



Briefing Note 112 - COVID-19 Guidance
As at 12:00 Monday 21st September 2020

A. Summary of UK activities: period ending Sunday 20th September

Date

Wednesday 16th September 2020

- 01 [More domestic abuse charities to benefit from government funding](#)
- 02 [Public health funerals: good practice guidance \[England and Wales\]](#)
- 03 [Government extends support to stop business evictions this year](#)
- 04 [Distance travelled in England for a COVID-19 test: 01-14 September 2020](#)

Thursday 17th September 2020

- 01 [274 councils in England to receive financial support for vulnerable people](#)
- 02 [New measures to improve patient care in A and E departments ahead of winter](#)
- 03 [£500 million for social care sector to reduce COVID-19 transmission during winter](#)
- 04 [Oral statement to Parliament by Secretary of State on government plans for winter](#)

Friday 18th September 2020

- 01 [Understanding the possession action process: guidance for landlords and tenants](#)
- 02 [COVID-19 guidance for those leading a nomadic way of life](#)
- 03 [New action plan to protect care homes from COVID-19 during winter](#)
- 04 [Kickstart Scheme: revised promotional materials](#)

Saturday 19th September 2020

- 01 [New support package to support and enforce self-isolation](#)

B. Data sources

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

- B1 [UK COVID-19 daily statistics: \(a\) recorded deaths 41,777 \(b\) positive tests 394,257](#)
- B2 [Office for National Statistics \(ONS\): analysis of COVID-19 data](#)
- B3 [The R number and growth rate in the UK](#)

HANDS FACE SPACE

- B4 [National COVID-19 surveillance reports \[Public Health England\]](#)
- B5 [HM Treasury business loan scheme statistics](#)
- B6 [UK Biobank COVID-19 anti-body study: results from round 1](#)
- B7 [PPE delivery statistics \(England\): weekly reports](#)
- B8 [Transport use in Great Britain since 16th March 2020: data across all modes](#)
- B9 [Grant payments made to businesses by local authority area in England](#)
- B10 [Government data on funding to support businesses and self-employed](#)
- B11 [Analysis over time, business impact of COVID-19: Waves 2 to 5, UK](#)
- B12 [Ad-hoc statistical analysis: 2020/21 Quarter 1](#)
- B13 [COVID-19 and the effects on the UK Balance of Payments](#)
- B14 [Data: furloughing of workers across UK businesses: 18th – 31st May 2020](#)
- B15 [Analysis of death registrations NOT associated with COVID-19](#)
- B16 [Mortality by religion, ethnicity & disability: 2nd March to 15th May 2020](#)
- B17 [Deaths involving COVID-19, England and Wales statistical bulletins](#)
- B18 [Official statistics relating to the immigration system during COVID-19](#)
- B19 [Emergency active travel funds: Local authority allocations](#)
- B20 [Rough sleeper accommodation survey data: May 2020](#)
- B21 [The social impacts on Great Britain: Opinions and Lifestyle Survey](#)
- B22 [Household spending data during COVID-19](#)
- B23 [Social impacts of COVID-19 on disabled people in Great Britain: May 2020](#)
- B24 [Weekly statistics for NHS Test & Trace \(England\) and COVID-19 testing \(UK\)](#)
- B25 [NHS test and Trace methodology \(England\)](#)
- B26 [Infection Survey pilot: England and Wales, 4th September 2020](#)
- B27 [COVID-19 and the impact on caring](#)
- B28 [COVID-19: impact on health – reports and tools \[collection\]](#)
- B29 [Number of COVID-19 tests in defence and positive cases in the UK Armed Forces 2020](#)
- B30 [COVID-19 and the economic impacts on the UK: 30th July 2020](#)
- B31 [COVID-19 excess mortality rates in English regions](#)
- B32 [Testing and contact tracing in the UK: data summary](#)
- B33 [COVID-19 Infection Survey: Characteristics of people testing positive](#)
- B34 [Unity and Division in Great Britain: the effects of COVID-19 on perceptions over time](#)

