Act: provisions relevant to coroners</a>	30/03/2020



R102 [Chief Coroner's Note 37 – possible COVID-19 workplace exposure](#) 28/04/2020

## EDUCATION

### Remote education and downloadable resources

R103 [BBC Bitesize: support for students in primary and secondary schools](#) Website

R104 [Oak National Academy: an online teaching resource for teachers](#) Website

R105 [Collection of online resources for home learning](#) 03/12/2020

### Education – education settings and vocational training

R106 [Collection of guidance for schools and other educational settings](#) 15/06/2021

R107 [Information for parents & carers about schools & other settings](#) 12/05/2021

R108 [Actions for schools in England during the COVID-19 pandemic](#) 24/05/2021

R109 [Collection of guidance for early years and childcare \[England\]](#) 24/06/2021

R110 [Providing apprenticeships during COVID-19](#) 12/05/2021

R111 [Planning guide for primary schools in England](#) 24/05/2021

R112 [Tier 4 sponsors, migrants & short-term students on temporary concessions](#) 02/07/2021

R113 [Actions for early years and childcare providers \[England\]](#) 24/05/2021

R114 [School governance update](#) 20/04/2020

R115 [Protective measures for after-school clubs and other out-of-school settings](#) 14/06/2021

R116 [Additional funding for missed education: catch-up premium](#) 27/04/2021

R117 [Get help with remote education: guidance for teachers & schools](#) 14/05/2021

R118 [Higher education COVID-19 operational guidance](#) 20/05/2021

R119 [Asymptomatic COVID-19 testing in schools and colleges from January 2021](#) 30/03/2021

R120 [GCSE subject-level conditions for 2021 \[education regulation\]](#) 06/01/2021

R121 [Vocational, technical, and other general qualifications in 2021](#) 25/05/2021

R122 [Good practice in remote and blended learning in further education](#) 02/03/2021

R123 [Quarantine for boarding school students from 'red list' countries](#) 05/03/2021

R124 [Vocational and technical qualifications contingency regulatory framework](#) 04/05/2021

R125 [Submission of teacher assessed grades, summer 2021: info for teachers](#) 08/06/2021

R126 [Guidance for centres about making objective assessments in 2021](#) 24/03/2021

R127 [Summer schools programme for secondary schools](#) 30/06/2021

R128 [Ofqual-recognised awarding organisations COVID-19 information pages](#) 16/04/2021



R129	<a href="#">Ofqual student guide to awarding: summer 2021</a>	25/05/2021
R130	<a href="#">Guidance for centres: awarding of vocational, technical &amp; other quals</a>	20/05/2021
<b>FACE COVERINGS</b>		
R131	<a href="#">Face coverings: when to wear one and how to make your own</a>	22/04/2021
R132	<a href="#">How to make and wear a simple cloth face covering</a>	15/07/2020
R133	<a href="#">Face coverings in education [England]</a>	24/05/2021
<b>FOOD HYGIENE</b>		
R134	<a href="#">Guidance for consumers on how to maintain food hygiene</a>	25/04/2020
<b>GLOSSARY OF TERMS USED IN UK GOVERNMENT GUIDANCE</b>		
R135	<a href="#">Glossary</a>	01/06/2021
<b>GOVERNMENT PLANNING AND CO-ORDINATION OF COVID-19 RESPONSE</b>		
R136	<a href="#">Parliamentary scrutiny of the government's handling of COVID-19</a>	10/09/2020
R137	<a href="#">Public Inquiry into government's handling of COVID-19 response</a>	10/09/2020
<b>HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS AND HOSPITAL SETTINGS</b>		
R138	<a href="#">Background information (epidemiology, virology, and clinical features)</a>	18/02/2021
R139	<a href="#">Collection of guidance for healthcare professionals and others</a>	09/06/2021
R140	<a href="#">Management of exposed healthcare workers, patients, and care residents</a>	28/01/2021
R141	<a href="#">Guidance for ambulance services</a>	29/01/2021
R142	<a href="#">Guidance for first responders</a>	18/03/2021
R143	<a href="#">Guidance for taking swab samples</a>	02/07/2020
R144	<a href="#">Infection prevention and control</a>	01/06/2021
R145	<a href="#">Infection control precautions when discharging from hospital to home</a>	22/03/2021
R146	<a href="#">Health and care settings: infection prevention and control version 1.2</a>	01/06/2021
R147	<a href="#">Hospital discharge arrangements: collection of guidance</a>	19/02/2021
R148	<a href="#">COVID-19 migrant health guide for healthcare practitioners</a>	14/06/2021
<b>HEMOCARE [DOMICILIARY CARE]</b>		
R149	<a href="#">Putting on PPE for home carers</a>	30/04/2020
R150	<a href="#">Taking off PPE for home carers</a>	30/04/2020
R151	<a href="#">Using direct payments for health budgets and social care</a>	29/06/2021
R152	<a href="#">Weekly testing for all homecare workers in registered organisations</a>	14/05/2021



