

## 1. ACTIVITY OVERVIEW

Activity	England	Scotland	Wales	Reference links
Update	<p>On Monday 22 February the Prime Minister set out the Government’s four-step plan for reopening, which begins on <b>8 March</b>.</p> <p>There will be a minimum of five weeks between each stage – four weeks to collect and assess data, and then a week for people and businesses to prepare for the next step.</p> <p>Step system will replace tier system (see addendum 1)</p> <p>STEP 1 - 8 March &amp; 29 March            STEP 2 - 12 April earliest            STEP 3 - 17 May earliest            STEP 4 - 21 June earliest</p> <p>Ahead of Step 4, the Government will complete a review of social distancing measures and other long-term measures that have been put in place to limit transmission. The results of the review will help inform decisions on the timing and</p>	<p>Scotland’s re-opening plan - Scotland has set out an indicative timetable for when restrictions will be eased over the next two months, with hospitality businesses starting to reopen from 26 April. The First Minister confirmed the aim will be for the whole of Scotland to move to Level 0 restrictions by the end of June.</p> <p>At present, and subject to review, the Scottish Government plans to move the country to Level 3 status on 26 April, which will allow hospitality businesses to open with severe restrictions.</p> <p>The provisional next steps dates are:</p> <p><b>2 April</b> - The ‘Stay at Home’ requirement is lifted and replacing it with a ‘Stay Local’ message  <b>5 April</b> – re-opening of non-essential ‘click and collect’ retail &amp;</p>	<p><b>The review on 1 April</b> will consider whether all remaining shops and close contact services can reopen on 12 March, in line with planned reopening in England but there is no indication of reopening of outdoor and indoor leisure and hospitality, although this is expected to be sequential during April and May</p> <p>Wales is yet to release a road map for reopening, however there is increasing pressure from UK Government to produce one. Limited information was released by the First Minister on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> February.</p>	<p><b>England</b>  <a href="#">Click for further information</a>  <a href="#">Click for further information</a>  <a href="#">Click for further information</a></p> <p><b>Scotland</b>  <a href="#">Click for further information</a>  <a href="#">Click for further information</a></p> <p><b>Wales</b>  <a href="#">Click for further information</a>  <a href="#">Click for further information</a>  <a href="#">Click for further information</a>  <a href="#">Click for further information</a></p>





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	circumstances under which rules on 1m+, face masks and other measures may be lifted.	<p>extending the list of retail permitted.</p> <p><b>12-19 April</b> - Island communities in Level 3 can move to Level 2</p> <p><b>26 April</b> - All restrictions on journeys within mainland Scotland to be lifted</p> <p><b>17 May</b> - All Level 3 areas to move to Level 2</p> <p><b>June</b> - Early June – all of Scotland will move to Level 1 restrictions. End of June – all of Scotland will move to Level 0 restrictions.</p>		
Meeting rooms	<p><b>Hotels and Guest Accommodation:</b> can continue to provide accommodation to essential workers and may hire out function and event spaces for essential work, education and training purposes and may provide food ancillary to such meetings. You can find more information in the section on business meetings and events.</p>	Currently not permitted	Currently not permitted	<p><b>England</b>  <a href="#">Further information</a></p>
Hospitality / Retail / Attractions and other Restrictions	<p><b>No earlier than 12 April.</b>                      All retail can reopen.</p> <p>Hospitality venues will be able to open for outdoor service, with no requirement for a substantial meal</p>	<p><b>From 5 April</b>, retail will begin to reopen with an extension of the definition of essential retail and the removal of restrictions on click-and collect.</p>	<p><b>From Monday 22 March:</b>                      Restrictions on the sale of non-essential items will be lifted for those shops which are currently open. Garden centres will also reopen.</p>	