HANDS FACE SPACE

- B35 [COVID-19 and crime in England and Wales: August 2020](#)
- B36 [Vulnerable children and young people survey](#)
- B37 [Eat Out to Help Out Scheme: claims by parliamentary constituency](#)
- B38 [COVID-19 surveillance preliminary results in pre and primary schools in summer 2020](#)
- B39 [COVID-19: impacts on health – reports and tools](#)
- B40 [The impact of COVID-19 on output in the UK economy: July 2020](#)

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

All items listed in the annex to this document are updated when UK government guidance changes. The links take you through to the latest information.

International travel advice continues to be updated frequently as infection rates rise and fall in some countries. The current guidance on countries and territories exempt from UK travel restrictions and subsequent self-isolation upon returning to the UK is available [here](#).

Today, Monday 21st September, at 11.00 am, the UK government's Chief Medical Officer and Chief Scientific Adviser gave a joint press briefing on the current status of COVID-19 across the UK. This follows a significant increase in reported positive cases across the UK in the past couple of weeks. The increase has been matched by additional restrictions across many parts of the UK.

The key issues from the briefing were:

- Positive cases are doubling every seven to eight days
- There is no evidence that the virus is any less serious than it was in April this year
- The autumn and winter seasons are traditionally periods where there are increases in respiratory diseases, so this is likely to increase the risk of COVID-19 spreading
- The medical treatment is better than it was at the start of the pandemic, with new drugs now available
- Action must be taken to reduce the likelihood of the virus 'going out of control' – if it continues to increase exponentially then there will be four significant impacts:
 - There will be more COVID-19 deaths
 - The NHS will be overwhelmed by a huge 'spike' in cases
 - If the NHS spends significant effort dealing with a COVID-19 surge, then this will reduce its capability to provide services in other areas, have further social impacts and adversely affect mental health

HANDS FACE SPACE

- Anyone who increases their own personal risk (by not following the rules) will increase the risk of transmission to everyone around them.

The slides and datasets used during the press conference are available [here](#).

The R number range for COVID-19 in the UK is assessed at between 1.1 and 1.4, and the growth rate is +2% to +7% per day as of 18th September.

Selected future key 2020 dates in England

- **Thursday 24th September:** Launch of [NHS contract tracing app](#).
- **Saturday 10th October:** Companies House to restart the [compulsory strike off process](#).

HANDS FACE SPACE

Annex

RESOURCES: UK government guidance and related advice

Information updated as at 1200, Monday 14th September 2020

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	28/08/2020
R4	Working safely during coronavirus [searchable online manual – 14 guides]	18/09/2020
R5	Safer public places – urban centres and green spaces	26/06/2020
R6	Guidance for moving home safely in England	29/08/2020
R7	Guidance on accessing green spaces safely	09/09/2020
R8	Reopening High Streets Safely Fund guidance	14/09/2020
R9	Guidance for full opening of schools	17/09/2020
R10	Guidance on the phased return of sport and recreation	18/09/2020
R11	Elite sport: guidance on return to domestic competition	18/09/2020
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	14/09/2020
R15	Guidance for the safe use of places of worship	17/09/2020
R16	Meeting other people safely: social distancing [England]	14/09/2020
R17	Closing certain businesses and venues in England and easing lockdown,	11/09/2020
R18	Review of two metre social distancing guidance – summary of findings	24/06/2020
R19	Collection of guidance for culture, media and sport sectors	18/09/2020
R20	Pavement licences: guidance	22/07/2020
R21	Guidance for managing playgrounds and outdoor gyms	03/08/2020
R22	Guidance for food businesses	10/09/2020
R23	Safer travel advice for public transport passengers	14/09/2020
R24	Making traffic regulation orders during COVID-19	29/06/2020

