

URGENT SCARBOROUGH BOROUGH COVID-19 ALERT

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Dear resident

Coronavirus - infection rates rising sharply in your area

As you may have heard, the number of Covid-19 cases in the borough of Scarborough has doubled in recent days and is rising rapidly.

It is everyone's responsibility to protect each other and help bring down the rates of infection.

To play your part, it is essential that you and those you live with follow the national restrictions and stay at home:

- Only leave home for food, medical reasons, exercise, education or work
- Do not meet up with other households, even outdoors, except for the permitted reasons set out in the national guidance at gov.uk/coronavirus
- If you have symptoms you must self-isolate and get a test - it's the law
- You must work from home if you can
- Avoid all travel unless essential
- Remember to wash hands, cover face, make space
- Remember that school bubbles do not apply outside school

Additional testing sites will be launched throughout the borough this month. We are asking visitors not to come to the borough at the moment. We encourage everyone to stay at home and exercise in their own local area.

If you are self-isolating and don't have anyone who can help you with shopping and other essentials, call 01609 780780 any day between 8am and 5.30pm and you will be directed to local support that is right for you.

If you have to self-isolate and cannot work from home, you may be eligible for a Test and Trace support payment. Refer to 'support for you' at www.scarborough.gov.uk/coronavirus for more information. If you do not have access to online services, call 01723 232372.

We know we can count on your support and thank you for your cooperation.

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North Yorkshire County Council



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Case rates have **DOUBLED** in the last few days and are rising **RAPIDLY** throughout Scarborough borough, including: Whitby, Scarborough, Filey, Hunmanby and northern villages.

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