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	<p>to be served alongside alcoholic drinks, and no curfew. The requirement to order, eat and drink while seated ('table service') will remain.</p> <p>The majority of outdoor settings and attractions can also reopen, including outdoor hospitality, zoos, theme parks, drive-in cinemas and drive-in performances events. The rules on social contact outdoors will apply in these settings.</p> <p>Overnight stays away from home in this country will be permitted and self-contained accommodation - those that do not require shared use of bathing, entry/exit, catering or sleeping facilities - can also reopen, though must only be used by members of the same household.</p> <p>All children will be able to attend any indoor children's activity, including sport, regardless of circumstance. Parent and child groups of up to 15 people (not</p>	<p><b>From 26 April</b>, Hospitality to re-open outdoors for the service of alcohol in groups of 6 from 2 households until 10pm, and open indoors for meals and non-alcoholic drinks until 8pm to no more than four people from two households.</p> <p>All retail, tourist accommodation (including hotels) to reopen (self-catering accommodation to be restricted in line with rules on indoor gathering)</p> <p>Libraries, museums, galleries re-open</p> <p><b>From 17 May</b>, further re-opening of hospitality: bars, pubs, restaurants and cafes can stay open until 10.30pm indoors with alcohol permitted and 2 hour time-limited slots and until 10pm outdoors with alcohol permitted.</p>	<p><b>From 27 March:</b> stay local restrictions will be lifted to allow people to travel within Wales and self-contained holiday accommodation will reopen to one household; organised children's activities will restart. Self-contained accommodation includes hotels and serviced accommodation with no shared services and room service only; self-catering cottages and apartments, holiday caravans with on board shower, wc and kitchen facilities. Holiday park restaurants and bars can provide takeaway services.</p>	





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	<p>counting children aged under five years old) can restart indoors.</p> <p><b>No earlier than 17 May</b> Indoor hospitality, with table service.</p> <p>Remaining accommodation, such as hotels, hostels and B&amp;Bs can reopen</p> <p>Indoor entertainment and attractions can reopen</p>			
Meeting people indoors	<p><b>No earlier than 17 May</b> People will be able to meet socially in a group of 6, or with 1 other household</p> <p><b>No earlier than 21 June</b> No legal limits on social contact</p>	<p><b>From 26 April</b> Social mixing in indoor public places will be subject to current maximum of 4 people from up to 2 households. The prohibition of in-home socialising will continue to be kept under review at this date</p> <p><b>On 17 May</b>, it is hoped that groups of four people from two households would be able to socialise indoors in a private home</p>		
Meeting people outdoors	<p><b>From 8 March</b> people can leave home for recreation or exercise outdoors with household or one other person. No household mixing indoors</p>	<p>The Scottish Government has updated its 'Stay at Home' guidance to allow up to 4 adults from up to 2 households to meet outdoors; for groups of up to 15 to</p>	<p><b>From Saturday 13 March:</b> 4 people from 2 households (excl children under 11) will be able to meet in their local area outdoors, including in gardens. Outdoor</p>	



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	<p><b>From 29 March</b> Rule of 6 or two households outdoors. No household mixing indoors.</p> <p><b>No earlier than 17 May</b> The Government will lift most legal restrictions on meeting others outdoors, but gatherings of more than 30 people outdoors will remain illegal</p> <p><b>No earlier than 21 June</b> No legal limits on social contact.</p>	<p>meet outdoors for non-contact sport or organised group exercise. Young people aged 12 to 17 can meet outdoors in groups of upto 4 people from 4 different households take part in outdoor non-contact sports and other organised activities in groups of up to 15 people - and travel across local council boundaries to take part in these activities</p> <p><b>From 26 April</b>, six people from up to three households could be able to meet outdoors</p> <p><b>From 15 March</b> restrictions on outdoor gatherings will be eased so that a maximum of 4 people from 2 households can meet together.</p> <p><b>From 5 April</b> restrictions on outdoor gatherings will be eased so that at least 6 people from 2 households can meet together.</p>	<p>sports facilities can reopen, including tennis courts, golf courses and bowling greens.</p> <p><b>From Saturday 20 February</b>, four people from two different households will be able to meet outdoors for socially distanced local exercise. This doesn't apply to private gardens.</p>	



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<p>Wedding Ceremonies / Receptions Funerals &amp; Wakes</p>	<p>The Government has issued further guidance on holding weddings during Stage 2. The new guidance states that, from 12th April, wedding ceremonies and receptions can take place in venues which are permitted to open for the purposes of providing unrestricted services at this point in the reopening road map. This includes: hotels and conference centres and event spaces (in a room approved for the solemnisation of marriage and formation of a civil partnership); any purpose built wedding venue (where that is its sole purpose, and it is not also a hospitality venue or visitor attraction); visitor attractions (if licensed) if the part of the venue used to hold the ceremony is used solely for that purpose and is not ordinarily open to the public; or open outdoor areas of the venue.</p> <p>From 8 March Funerals (30), wakes and weddings (6)</p> <p>No earlier than 12 April.</p>	<p><b>From 26<sup>th</sup> April</b>, weddings and funerals (including wakes and receptions with no alcohol permitted) raised to up to 50 people</p>	<p><b>From 1 March</b>, the law will be changed to allow licensed wedding venues, such as visitor attractions and hotels, to re-open but only to perform wedding and civil partnership ceremonies.</p>	<p><b>England</b> <a href="#">Click for further information</a></p>