HANDS FACE SPACE

R25	Guidance for the safe use of multi-purpose community facilities	14/09/2020
R26	Planning guidance to support the Business and Planning Act 2020	25/08/2020
R27	Temporary VAT changes for hospitality and holiday accommodation	21/07/2020
R28	Working safely: providers of grassroots sports and gym/leisure facilities	18/09/2020
R29	Face coverings to be mandatory in shops and supermarkets from 24th July	14/07/2020
R30	Preventing loss of cultural venues & planning conditions for holiday parks	14/07/2020
R31	Restarting driver and rider training and tests [England, Scotland & Wales]	14/09/2020
R32	Updated <i>Staying COVID-19 Secure in 2020</i> notice	23/07/2020
R33	Government Actuary's Department (GAD) helps UK's film and TV industries	24/08/2020
R34	Bounce-back plans launched for consumer and retail industry	08/09/2020
R35	Kickstart Scheme employer contacts	18/09/2020

Adult social care

R36	Admission and care of residents in care homes [England]	16/09/2020
R37	How to work safely in care homes	28/08/2020
R38	Health and wellbeing of the adult social care workforce	11/05/2020
R39	Care homes support package	09/07/2020
R40	Providing personal home care [Frequently Asked Questions]	02/09/2020
R41	Adult Social Care Infection Control Fund	27/07/2020
R42	Action to take following the death of a person working in adult social care	07/07/2020
R43	Adult social care risk reduction framework [England]	19/06/2020
R44	Visiting care homes during COVID-19: revised guidance	21/09/2020
R45	Supported living services during COVID-19 [England]	06/08/2020
R46	Overview of social care guidance on COVID-19	11/09/2020
R47	COVID-19 infection rises: a letter to care providers on action to be taken	11/09/2020

Business support and employment

R48	Check if your employer can use the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme	07/08/2020
R49	Claiming wages through the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme	16/09/2020
R50	Grant funding schemes: guidance for local authorities – version 6	August 2020
R51	Financial support for businesses: Headline terms for 'Future Fund'	19/04/2020
R52	Find financial support for your business: online support tool	Website
R53	How to apply for a Bounce Back Loan [British Business Bank]	Website

HANDS FACE SPACE

R54	Guidance on Local Authority Discretionary Fund: August 2020 – version 3	August 2020
R55	How employers can use the Coronavirus Statutory Sick Pay Rebate Scheme	16/09/2020
R56	Support if your business is affected by COVID-1 [videos and webinars]	02/09/2020
R57	Applications for the Coronavirus Local Authority Discretionary Grants Fund	08/06/2020
R58	Information for farmers, landowners, and rural businesses	12/09/2020
R59	Changes to the Self-Employment Income Support Scheme	17/08/2020
R60	Updated guidance for employers to check on furloughing arrangements	28/08/2020
R61	Support from Business Representative Organisations and trade bodies	08/06/2020
R62	Guidance for Companies House customers, employees, and suppliers	01/09/2020
R63	Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme: guidance for research organisations	05/06/2020
R64	Coronavirus JRS can be used by direct payment holders who employ carers	10/06/2020
R65	Genuine HMRC contact and recognising phishing emails and texts	18/09/2020
R66	Sending your forms to Companies House: a temporary service	01/09/2020
R67	Steps for employers to take when calculating furlough scheme claims	11/09/2020
R68	Code of practice for the commercial property sector during COVID-19	19/06/2020
R69	Recovery Advice for Business Scheme [Free Advice Scheme]	Website
R70	Access to work: factsheet for those with disabilities or health conditions	17/08/2020
R71	Reporting outbreaks of COVID-19	28/08/2020
R72	Penalties for not telling HMRC about COVID-19 furlough overpayments	28/07/2020
R73	Financial support for zoos and aquariums	03/08/2020
R74	A guide for employers about regulated qualification results in England	07/08/2020
R75	Companies House to resume compulsory strike off of companies	10/08/2020
R76	How HMRC works out trading data for Self-Employment Income Support	17/08/2020
R77	Coronavirus and occupational switching: January to June 2020 [article]	25/08/2020
R78	Contract cancellations and refunds due to COVID-19: updated advice	28/08/2020
R79	Businesses urged to prepare for the rollout of the NHS COVID-19 app	11/09/2020
Business support: Kickstart Scheme		
B80	Employers can apply for a grant through the Kickstart Scheme	18/09/2020
B81	Kickstart Scheme: promotional materials	18/09/2020
B82	Kickstart Scheme: employer resources	02/09/2020

