

Here is the brief for Monday 12 April 2021.

Grampian data Here are the local figures for today (and over the weekend) and the 7-day rolling positivity rate are shown below. As a reminder, this rate is arrived at by dividing the number of positive tests in the past 7 days by the number of tests carried out in the past 7 days. Repeat tests are included in both categories, whereas the figures we show here only record new tests. If you want to see more detailed information, including cases at neighbourhood level, click [here](#) for the Public Health Scotland daily dashboard.

	Daily number of new people tested	New cases in past 24 hrs	Daily no. of contacts isolated in past 24 hrs	Patients in hospital	Patients in ITU	Deaths in hospital
Sat 10/04	379	32	59	4	1	0
Sun 11/04	388	14	35	4	1	0
Mon 12/04	385	13	45	4	1	0

384 avg daily tested last 3 days	Down 1 from 11/04/21	Up 10 from 11/04/21	No change from 11/04/21	No change from 11/04/21	Last recorded death 06/04
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Tests reported from Illuminate up to 3pm on 10/04/21 <i>NB tests refreshed daily due to lag in reporting</i>	Reported by Scottish Govt up to 8am today	Reported from CMS up to 15:30 today	Confirmed patients from Trakcare according to new definitions from 15/9	Confirmed from Trakcare as per SG definitions - excludes patients who were +ve >28 days. ECMO patients included & flagged for COVID-19	Confirmed from Trakcare
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7 day rolling positivity rate on 10/4
1.29%

Celebrating Excellence – Nurses, Midwives & AHPs The next Celebrating Excellence NMAHP event is taking place the morning of 22 April on MS Teams. This is the first of these events this year and is open to all nurses, midwives and AHPs to attend. This will be our 12th event and there are some excellent speakers on the programme. Places are still available for those who wish to attend the April event. Please contact: gram.magnet@nhs.scot to register to attend this event. The next event will be on the afternoon of 27 May, registration is also open for this event. If you would like to speak and present your work at a later Celebrating Excellence event, please also get in touch, using the email above.

PPE donning and doffing training This training is available every Tuesday at 11am, via MS Teams. You can book your space by emailing gram.ipc-donn-doff-training@nhs.scot

Thought for the day It's a story of two halves today. Firstly, we wanted to acknowledge the return of full-time schooling for primary and secondary pupils in Aberdeen City and Moray (Aberdeenshire returns next Monday). This is another significant step towards some sort of normality – whatever that is going to mean in the world we find ourselves in. If you have young people in your life, we hope they had a good day! They have endured a great deal of disruption and change over the last 12 months and without the tools we (so-called) grown ups have at our disposal to make sense of it all.

Secondly, this evening sees the start of the Muslim holy month of Ramadan. To all those observing the traditional rituals of fasting, prayer, and reflection we say Ramadan Mubarak.

Questions to ask? Information to share? If you have particular questions – or are aware of questions coming from friends and family – please share them with us. We may not be able to answer every question and it may take us time to get a proper answer, but we will endeavour to respond and share the answers. You can get in touch with us via gram.communications@nhs.scot. Please also use that email address if you have items for consideration for future briefs.