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	<p>funerals can continue to proceed with up to 30 attendees. Weddings, receptions, and commemorative events including wakes will be able to take place with up to 15 attendees (in premises that are permitted to open).</p> <p>No earlier than 17 May. At this step, weddings, receptions, funerals, and commemorative events including wakes can proceed with up to 30 attendees. A broader range of stand-alone life events will also be permitted at this step, including bar mitzvahs and christenings.</p> <p>No earlier than 21 June No legal limits on social contact</p>			





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Social distancing rules	2-metres apart or '1-metre plus' – which is one metre plus mitigations that will help to prevent transmission.	1-metre physical distancing with additional risk mitigations in place. Retail/ shops and hospitality only. (Hospitality being restaurants, public houses and cafes).  All other settings remain at 2 metres.	2-metres apart.	<p><b>England</b>  <a href="#">Click for further information</a>  <a href="#">Click for further information</a>  <a href="#">Click for further information</a></p> <p><b>Scotland</b>  <a href="#">Click for further information</a>  <a href="#">Click for further information</a></p> <p><b>Wales</b>  <a href="#">Click for further information</a></p>
Indoor Leisure	<p><b>Reopen no earlier than 12 April.</b>                      Indoor leisure (including gyms) open for use individually or within household groups.                      (but not saunas and steam rooms)</p> <p><b>No earlier than 17 May</b>                      Adult indoor group sports and exercise classes</p>	<b>From 17 May, adult outdoor contact sport and indoor group exercises can resume</b>	Currently Closed	
Close Contact Services	<b>Reopen no earlier than 12 April.</b>	Currently not permitted	Currently not permitted	
Spa treatments	<b>Reopen no earlier than 12 April.</b> (but not saunas and steam rooms)	Currently not permitted	Currently not permitted	





## 2. FACILITIES ALLOWED TO OPEN IN THE FUTURE

Facility	Dates (England)	Dates (Scotland)	Dates (Wales)	Reference links
Conference and exhibition centres	<p><b>Reopen no earlier than 17 May.</b> Up to 1,000 people or 50% of a venue's capacity, whichever is lower, and outdoor events with a capacity of either 50% or 4,000 people, whichever is lower.</p> <p><b>No earlier than 21 June</b> No legal limits on social contact</p> <p>Currently not permitted</p>	Currently not permitted	Currently not permitted	<p><b>England</b> Click below for further information <a href="#">Source 1 (gov.uk)</a> <a href="#">Source 2 (gov.uk)</a> <a href="#">Source 3 (gov.uk)</a></p> <p><b>Scotland</b> <a href="#">Click here for further information</a></p> <p><b>Wales</b> <a href="#">Click for further information</a></p>
Theatres and other indoor performances	<p><b>No earlier than 12 April. Event pilots begin</b></p> <p><b>Reopen no earlier than 17 May.</b> Up to 1,000 people or 50% of a venue's capacity, whichever is lower, and outdoor events with a capacity of either 50% or 4,000 people, whichever is lower.</p> <p><b>No earlier than 21 June</b> No legal limits on social contact</p>	Currently not permitted	Currently not permitted	



Facility	Dates (England)	Dates (Scotland)	Dates (Wales)	Reference links
Indoor play areas, including soft play areas.	<b>Reopen no earlier than 17 May</b>	Currently not permitted	Currently not permitted	<p><b><u>England</u></b>  <a href="#">Click for further information</a></p> <p><b><u>Scotland</u></b>  <a href="#">Click for further information</a></p> <p><b><u>Wales</u></b>  <a href="#">Click for further information (1)</a>  <a href="#">Click for further information (2)</a></p>



### 3. FACILITIES THAT MUST REMAIN CLOSED

England	Scotland	Wales	Reference links
<p><b>Reopen no earlier than 21 June</b></p> <p>Night clubs</p>	Night clubs	Night clubs	<p><b>England</b> <a href="#">Click for further information</a></p> <p><b>Scotland</b> <a href="#">Click for further information</a></p> <p><b>Wales</b> <a href="#">Click for further information</a></p>
<p><b>Reopen no earlier than 21 June</b></p> <p>Dance halls</p>	Theatres & Dance halls	Theatres & Dance halls	