HANDS FACE SPACE

Children and young people

R83	Guidance for parents & carers on looking after mental health of children	14/09/2020
R84	Guidance for children's social care services	28/08/2020
R85	Educational psychologists: support for COVID-19 recovery	14/09/2020

Construction sites

R86	Construction Industry Roadmap to Recovery	01/06/2020
R87	Construction Leadership Council	Website
R88	Construction site operating procedures: version 5	04/07/2020
R89	Charter for Safe Working Practice	13/05/2020
R90	Working safely in construction - video	13/05/2020
R91	The use of face coverings in construction – industry guidance	14/08/2020

Deaths and bereavement

R92	Support for the bereaved [collection of guidance]	15/06/2020
R93	Guidance for care of the deceased with confirmed or suspected COVID-19	31/07/2020
R94	Guidance to local authorities in England on local death management	April 2020
R95	Guidance for managing a funeral during the pandemic	04/09/2020
R96	Collection of guidance for those involved in managing deaths	21/04/2020
R97	Information leaflet for the bereaved	28/05/2020
R98	Chief Coroner's Note 34 – guidance for coroners	26/03/2020
R99	Chief Coroner's Note 35 – hearings during the pandemic	27/03/2020
R100	Chief Coroner's Note 36 – Coronavirus Act: provisions relevant to coroners	30/03/2020
R101	Chief Coroner's Note 37 – possible COVID-19 workplace exposure	28/04/2020
R102	Verification of deaths in England in times of emergency	05/05/2020
R103	Local death management: templates for use by local authorities in England	14/05/2020
R104	Process for informing government of the death of a worker in social care	07/07/2020
R105	New UK-wide methodology agreed to record COVID-19 deaths	12/08/2020
R106	Air pollution and COVID-19 mortality rates	13/08/2020

Education – downloadable resources

R107	BBC Bitesize: support for students in primary and secondary schools	Website
R108	Oak National Academy: an online teaching resource for teachers	Website
R109	Oak National Academy: downloadable Schools Pack for remote teaching	Website

HANDS FACE SPACE

R110	Collection of online resources for home learning	24/06/2020
Education – education settings and vocational training		
R111	Collection of guidance for schools and other educational settings	07/09/2020
R112	Information for parents & carers about schools & other settings	01/09/2020
R113	Actions for schools during the temporary closure of schools in England	17/09/2020
R114	Collection of guidance for early years and childcare	17/09/2020
R115	Guidance for apprentices, employers, training providers and assessors	01/09/2020
R116	Induction for newly qualified teachers	13/08/2020
R117	International travel advice for educational settings [under review]	05/05/2020
R118	Planning guide for primary schools in England	17/09/2020
R119	Financial support for education, early years, and children’s social care	09/07/2020
R120	Tier 4 sponsors, migrants & short-term students on temporary concessions	05/08/2020
R121	Temporary student number controls	August 2020
R122	Actions for early years and childcare providers [England]	17/09/2020
R123	School governance update	18/09/2020
R124	Guidance for prospective students on student finance and other matters	27/08/2020
R125	University research support package	27/06/2020
R126	Higher education restructuring scheme to help universities in England	16/07/2020
R127	10 top tips for parents to support children to read	16/07/2020
R128	Student guide to post-16 qualification results: summer 2020	21/08/2020
R129	Exams and assessments in 2021	03/08/2020
R130	Relief scheme for providers of apprenticeships to public sector employers	07/08/2020
R131	Awarding vocational and technical qualifications 2020 to 2021	11/08/2020
R132	Transport to school and other places of education: autumn term 2020	11/08/2020
R133	Ofsted’s autumn 2020 plans	11/09/2020
R134	Student guide to exam appeals, malpractice and maladministration	21/08/2020
R135	Vocational and technical qualifications 2020: collection of guidance	28/08/2020
R136	Protective measures for after-school clubs and other out-of-school settings	20/08/2020
R137	Information about going back to school, nurseries, and colleges	01/09/2020
R138	Contingency planning for closure of schools and colleges in local lockdowns	28/08/2020
R139	Written statement from Chair of Ofqual to the Education Select Committee	02/09/2020

