

Coronavirus – Tuesday's figures

The number of cases of Covid-19 in Scotland were announced by Public Health Scotland today and are reported below.

The First Minister, Nicola Sturgeon, explained in an address to parliament on Tuesday afternoon that there will be no immediate changes to the Covid levels of protection which currently apply to different parts of Scotland. Ms Sturgeon said: "It is exactly six months since the first Covid vaccine was administered in Scotland and progress since then has been remarkable.

"As of 7.30 this morning, 3,403,866 people in Scotland have received their first dose of the vaccine.

"That is an increase of 17,545 since yesterday, and means that almost exactly three quarters of the adult population in Scotland has now received a first dose of vaccine.

"In addition, 30,944 people received their second dose yesterday, which brings the total number of second doses to 2,282,203 – that means more than half of the adult population is now fully vaccinated with two doses.

"These are significant and really heartening milestones, and as ever, I want to thank everyone involved in delivering the programme.

"Last week, the Medicines and Healthcare Products Regulatory Agency approved the Pfizer-BioNTech vaccine for use among 12

to 15 year olds.

“That is also really good news, as it indicates that the vaccine is safe for use in children of that age.

The Scottish Government is now awaiting advice from the Joint Committee on Vaccination and Immunisation on the vaccination of children in those age groups.”

The First Minister concluded by saying that the country is in a fragile position with case numbers higher than the experts and the government would like. She confirmed that it will be the data which is assessed very carefully as the government makes decisions about easing restrictions.”

Today’s announcement means that Edinburgh remains in Level 2 for now in view of rising case numbers over recent weeks.

On Wednesday the National Records of Scotland announced that the number of people who have died where Covid-19 was mentioned on the death certificate has risen to 10,122. During last week 24-30 May eight deaths were recorded where Covid-19 was mentioned and in total the number of deaths from all causes was 1,084.

Pete Whitehouse, Director of Statistical Services, said: “The latest figures show a slight increase in deaths where COVID-19 was mentioned on the death certificate, although numbers remain at very low levels.

“There were six COVID-19 related deaths in hospitals, none in care homes and two elsewhere.”

Date	Newly reported cases of Covid-19	Cases in Lothian	New tests	Test positivity rate (bold denotes days under 3.0% and the highest in recent weeks)	Newly reported deaths	Number of deaths according to daily measurement	Patients in ICU with confirmed Covid-195	Patients in hospital with confirmed Covid-19 (under 500 is in bold)	Total number of positive cases since beginning of pandemic	Number of first dose vaccinations administered	Number of daily vaccinations recorded for previous day with highest daily figure in bold (includes 1st and 2nd doses) Above 30,000 in bold	Number of people who have received their second dose of vaccine
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8 June 2021	695	157	14,873	5.0%	0	7,677	12	121	241,864	3,403,866	48,489	2,282,203
7 June 2021	641		16,192	4.2%	0		12	122		3,386,321		2,251,259
6 June 2021	775	215	20,675	4.0%	0	7,677			240,528	3,365,779	44,883	2,227,493
5 June 2021	860	201	27,436	3.4%	1	7,677			239,753	3,345,842	51,814	2,202,547
4 June 2021	992	213	26,962	3.9%	2	7,676	8	116	238,893	3,326,005	53,145	2,170,570
3 June 2021	835	227	31,841	2.8%	4	7,674	8	110	237,901	3,305,812	50,992	2,137,618
2 June 2021	677	160	26,258	2.8%	1	7,670	10	114	237,066	3,286,261	49,917	2,106,177
1 June 2021	478	107	16,489	3.1%	0	7,669	10	106	236,389	3,267,290	47,130	2,075,231
28 May 2021	641	132	25,939	2.6%	2	7,668	6	90	234,312	3,196,051	49,965	1,971,006
3 May 2021	132		10,195	1.5%	0					2,824,955		1,326,599
1 April 2021	400	73	25,956	1.8%	8	7,610	21	215	218,432	2,493,327	42,984	399,062
27 March 2021	563	119	25,519	2.4%	6	7,584	26	283	216,705	2,358,807	50,875	294,714
25 March 2021	701	157	31,946	2.4%	10	7,572	32	310	215,599	2,285,711	50,083	263,236
27 February 2021	525	106	19,615	3.1%	18	7,129	74	898	201,512	1,570,153	27,224	72,178
4 February 2021	1,149	159	27,668	4.9%	53	6,322	127	1,812	183,418	694,347	45,085	9,031
7 January 2021	2,649	357		11.3%	78		100	1,467	143,715			
31 December 2021	2,622		28,295	10.1%	68		70	1,174				
16 December 2020	689			5.9%	38		49	1,031		18,644		