### 4. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Item	England	Scotland	Wales	Reference links
Face coverings	<p>Advised where social distancing not possible.</p> <p>Compulsory on public transport, in shops and supermarkets, and other indoor settings such as museums, cinemas, galleries and places of worship.</p> <p>Required for guests and staff in hospitality venues unless seated at a table.</p>	<p>Advised where social distancing not possible.</p> <p>Compulsory on public transport, in shops and supermarkets, and other indoor settings such as museums, cinemas, galleries and places of worship.</p> <p>In workplaces (other than an early learning or school setting), you are legally obliged to wear a face covering in communal areas indoors, unless exempt. Such areas include</p>	<p>Face coverings are required in all indoor public places and on public transport (including taxis). This includes a very wide range of locations, such as shops and shopping centres, places of worship, hairdressers and salons, cinemas and museums, gyms and leisure centres, and anywhere that is open to members of the public. It also includes anywhere you go to eat or drink, like restaurants, pubs or cafes (until you are seated).</p>	<p><b>England</b> <a href="#">Click here for further information</a></p> <p><b>Scotland</b> <a href="#">Click here for further information (1)</a></p> <p><b>Wales</b> <a href="#">Click here for further information (1)</a> <a href="#">Click here for further information (2)</a> <a href="#">Click here for further information (3)</a> <a href="#">Click here for further information (4)</a></p>





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		<p>passageways, stairs, lifts, staff rooms, training rooms, changing rooms and entrances.</p> <p>Required for guests and staff in hospitality venues unless seated at a table.</p> <p>Staff in non-public facing roles, such as kitchen staff, will also be exempt where face coverings may present health and safety issues due to the nature of roles.</p>	<p>It would also include any public areas within buildings that are otherwise closed to the public – for example a reception area of an office building.</p> <p>Staff working in areas of indoor premises which are open to the public are also required to wear face coverings while they are in those areas (with the exception of venues selling food or drink to be consumed on the premises i.e. restaurant)</p>	
Customer data	<p>Mandatory for hospitality businesses to collect customer data</p> <p>Businesses will need to display the official NHS QR code posters so that customers can ‘check-in’ at different premises using this option as an alternative to providing their contact details</p> <p>Link to creating your business NHS QR code can be found by clicking <a href="#">here</a></p>	<p>Mandatory for hospitality businesses to collect customer data</p>	<p>Mandatory for hospitality businesses to collect customer data</p> <p>Businesses will need to display the official NHS QR code posters so that customers can ‘check-in’ at different premises using this option as an alternative to providing their contact details</p> <p>Link to creating your business NHS QR code can be found by clicking <a href="#">here</a></p>	<p><b>England</b>  <a href="#">Click here for further information (1)</a>  <a href="#">Click here for further information (2)</a>  <a href="#">Click here for further information (3)</a></p> <p><b>Scotland</b>  <a href="#">Click here for further information (1)</a></p> <p><b>Wales</b>  <a href="#">Click here for further information (1)</a></p>





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Isolation periods	<p><b>Self-isolate for at least 10 days</b> from when your symptoms started, even if mild symptoms.</p> <p>If you live with others, all other household members need to stay at home and not leave the house for 10 days. The 10-day period starts from the day when the first person in the household became ill or if they do not have symptoms, from the day their test was taken. If anyone else in the household starts displaying symptoms, they need to stay at home for at least 10 days from when their symptoms appear, regardless of what day they are on in their original 10-day isolation period.</p>	<p><b>Self-isolate for at least 10 days</b> from when your symptoms started, even if mild symptoms.</p> <p>If you live with someone who has symptoms or has tested positive, or if you have been in close contact with someone who has tested positive, you will be asked to self-isolate at home for 10 days.</p>	<p><b>Self-isolate for at least 10 days</b> from when your symptoms started, even if mild symptoms.</p> <p>All other household members who remain well must stay at home and not leave the house for 10 days.</p> <p>The 10-day period starts from the day when the first person in the house became ill.</p>	<p><b>England</b>  <a href="#">Click here for further information (1)</a>  <a href="#">Click here for further information (2)</a></p> <p><b>Scotland</b>  <a href="#">Click here for further information (1)</a>  <a href="#">Click here for further information (2)</a></p> <p><b>Wales</b>  <a href="#">Click here for further information (1)</a>  <a href="#">Click here for further information (2)</a></p>