HANDS FACE SPACE

R140	Guidance for boarding schools with international students	02/09/2020
R141	Package of support for students who have to defer their studies	11/09/2020
Face coverings		
R142	Face coverings: when to wear one and how to make your own	27/08/2020
R143	Face coverings in education [England]	26/08/2020
Food hygiene		
R144	Guidance for consumers on how to maintain food hygiene	25/04/2020
Glossary of terms used in UK government guidance		
R145	Glossary	16/09/2020
Government planning and coordination of UK response to COVID-19		
R146	Government planning & response coordination: exchange of letters	23/05/2020
R147	Parliamentary scrutiny of the government's handling of COVID-19	10/09/2020
R148	Public Inquiry into government's handling of COVID-19 response	10/09/2020
Healthcare professionals and hospital settings		
R149	Background information (epidemiology, virology, and clinical features)	18/09/2020
R150	Collection of guidance for healthcare professionals and others	18/09/2020
R151	Management of exposed healthcare workers, patients, and care residents	18/08/2020
R152	Guidance for ambulance trusts	18/05/2020
R153	Guidance for first responders	30/07/2020
R154	Guidance for taking swab samples	02/07/2020
R155	Infection prevention and control	16/09/2020
R156	Infection control precautions when discharging from hospital to home	30/07/2020
R157	Health and care settings: infection prevention and control version 1.0	20/08/2020
R158	Flu immunisation training recommendations	05/08/2020
R159	Hospital discharge arrangements: collection of guidance	16/09/2020
R160	Hospital discharge service: policy and operating model	16/09/2020
Homecare (domiciliary care)		
R161	PPE for care workers delivering home care in England	20/07/2020
R162	Putting on PPE for home carers	30/04/2020
R163	Taking off PPE for home carers	30/04/2020
R164	Using direct payments for health budgets and social care	11/09/2020

HANDS FACE SPACE

Immigration and borders		
R165	Guidance for those affected by changes to UK immigration & borders	16/09/2020
International		
R166	Guidance for UK businesses trading internationally	26/06/2020
R167	Essential international travel advice	18/09/2020
R168	Advice for UK visa applicants and temporary UK residents	16/09/2020
R169	How to self-isolate if you are coming to the UK from abroad	15/09/2020
Investigations into the handling of the pandemic preparation and response		
R170	Readying the NHS and adult social care in England for COVID-19 [NAO]	12/06/2020
Laboratories		
R171	Guidance for sampling and for diagnostic laboratories	16/07/2020
Laws, legal and regulations		
R172	Coronavirus Act 2020	25/03/2020
R173	Coronavirus Act 2020: table setting out the status of each measure	07/05/2020
R174	Coronavirus Act 2020: first two-monthly report on active powers	29/05/2020
R175	Coronavirus Act 2020: second two-monthly report on active powers	31/07/2020
R176	Health Protection (Coronavirus) Regulations 2020	10/02/2020
R177	Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (England) Regulations 2020	26/03/2020
R178	The Adoption and Children (Coronavirus)(Amendment) Regulations 2020	24/04/2020
R179	HSE guidance on RIDDOR reporting of COVID-19	Website
R180	Health Protection (Coronavirus, Public Health Info for Passengers) Regs	08/06/2020
R181	Businesses to give access to toilet and washing facilities for delivery drivers	14/06/2020
R182	Temporary traffic orders procedure for England during COVID-19	29/06/2020
R183	Health & Social Care Workers (Scrutiny of Coronavirus Deaths) Directions	03/07/2020
R184	How to join telephone and video court and tribunal hearings	10/07/2020
R185	Draft legislative options for regional or local COVID-19 interventions	24/07/2020
Life assurance scheme for NHS and social care workers [England]		
R186	NHS & Social Care Coronavirus Life Assurance Scheme	Website
Local authorities		
R187	Guidance to local authorities for controlling fraud	March 2020
R188	Council tax: guidance for local authorities on the hardship fund	March 2020

