

# **Coronavirus – Tuesday's figures**

**The number of cases of Covid-19 in Scotland were announced by Public Health Scotland today.**

**The First Minister addressed parliament on Tuesday afternoon setting out details of the next phase of any relaxation of restrictions. Today the highest number of cases is announced in NHS Lothian.**

Ms Sturgeon said: I will emphasise that this is a time for continued caution – for government to take the tough decisions necessary to help safeguard the health and wellbeing of the country. So while Scotland will move to level 0 from next Monday, we will do so with certain modifications to our indicative plans. This is intended to ensure that our pace of easing restrictions is sensible in light of the challenge we continue to face from the Delta variant. And I will confirm that certain mitigations – such as the mandatory wearing of face coverings – will remain in place not just now but, in all likelihood, for some time to come.

Measures like the continued wearing of face coverings are important, not just to give added protection to the population

as a whole, but also to give protection and assurance to those amongst us who are particularly vulnerable and previously had to shield.

Lifting all restrictions and mitigations right now would put all of us at greater risk – but in particular it would make it much more difficult for the most clinically vulnerable to go about their normal lives. It would risk the imposition of shielding by default and that is not something we should do.

“As I said earlier, in coming to today’s decisions, the government has had to weigh up both positive and more challenging developments. The continued progress of the vaccination programme is obviously positive.

“Also encouraging is that case numbers – which were rising sharply two weeks ago – now appear to have levelled off. In fact, they have fallen in recent days. In the week to 4th July, an average of 3,300 positive cases per day were recorded.

“The Scottish Government understands the temptation to lift more restrictions more quickly – of course we do. “But in our view, and in line with clinical advice and modelling, a gradual approach stands the best chance of minimising further health harm and loss of life. And also because a gradual approach stands the best chance of being a sustainable approach, it will be better in the long term for the economy as well. So we will continue to ease restrictions – we are not slamming on the brakes – but we will do so carefully. Let me turn then to the detail of our decisions.

“From Monday 19 July, all parts of Scotland not currently there will move to level 0. However, this move will be made with certain modifications – applied consistently across the country – to ensure that we are not easing up faster than is sensible.”

All the details are on The Scottish Government website and are

summarised as:

At Level 0:

- you can meet socially in groups:
  - of up to 8 people from 4 households in your home or theirs – and can stay overnight
  - of up to 10 people from 4 households in an indoor public place like a café, pub or restaurant
  - of up to 15 people from 15 households outdoors
- under 12s do not count towards the total number of people or households meeting outside but count towards the household numbers indoors
- you do not need to physically distance from family and friends in a private home
- you can travel anywhere in Scotland in Levels 0, 1 or 2 but must not enter a Level 3 or 4 area unless for a permitted reason
- you can travel anywhere in England, Wales, Northern Ireland, the Isle of Man or the Channel Islands – before you travel you must check the travel rules in those countries
- you can provide informal childcare, for example to look after a grandchild
- up to 200 people can attend weddings and funerals
- tradespeople can carry out any work in your home such as painting, decorating or repairing
- you should work from home where possible

**On Monday the Prime Minister confirmed the relaxation of Covid-19 restrictions in England, saying at a press conference:**

**“We’ve come to a stage in the pandemic when there is no easy answer or obvious date for unlocking. We have cases rising significantly – with more than 30,000 per day. And we can see what is happening across Europe as the Delta variant takes hold among our friends.**

“We know we’re going to see more hospitalisations and more deaths from Covid. But we also know that this wave was clearly foreseen by our scientists when we first set out that roadmap in February.

“And if anything, so far, we are in the middle range of their projections for infections and at the lower end of their projections for mortality.

“And we also know that if we were now to delay this fourth step – for instance to September or later – then we would be re-opening as the weather gets colder and as the virus acquires a greater natural advantage and when schools are back.”

According to [Travelling Tabby](#) who keeps the daily records here only 50.7% of people in Edinburgh have been vaccinated which is the lowest in Scotland.

On most days in the past week or so the number of those who have received a vaccination has been less than 30,000.

The revised strategic framework in Scotland sets out the next review point which is 19 July, and that is when any new rules

come into place.

After that the next significant date is 9 August when the vast majority of over 40s will have a significant level of protection. At that time it might be possible to move beyond Level 0, but it will depend on the data at the time. But in any case the government will not advise an immediate return to full offices working from 9 August. All of these measures will take time to put back in place.