Please note all of the above can change/ update regularly and procedures must be in line with COVID-19 secure guidelines.  
 For further support and advice, please contact the [CSC helpdesk](#)



## ADDENDUM 1 – 4 Steps out of Lockdown

### ENGLAND ONLY

STEP 1 8 March 29 March	STEP 2 No earlier than 12 April At least 5 weeks after Step 1	STEP 3 No earlier than 17 May At least 5 weeks after Step 2	STEP 4 No earlier than 21 June At least 5 weeks after Step 3 All subject to review
<b>EDUCATION</b> <b>8 MARCH</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Schools and colleges open for all students</li> <li>Practical Higher Education courses</li> </ul>	<b>EDUCATION</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>As previous step</li> </ul>	<b>EDUCATION</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>As previous step</li> </ul>	<b>EDUCATION</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>As previous step</li> </ul>
<b>SOCIAL CONTACT</b> <b>8 MARCH</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Exercise and recreation outdoors with household or one other person</li> <li>Household only indoors</li> </ul>	<b>SOCIAL CONTACT</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rule of 6 or two households outdoors</li> <li>Household only indoors</li> </ul>	<b>SOCIAL CONTACT</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maximum 30 people outdoors</li> <li>Rule of 6 or two households indoors (subject to review)</li> </ul>	<b>SOCIAL CONTACT</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No legal limit</li> </ul>
<b>BUSINESS &amp; ACTIVITIES</b> <b>8 MARCH</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wraparound care, including sport, for all children</li> </ul>	<b>BUSINESS &amp; ACTIVITIES</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All retail</li> <li>Personal care</li> <li>Libraries &amp; community centres</li> <li>Most outdoor attractions</li> <li>Indoor leisure inc. gyms (individual use only)</li> <li>Self-contained accommodation</li> <li>All children's activities</li> <li>Outdoor hospitality</li> <li>Indoor parent &amp; child groups (max 15 people, excluding under 5s)</li> </ul>	<b>BUSINESS &amp; ACTIVITIES</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Indoor hospitality</li> <li>Indoor entertainment and attractions</li> <li>Organised indoor sport (adult)</li> <li>Remaining accommodation</li> <li>Remaining outdoor entertainment (including performances)</li> </ul>	<b>BUSINESS &amp; ACTIVITIES</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Remaining businesses, including nightclubs</li> </ul>
<b>TRAVEL</b> <b>8 MARCH</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Stay at home</li> <li>No holidays</li> </ul>	<b>TRAVEL</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Domestic overnight stays (household only)</li> <li>No international holidays</li> </ul>	<b>TRAVEL</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Domestic overnight stays</li> <li>International travel (subject to review)</li> </ul>	<b>TRAVEL</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Domestic overnight stays</li> <li>International travel</li> </ul>
<b>EVENTS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Funerals (30)</li> <li>Weddings and wakes (6)</li> </ul>	<b>EVENTS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Funerals (30)</li> <li>Weddings, wakes, receptions (15)</li> <li>Event pilots</li> </ul>	<b>EVENTS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Most significant life events (30)</li> <li>Indoor events: 1,000 or 50%</li> <li>Outdoor seated events: 10,000 or 25%</li> <li>Outdoor other events: 4,000 or 50%</li> </ul>	<b>EVENTS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No legal limit on life events</li> <li>Larger events</li> </ul>



## **ADDENDUM 2 – Protection Levels**

### **SCOTLAND ONLY**

Once Scotland eases its lockdown it will revert to their level system used in 2020. Scotland will move localised restrictions to a five level protection system, the idea being that it will streamline and simplify localised restrictions.

Each area of Scotland will be placed into one of the five levels and should follow the guidance as follows:

Level 0	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4
Broadly comparable to the position reached in Scotland in August when the virus was very suppressed, but still a threat. At this level, you would be able to meet indoors with 8 people from 3 households, and most businesses would be open, albeit with safety measures in place.	Slightly more restrictions - indoor household meetings would reduce to 6 people from 2 households - but there would still be a reasonable degree of normality overall.	Restrictions broadly similar to those currently in place (not including increased restrictions in the central belt) including limitations on hospitality and no gatherings inside people’s homes.	Broadly similar to the tougher restrictions which currently apply across the central belt, with much of hospitality being closed completely. However, it is envisaged that restaurants would be able to be at least partially open in level 3.	The highest level, will not be used unless absolutely necessary – The restrictions at level 4 are closer to a full lockdown. For example, non-essential shops would have to close at level 4. However, even under level 4 restrictions, 6 people from up to 2 households could still meet outdoors; there would be no limit on outdoor exercise for individuals.