HANDS FACE SPACE

R189	Business rates discount 2020-2021: guidance for local authorities	02/04/2020
R190	Guidance to local authorities in England on prioritising waste collections	09/07/2020
R191	Collection of guidance for local authorities' children's services	17/09/2020
R192	Mitigating impacts on Gypsy and traveller Communities	01/05/2020
R193	Guidance for local government	24/08/2020
R194	Community Infrastructure Levy guidance	10/08/2020
R195	Guidance for public health officers: potentially infectious persons	July 2020
R196	New funding for local authorities for school transport in September 2020	08/08/2020
R197	Local government income compensation scheme for lost sales, fees, etc.	24/08/2020
Local lockdowns		
R198	Government's approach to managing local COVID-19 outbreaks in England	27/07/2020
R199	Local lockdowns: guidance for education and childcare settings	20/09/2020
R200	Local restrictions: areas in England with an outbreak of COVID-19	20/09/2020
R201	Guidance on holidays in areas with local COVID-19 restrictions	07/08/2020
Medicines and healthcare products		
R202	Medicines & Healthcare Products Regulatory Agency (MHRA): collection	15/09/2020
R203	Medical devices given exceptional use authorisations during COVID-19	15/09/2020
Mental health and related support		
R204	Mental health helplines	Website
R205	Support and guidance for those suffering with mental health issues	14/09/2020
R206	Easy-read guide: looking after your feelings and body	March 2020
R207	Health and social care staff who care for people lacking mental capacity	07/09/2020
R208	Samaritans	Website
R209	Young Minds	Website
R210	Mental Health UK	Website
R211	Every Mind Matters	Website
R212	FRONTLINE: support for health, care, emergency and key workers	Website
R213	Teaching mental wellbeing: practical materials for training staff in schools	08/06/2020
R214	Mental health and wellbeing if you are abroad during the pandemic	18/06/2020
R215	COVID-19: mental health and wellbeing surveillance report	08/09/2020

HANDS FACE SPACE

Military Aid to the Civilian Authorities (MACA)		
R216	COVID Support Force: The MOD's contribution to the COVID-19 response	12/06/2020
Office for Budget Responsibility (OBR)		
R217	Coronavirus analysis and implications for the UK economy [OBR]	Website
Personal protective equipment (PPE)		
R218	Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Plan	10/04/2020
R219	PPE use for aerosol generating procedures	21/08/2020
R220	PPE use for non-aerosol generating procedures	21/08/2020
R221	Management of exposed healthcare workers and patients in hospitals	18/08/2020
R222	Coronavirus Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Hub	16/09/2020
R223	Cleansing and PPE waste at a healthcare management facility: RPS 01	27/05/2020
R224	Personal Protective Equipment Portal – how to order emergency supplies	17/09/2020
R225	PPE guide for community and social care settings	31/07/2020
R226	#WearAMaskChallenge [World Health Organisation]	06/08/2020
R227	Government creates a new National Institute for Health Protection (NHIP)	18/08/2020
Procurement policy guidance to public bodies		
R228	Payment to suppliers of public bodies	25/06/2020
Public information		
R229	Coronavirus: action plan – A guide to what you can expect across the UK	03/03/2020
R230	Guidance for everyone	20/09/2020
R231	Easy read guidance for households with possible coronavirus infection	16/06/2020
R232	Frequently asked questions: what you can and cannot do	14/09/2020
R233	Video explanation about the rate of infection value known as 'R'	30/04/2020
R234	British Sign Language COVID-19 information accessible via SIGNHEALTH	Website
R235	How to make and wear a cloth face covering	15/07/2020
R236	'Pick for Britain' website for UK harvesting jobs	Website
R237	Searching for archaeological finds in England during COVID-19	16/09/2020
R238	Keeping court and tribunal buildings safe, secure, and clean	15/09/2020
R239	Advice for smokers and vapers	29/05/2020
R240	Review of disparities in risks and outcomes of COVID-19 [PHE Review]	August
R241	Understanding the impact of COVID-19 on BAME groups: recommendations	16/06/2020

