

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 77 new cases in Cumbria (+22 increase from 55 cases in previous week). 163 contacts identified by Test and Trace from these positive cases • For the 2nd consecutive week Barrow-in-Furness had the greatest number of new cases (+29 new cases) • Barrow-in-Furness had by far the highest rate of new cases • Greatest number of new positive cases are those ages 15-29 years; despite this, there has been an increase in those aged 45-59 years • A notable increase in the number of patients with COVID-19 in hospital beds (South Cumbria) • Increase in the number of COVID-10 related calls to 111 and 999 (in particular in South Cumbria / Barrow) • Local contact tracing remains significant for situational awareness • Over half of positive cases are asymptomatic (52/92 positive cases asymptomatic). • An additional 15 positive cases linked to BAE which don't appear in national numbers. • An additional 5 positive cases linked to Sellafield which don't appear in national numbers. • As of yesterday there were 14 patients in Furness General with COVID. <p>Care Homes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Only 2 cases were linked to residents. • 4 homes currently in outbreak recovery stage. <p>School</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 85.9% of pupils attended schools compared to 82.6% nationally. • All schools except 3 are fully open. • 11 COVID19 related incidents (1 confirmed positive) 6 in North, 5 in South. • 1 outbreak in the South. <p>Raised that a formal national review of shielding groups would be useful. Will be fed back to PHE.</p>	CC
6.	<p>Barrow Incident Management</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Incidents rate as of last night is 60 new cases per 100,000 population. • Key clusters / situations include <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Bridge Pub ○ BAE Systems (15 cases identified by on site testing) ○ Furness General Hospital ○ Risedale Care Home ○ Educational Settings (currently 4 active incidents) <p>IMH have proposed the following restrictions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Restriction of visitors to Furness General already in place. • Restrictions on visitors to care homes and assisted living proposed. • Restriction on non-essential visits to schools. • Proposing to put out guidance to general public suggesting that they limit their contact within the rules of 6 to no more than 2 households (same as Scotland's guidance). Would not be enforceable. <p>HPB agreed the proposals of restrictions from the IMH.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local Area Outbreak Board (LAOB) called today at 11am (including membership with various politicians, senior district and county officers). The four proposals from the IMH will be put to the LAOB, with a suggested implementation period of 2 weeks. <p>Question was raised whether the SCG should be asked to meet to coordinate enforcement of restrictions? A Slattery said he was happy for the SCG to stand up earlier than scheduled to discuss this. A Slattery agreed to hold an SCG tomorrow (arranged for 1030 hours).</p>	MS

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussion took place on enforcement options available to be used, but agreement was that they would only be used as a last resort where there was a clear risk. 	
7.	<p>Winter Preparedness (<i>Standing Agenda Item</i>)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Since having the national RWC have now received regional RWC. Intending that the scenarios will be available at the end of this week. To be discussed at HPB next week. Ongoing pressures in CIC with capacity. Lots of plans and activity to support that. LRF is looking at the effects of concurrency of incidents 	CC
8.	<p>Feedback to national co-ordination meetings (<i>Standing agenda item</i>)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> DPH narrative report circulated for review. Content of report discussed throughout meeting. Content will be revised after the LAOB meeting today, and to reflect the scheduled meeting of the SCG tomorrow. 	CC
9.	<p>Update from sub groups and agencies by exception</p> <p>Test and Trace Group Capacity in Morecambe Bay is currently overwhelmed. A cap may need to be put on the number of tests available for pupils and staff.</p> <p>Cumbria Community Resilience Group</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Concerns moving into a situation with local lockdowns, but without the local levels of support that existed for the National Lockdown. <p>Care Home Group Proposal to test asymptomatic staff who come into contact with the care sector to limit the spread of infection.</p> <p>Business Economic Response & Recovery Group</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No update <p>Tactical Education & Early years Group</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Significant issues in gaining access to tests A lot of nervousness in Barrow regarding number of cases. Schools have received updated flow charts and information on what to do with symptomatic children requiring tests. 	Subgroup chairs
10.	<p>Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Awaiting what comes out of LAOB. Has been invited onto a HSE meeting about the launch of the Track and Trace app (launch due 24 September). J Burgess raised that organisations need to ensure that their ICT system will allow the app to be installed on devices. 	KB
11.	<p>Any other business</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lessons learnt and good practice – Leicestershire (see link) <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/local-covid-19-outbreaks-lessons-learnt-and-good-practice</p>	CC
12.	<p>Next meeting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Weekly battle rhythm: HPB to continue at 09:30 Thursday 	CC

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