More information can be found [here](#) (1) and [here](#) (2) Postcode checker <https://www.gov.scot/check-local-covid-level/>

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## **ADDENDUM 3 – Traffic Light Tier System**

### **WALES ONLY**

As of 28 December 2020, Wales will move localised restrictions to a four level traffic light system, to start the whole of Wales will be placed into the highest tier 4 – black (very high risk) and will be reviewed periodically as per the rest of the UK and should follow the guidance as follows:

<b>Alert Level 1 (Low Risk)</b>	<b>Alert Level 2 (Medium Risk)</b>	<b>Alert Level 3 (High Risk)</b>	<b>Alert Level 4 (Very High Risk)</b>
This represents the level of restrictions closest to normality, which are possible while infection rates are low and other preventative measures, such as social distancing and working from home, remain in place.	This includes additional controls to limit the spread of coronavirus. These may be complemented by more targeted local actions to manage specific incidents or outbreaks.	These represent the strictest restrictions short of a firebreak or lockdown. This responds to higher or rising level of infections where local actions are no longer effective in containing the growth of the virus	Restrictions at this level would be equivalent to the firebreak regulations or lockdown. These could either be deployed as a preventative firebreak or as a lockdown measure.

A simple guide to alert levels can be found by [clicking here](#):

In depth information can be found here <https://gov.wales/covid-19-alert-levels>



## Amendment Log

Date	Version	Notes
12 August 2020	V3	Updates highlighted in red
18 August 2020	V4	Updates highlighted in red Main updates to services in England: Wedding receptions/ close contact services/ indoor play areas/ theatres and indoor performances
25 August 2020	V5	Updates highlighted in red Main updates to: Wedding reception arrangements in Wales, Spa treatments in Scotland, collection of customer data
14 September 2020	V6	Updates highlighted in red Main updates: restrictions in size of indoor and outdoor groups all nations, face coverings in Wales, track and trace now mandatory in England, advice on isolation periods with symptoms or if a member of your household has symptoms
17 September 2020	V7	Updates to socialising group sizes and face coverings in Scotland/ Wales
23 September 2020	V8	Updates highlighted in red Main changes: curfew of pubs, restaurants and bars at 10pm and table service mandatory for all nations. Face coverings mandatory in England for retail and hospitality staff. NHS official QR code must be displayed for hospitality, close contact services, tourism and leisure in England. Only 15 people can attend weddings and receptions in England. Households cannot visit each other indoors in Scotland, public indoor settings remain the same e.g. restaurant.
29 September 2020	V9	Clarification to use of face masks in hospitality and number of attendees at Wakes.
5 October 2020	V9.1	Update to use of Saunas and Steam rooms in England
9 October 2020	V10	All recent changes in red (including changes from version 9.1) New updates for V10 are to hospitality regulations across Scotland.
13 October	V11	Addendum 1 added outlining new three tier COVID alert system
20 October	V12	Details of Wales 'Fire-break' lockdown added.
27 October	V13	Extension of current restrictions in Scotland, and addition of Addendum 2 on information around Scottish 5 level tier system
5 November	V14	Updates as England start 4 week national lockdown Update to Welsh restrictions following exit from firebreak lockdown
12 November	V14.1	Ending of England's Autumn lockdown amended to 3 <sup>rd</sup> Dec following clarification from Government Guidance. Restrictions remain in place until 00.01 3 <sup>rd</sup> Dec.
26 November 2020	V15	Updates to England's three tier structure and plans for the Christmas period
30 November 2020	V16	Updates to Wales increased restrictions especially around hospitality
18 December 2020	V17	Updates highlighted in red, main changes are: Christmas bubbles (all nations) Self-isolation periods (all nations) England change of tier posters Wales alert level tier system and moving into level 4 with early restrictions prior to that.
6 January 2021	V18	Almost all areas move to highest alert levels (national lockdown)
24 February 2021	V19	Updates for all nations to ease out of lockdown and reopening the economy.

24 March 2021	V20	Further updates for all nations to ease out of lockdown and reopen the economy.
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