HANDS FACE SPACE

R242	UK Covid-19 Alert level lowered from 4 to 3	19/06/2020
R243	COVID-19 and prisons	07/08/2020
R244	Diabetic eye screening: letter and templates to be used during COVID-19	06/07/2020
R245	Disposing of your personal or business waste in England	13/07/2020
R246	Video-witnessing of wills to be made legal during COVID-19	20/08/2020
R247	Disabled people exempt from face coverings: updated guidance issued	24/07/2020
R248	Excess weight and COVID-19: insights from new evidence	24/07/2020
R249	Making sense of COVID-19: mortality impact on pension schemes	07/08/2020
R250	Reducing transmission of COVID-19: what you can do to help	14/09/2020
R251	New payment for people self-isolating in highest risk area	27/08/2020
R252	How HMRC will continue to support customers and the UK economy	27/08/2020
R253	Wedding services: cancellations and refunds due to COVID-19	07/09/2020
R254	COVID-19: long-term health effects	07/08/2020
R255	The impact of COVID-19 on people living with obesity	07/09/2020
R256	COVID-19: what has changed	09/09/2020
R257	Prime Minister's press conference statement on COVID-19	09/09/2020
R258	'Hands-Face-Space' campaign launched	09/09/2020

Renting and landlords

R259	Guidance for landlords and tenants [England]	August 2020
R260	Guidance for local authorities for enforcing property standards [England]	August 2020
R261	Technical guidance for landlords on eviction notices [England]	August 2020
R262	Extension of measures requiring landlords to provide extended notice	07/09/2020
R263	Government sets out comprehensive support for renters this winter	10/09/2020

Rough sleepers

R264	Next Steps Accommodation Programme for vulnerable people launched	18/07/2020
------	---	------------

Scientific advice

R265	Scientific Advisory Group for Emergencies (SAGE) membership	17/07/2020
R266	Collection of scientific evidence supporting the UK government response	18/09/2020
R267	Overview of scientific advice published by Department for Education	15/05/2020