## Statistics

As at 27 June, 10,168 deaths have been registered in Scotland where Covid-19 was mentioned on the death certificate, according to statistics published by National Records of Scotland (NRS) on Wednesday.

In the week 21 – 27 June, 17 deaths were registered that mentioned Covid-19 on the death certificate, an increase of four deaths from the previous week.

There were two deaths in each of Aberdeen City, Aberdeenshire, City of Edinburgh, Clackmannanshire, East Ayrshire and Midlothian.

Dundee City, East Renfrewshire, Glasgow City, Renfrewshire and South Lanarkshire all recorded one death each.

The number of deaths from all causes registered in Scotland in this week was 1,043, 24, or 2%, more than the five year average.

Pete Whitehouse, Director of Statistical Services, said: “The latest figures show that last week there were 17 deaths where Covid-19 was mentioned on the death certificate.

“The number of deaths has risen slightly in recent weeks but is still very low relative to the number of Covid-19 cases.

“Two deaths were aged under 65, five were aged 65-74 and there were ten deaths in people aged 75 or over. Four were female and thirteen were male.

“Fourteen deaths were in hospitals, three deaths were at home or in a non-institutional setting. No care home deaths were registered in week 25.”

The publication [Deaths involving coronavirus \(COVID-19\) in Scotland](#) is available on the NRS website.

Figures below with an asterisk are provisional and reflect some difficulty in establishing the correct figure.

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-19	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
<b>13 July 2021</b>	<b>2,529</b>	<b>594</b>	<b>23,804</b>	<b>11.5%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>7,761</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>506</b>	<b>318,566</b>	<b>3,941,571</b>		<b>2,903,557</b>
12 July 2021	2,134*	482	21,326*	11.1%	0	7,757	40	<b>469</b>	316,037	3,934,408	21,944	2,893,271
11 July 2021	2,048	438	20,242	11.2%	0	7,757	40	<b>444</b>	313,903	3,928,409	24,480	2,877,326
10 July 2021	2,190		27,162		7	7,757	42	<b>435</b>			26,128	
9 July 2021	3,216	775	35,331	9.9%	6	7,750	39	<b>427</b>	309,665	3,911,189	28,377	2,843,938
8 July 2021	2,802	591	38,333	8%	4	7,744	38	<b>401</b>	306,449	3,900,864	27,672	2,825,886
7 July 2021	3,799	866	40,842	10.0%	5	7,740	34	<b>387</b>	303,647	3,890,176	28,549	2,808,902
6 July 2021	2,363	502	25,123	10.2%	6	7,735	32	<b>346</b>	299,848	3,879,458	27,170	2,791,071
5 July 2021	2,372	561	20,222	12.6%	0	7,729	30	<b>338</b>	297,485	3,869,223	23,619	2,774,136
4 July 2021	2,726	641	25,648	11.4%	0	7,729	25	<b>316</b>	295,113	3,857,584	25,996	2,762,156
3 July 2021	3,108	683	34,567	9.6%	3	7,729	25	<b>305</b>	292,387	3,844,371	24,627	2,749,373
2 July 2021	3,823			10.8%	4	7,726	19	<b>285</b>	289,279	3,831,770	<b>30,141</b>	2,737,347
1 July 2021	<b>4,234</b>	<b>999</b>	<b>42,843</b>	<b>10.5%</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7,722</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>275</b>	<b>285,456</b>	<b>3,816,251</b>	27,272	2,722,725
30 June 2021	3,887	843	41,710	9.8%	3	7,716	19	<b>235</b>	281,222	3,799,467	28,622	2,712,237
29 June 2021	3,118	777	27,875	11.6%	1	7,713	20	<b>215</b>	277,335	3,781,887	25,928	2,701,195
28 June 2021	3,285	795	27,226	12.6%	0	7,712	20	<b>202</b>	274,217	3,765,379	<b>30,287</b>	<b>2,691,775</b>