## IMMIGRATION AND BORDERS

R153 [Guidance for those affected by changes to UK immigration & borders](#) 02/07/2021

## INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL

R154 [Essential international travel advice](#) 20/05/2021

R155 [Advice for UK visa applicants and temporary UK residents](#) 01/07/2021

R156 [COVID-19 'Test to Release' for international travel](#) 17/05/2021

R157 [COVID-19: cruise ship holiday guidance](#) 26/04/2021

R158 [Guidance for HGV operators & drivers to cross international borders safely](#) 28/03/2021

R159 [Foreign travel insurance](#) 17/05/2021

R160 [People must have proof of a negative COVID-19 test to travel to England](#) 25/06/2021

R161 [Coming to the UK for seasonal agricultural work on English farms](#) 17/06/2021

R162 [Mandatory guidance on how to quarantine when you arrive in England](#) 17/05/2021

R163 [Managed quarantine: what to expect](#) 20/05/2021

R164 [Exemptions from quarantine for medical and compassionate reasons](#) 30/06/2021

R165 [Quarantine arrangements for exempt nurses arriving in England](#) 22/04/2021

R166 [Red, amber, green traffic light list for entering England from 17<sup>th</sup> May 2021](#) 30/06/2021

R167 [Risk assessment methodology for international traffic light system](#) 11/05/2021

R168 [Demonstrate your COVID-19 vaccination status when travelling abroad](#) 21/06/2021

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

R169 [Readying the NHS and adult social care in England for COVID-19 \[NAO\]](#) 12/06/2020

R170 [Investigation into UK government procurement during COVID-19 \[NAO\]](#) 18/11/2020

R171 [Investigation into the Culture Recovery Fund \[NAO\]](#) 12/03/2021

## LABORATORIES

R172 [Guidance for sampling and for diagnostic laboratories](#) 29/03/2021

## LAWS AND REGULATIONS [for access to all UK COVID-19 legislation click [HERE](#)]

R173 [Coronavirus Act 2020](#) 25/03/2020

R174 [Public Health \(Control of Disease\) Act 1984](#) 26/06/1984

R175 [Biometrics & Surveillance Camera Commissioner](#) 29/04/2021

## These Regulations apply to everyone in ENGLAND

R176 [Health Protection \(Coronavirus, Restrictions\) \(Steps\) \(England\) Regs 2021](#) 29/03/2021

R177 [International travel regulations](#) 08/06/2020



R178	<a href="#">Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (England) (No 3) Regs 2020</a>	18/07/2020
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R187	<a href="#">HSE guidance on RIDDOR reporting of COVID-19</a>	Website
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R207	<a href="#">Mental Health UK</a>	Website
R208	<a href="#">Every Mind Matters</a>	Website
R209	<a href="#">FRONTLINE: support for health, care, emergency, education &amp; key workers</a>	Website
R210	<a href="#">Aye Feel [mental health support for young people in Scotland]</a>	Website
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R214	<a href="#">Easy-read guide: looking after your feelings and body</a>	March 2020
R215	<a href="#">Health and social care staff who care for people lacking mental capacity</a>	27/04/2021
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R217	<a href="#">COVID-19: mental health and wellbeing surveillance report</a>	19/05/2021
R218	<a href="#">Psychological first aid training to support children and young people</a>	25/02/2021
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R229	<a href="#">PPE guide for community and social care settings</a>	09/06/2021
R230	<a href="#">#WearAMaskChallenge [World Health Organisation]</a>	06/08/2020
R231	<a href="#">PPE contract legal challenge: UK government response</a>	18/05/2021

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R236	<a href="#">Video explanation about the rate of infection value known as ‘R’</a>	30/04/2020
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R241	<a href="#">Advice for smokers and vapers</a>	29/03/2021
R242	<a href="#">COVID-19 and prisons</a>	17/05/2021
R243	<a href="#">Disposing of your personal or business waste in England</a>	05/03/2021
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R249	<a href="#">Social Mobility Commission’s Annual Review 2020 and COVID-19 impact</a>	Jan 2021
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R263	<a href="#">COVID-19 Health Inequalities Monitoring in England tool (CHIME)</a>	20/05/2021
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