Security

R268	Guidance on cyber security and home working	Website
------	---	---------

HANDS FACE SPACE

R269	‘Silent Solution’ – how to call the police by mobile if you cannot speak	07/04/2019
R270	Thinkuknow programme to protect children when using devices online	Website
R271	Guidance for keeping children safe online	25/06/2020
R272	Voluntary Principles to counter online child sexual exploitation and abuse	08/05/2020
R273	Security considerations in an economically challenging time [CPNI]	10/06/2020
R274	Domestic abuse: how to get help during COVID-19	13/08/2020
R275	Support for victims of abuse and domestic violence: funding allocations	22/07/2020
Shielding		
R276	Shielding and protecting people defined as medically extremely vulnerable	04/09/2020
R277	How to help safely	10/09/2020
Social distancing – staying away from others		
R278	Making a support bubble with another household	14/09/2020
R279	Health Secretary’s statement to Parliament on new social distancing rules	10/09/2020
R280	The Distance Aware Initiative: ‘Please give me space’	07/08/2020
Test and Trace Service		
R281	Developing NHS Test and Trace: business plan [policy paper]	30/07/2020
R282	NHS Test and Trace: workplace guidance	18/09/2020
R283	NHS Test and Trace: how it works	27/08/2020
R284	Testing data: letter from Health Secretary to Office for Statistics Regulation	27/05/2020
R285	Contacts of people with COVID-19 who do not live with the person	20/09/2020
R286	NHS Test and Trace Service in England: video explaining how it works	28/05/2020
R287	Local authority Test and Trace service support grant allocations	11/06/2020
R288	NHS test and trace: compliance with Code of Practice for Statistics	24/06/2020
R289	NHS test and trace (England): methodology for putting the data together	17/09/2020
R290	Next stages in the NHS Test and Trace plan – statement to Parliament	20/07/2020
R291	NHS Test and Trace campaign to test everyone with symptoms	30/07/2020
R292	NHS Test and Trace to strengthen regional contact tracing	10/08/2020
R293	NHS Test and Trace reaches over 80% of close contacts since launch	21/08/2020
R294	Venues required by law to record contact details	10/09/2020
R295	Testing: guidance for employers and third-party healthcare providers	10/09/2020

HANDS FACE SPACE

Testing and vaccines

R296	Status Tracker: tell the NHS about your experience of coronavirus	Website
R297	UK Government Testing Strategy: Scaling up our testing programmes	04/04/2020
R298	Getting tested: guidance for who can be tested and how to get tested	17/09/2020
R299	Booking tests: self-referral portal	30/04/2020
R300	Online portal for care homes to arrange testing for staff and residents	Website
R301	How tests and testing kits for COVID-19 work	10/07/2020
R302	Testing data methodology	21/08/2020
R303	UK procurement overview of COVID-19 viral detection testing	11/08/2020
R304	Priority groups for COVID-19 vaccination: independent advisory report	18/06/2020
R305	Comprehensive flu vaccination programme in UK history to be rolled out	24/07/2020
R306	Largest home COVID-19 antibody testing programme publishes findings	13/08/2020
R307	New measures to support development of safe UK COVID-19 vaccines	28/08/2020

Transport, travel, and UK border controls

R308	Safety guidance for towpaths and waterways	Website
R309	Statutory guidance for local authorities on managing their road networks	23/05/2020
R310	Transport and travel advice for passengers and those working in transport	19/09/2020
R311	Safer transport guidance for operators	28/08/2020
R312	Environment Agency waterways: guidance for all users	02/08/2020
R313	Statutory guidance for local authorities to speed up reallocating road space	23/05/2020
R314	MOT centre and tester guidance	27/05/2020
R315	MOTs due from 30th March 2020 extended by six months	01/08/2020
R316	Transport operators must give public health information to passengers	05/06/2020
R317	Travellers exempt from UK border rules in England, Scotland & N. Ireland	03/09/2020
R318	Driving tests: update – key workers can apply for emergency tests	14/09/2020
R319	Safer aviation guidance for operators	14/09/2020
R320	Competition and Markets Authority letter to package holiday businesses	10/07/2020
R321	COVID-19 travel behaviour during lockdown	23/07/2020
R322	Government global advisory against ‘all but essential travel’: updated list	17/09/2020
R323	Travel corridors: updated county list	19/09/2020
R324	Transport management toolkit for local authorities outside London	14/08/2020

HANDS FACE SPACE

R325 [Self-isolating after returning to the UK: your employment rights](#) 14/08/2020

R326 [Parliamentary statement on international travel corridors](#) 07/09/2020

Trials and volunteers

R327 [Volunteering for the National Health Service: Good Samaritan app](#) Website

Voluntary, community and social enterprise organisations

R328 [Reporting serious incidents to the Charity Commission](#) 03/06/2020

World Health Organisation

R329 [World Health Organisation: COVID-19 information and global statistics](#) Website

R330 [Independent evaluation of global COVID-19 response announced by WHO](#) 09/07/2020