27 June 2021	2,639	657	31,695	8.9%	1	7,712	17	<b>196</b>		3,747,510	29,939	2,679,357
26 June 2021	2,836	849	33,569	8.9%	3	7,711	18	<b>197</b>	268,293	3,730,101	<b>39,730</b>	2,666,827
25 June 2021	1,747	284	26,794	6.9%	2	7,708	16	<b>188</b>	265,457	3,709,801		2,647,397
24 June 2021	2,999			7.7%	5		17	<b>177</b>				
23 June 2021	2,969	830	42,310	7.3%	5	7,701	18	<b>170</b>	260,711	3,682,620	<b>31,746</b>	2,617,450
22 June 2021	2,167	581	25,038	9.1%	4	7,696	18	<b>171</b>	257,742	3,664,571	<b>32,917</b>	2,602,753
21 June 2021	1,250			7.2%	0	7,692	14	<b>158</b>				
20 June 2021	1,205	321	22,098	5.8%	0	7,692			254,325	3,630,589	<b>35,652</b>	2,571,637
19 June 2021	1,209	331		4.5%	2	7,692			253,120			
18 June 2021	950	212	29,254	3.5%	2	7,690	12	<b>128</b>	251,911	3,591,638	<b>39,649</b>	2,535,803
17 June 2021	1,317	262	30,990	4.6%	4	7,688	12	<b>140</b>	250,961	3,571,726	<b>42,695</b>	2,516,066
16 June 2021	1,129		35,638	3.4%	1	7,684	15	<b>133</b>	248,515	3,551,739*		2,493,358
15 June 2021	974		20,761	5.0%	2	7,683	17	<b>137</b>	248,515	3,531,461	<b>37,140</b>	2,470,181
14 June 2021	761	210	15,781	5.2%	0	7,681	17	<b>128</b>	247,541	3,517,668	<b>41,390</b>	2,446,834
13 June 2021	1036*	230	22,856	5.0%	0	7,681			246,780	3,497,287	<b>43,034</b>	2,425,825
12 June 2021	1030*	297	26,650	4.1%	2	7,681			245,744	3,477,378	<b>45,769</b>	2,402,700
11 June 2021	1,104*	241	28,563	4.1%	0	7,679	13	<b>132</b>	244,714	3,459,063	<b>47,911</b>	2,375,246
10 June 2021	735	217	28,379	<b>2.8%</b>	1	7,679	14	<b>124</b>	243,610	3,441,217	<b>50,272</b>	2,345,181
9 June 2021	1,011	241	36,227	<b>3.0%</b>	1	7,678	14	<b>121</b>	242,875	3,422,431	<b>50,057</b>	2,313,695
8 June 2021	695	157	14,873	5.0%	0	7,677	12	<b>121</b>	241,864	3,403,866	<b>48,489</b>	2,282,203
7 June 2021	641		16,192	4.2%	0		12	<b>122</b>		3,386,321		2,251,259
6 June 2021	775	215	20,675	4.0%	0	7,677			240,528	3,365,779	<b>44,883</b>	2,227,493
5 June 2021	860	201	27,436	3.4%	1	7,677			239,753	3,345,842	<b>51,814</b>	2,202,547
4 June 2021	992	213	26,962	3.9%	2	7,676	8	<b>116</b>	238,893	3,326,005	<b>53,145</b>	2,170,570
3 June 2021	835	227	31,841	<b>2.8%</b>	4	7,674	8	<b>110</b>	237,901	3,305,812	<b>50,992</b>	2,137,618
2 June 2021	677	160	26,258	<b>2.8%</b>	1	7,670	10	<b>114</b>	237,066	3,286,261	<b>49,917</b>	2,106,177
1 June 2021	478	107	16,489	3.1%	0	7,669	10	<b>106</b>	236,389	3,267,290	<b>47,130</b>	2,075,231
28 May 2021	641	132	25,939	<b>2.6%</b>	2	7,668	6	<b>90</b>	234,312	3,196,051	<b>49,965</b>	1,971,006
3 May 2021	<b>132</b>		10,195	<b>1.5%</b>	0					2,824,955		1,326,599
1 April 2021	400	<b>73</b>	25,956	<b>1.8%</b>	8	7,610	21	<b>215</b>	218,432	2,493,327	<b>42,984</b>	399,062
27 March 2021	563	119	25,519	<b>2.4%</b>	6	7,584	26	<b>283</b>	216,705	2,358,807	<b>50,875</b>	294,714
25 March 2021	701	157	31,946	<b>2.4%</b>	10	7,572	32	<b>310</b>	215,599	2,285,711	<b>50,083</b>	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	<b>45,085</b>	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		



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