

Government social distancing measures - chronological list of interventions			
Area of activity		published	updated
<b>Legislation</b>	<a href="#">Coronavirus Act 2020</a>	<b>19-Mar-20</b>	<b>25-Mar-20</b>
<a href="#">Business and charity support</a>	<a href="#">Guidance for employees, employers and businesses</a>	25-Feb-20	07-Apr-20
<a href="#">Business and charity support</a>	<a href="#">Announcement: Extra protection for businesses with ban on evictions for commercial tenants who miss rent payments</a>	23-Mar-20	23-Mar-20
<a href="#">Business and charity support</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Eligibility&amp;delivery of the Small Business Grants Fund (SBGF)&amp;Retail, Hospitality&amp;Leisure Grant Fund (RHLGF)</a>	24-Mar-20	24-Apr-20
<a href="#">Business and charity support</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Work out 80% of your employees' wages to claim through the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme</a>	17-Apr-20	27-Apr-20
<a href="#">Business and charity support</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme guide for employers</a>	17-Apr-20	29-Apr-20
<a href="#">Business and charity support</a>	<a href="#">Announcement: New coronavirus 'support finder' tool for businesses and self-employed people</a>	20-Apr-20	20-Apr-20
<a href="#">Business and charity support</a>	<a href="#">Announcement: Data on grant funding provided to businesses by local authorities in England</a>	20-Apr-20	27-Apr-20
<a href="#">Funerals and care of the deceased</a>	<a href="#">COVID-19: Guidance for Care of the Deceased</a>	31-Mar-20	31-Mar-20
<a href="#">Funerals and care of the deceased</a>	<a href="#">Announcement: Government sets out plans to ensure bereaved families can attend funerals during pandemic</a>	17-Apr-20	17-Apr-20
<a href="#">Funerals and care of the deceased</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Local death management</a>	17-Apr-20	17-Apr-20
<a href="#">Funerals and care of the deceased</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Managing a funeral</a>	19-Apr-20	19-Apr-20
<a href="#">Funerals and care of the deceased</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Support for the bereaved</a>	23-Apr-20	23-Apr-20
<a href="#">Homelessness&amp;rough sleeping</a>	<a href="#">Guidance for hostel or day centres for people rough sleeping</a>	16-Mar-20	25-Mar-20
<a href="#">Homelessness&amp;rough sleeping</a>	<a href="#">Announcement: £3.2 million emergency support for rough sleepers during coronavirus outbreak</a>	17-Mar-20	17-Mar-20
<a href="#">Homelessness&amp;rough sleeping</a>	<a href="#">Guidance for accommodation providers</a>	24-Mar-20	25-Mar-20
<a href="#">Homelessness&amp;rough sleeping</a>	<a href="#">Letter from Minister Hall to hotels on providing accommodation to support vulnerable people</a>	25-Mar-20	25-Mar-20
<a href="#">Homelessness&amp;rough sleeping</a>	<a href="#">Letter from Minister Hall to local authorities on plans to protect rough sleepers</a>	27-Mar-20	27-Mar-20
<a href="#">Homelessness&amp;rough sleeping</a>	<a href="#">Letter from Minister Hall to caravan and park home owners</a>	27-Mar-20	27-Mar-20
<a href="#">Housing</a>	<a href="#">Government Guidance for Landlord Tenants and Local Authorities</a>	28-Mar-20	28-Mar-20
<a href="#">Housing</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Home moving during the coronavirus outbreak</a>	26-Mar-20	26-Mar-20
<a href="#">Housing</a>	<a href="#">Announcement: Complete ban on evictions and additional protection for renters</a>	18-Mar-20	18-Mar-20
<a href="#">Housing</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Domestic abuse safe accommodation provision</a>	23-Mar-20	23-Mar-20
<a href="#">Housing</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Meeting the regulatory requirement to secure valid Energy Performance Certificates</a>	02-Apr-20	02-Apr-20
<a href="#">Housing</a>	<a href="#">Guidance for social landlords on essential moves</a>	27-Apr-20	27-Apr-20
<a href="#">Local government finance&amp;funding</a>	<a href="#">Business Rates: Expanded Retail Discount Guidance</a>	25-Mar-20	02-Apr-20
<a href="#">Local government finance&amp;funding</a>	<a href="#">social care grants will be paid up front this month</a>	16-Apr-20	16-Apr-20
<a href="#">Local government finance&amp;funding</a>	<a href="#">Announcement: Allocations of additional funding to local authorities</a>	30-Mar	28-Apr
<a href="#">Local government finance&amp;funding</a>	<a href="#">Announcement: Government pledges extra £1.6 billion for councils</a>	18-Apr-20	18-Apr-20
<a href="#">Local government finance&amp;funding</a>	<a href="#">Letter: Outline of funding support to councils</a>	20-Apr-20	20-Apr-20
<a href="#">Local government finance&amp;funding</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Business rates: expanded retail discount 2020 to 2021</a>	30-Nov-18	02-Apr-20
<a href="#">Local government finance&amp;funding</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Business rates: nursery (childcare) discount 2020 to 2021</a>	20-Mar-20	02-Apr-20
<a href="#">Local government finance&amp;funding</a>	<a href="#">Letters: Business rates information - listed below</a>	11-Oct-12	09-Apr-20
<a href="#">Local government finance&amp;funding</a>	<a href="#">7/2020: Business rates information coronavirus response: monitoring</a>	09-Apr-20	09-Apr-20
<a href="#">Local government finance&amp;funding</a>	<a href="#">6/2020: Business rates information coronavirus response and updated guidance</a>	02-Apr-20	02-Apr-20
<a href="#">Local government finance&amp;funding</a>	<a href="#">5/2020: Business rates information coronavirus response and guidance</a>	26-Mar-20	26-Mar-20
<a href="#">Local government finance&amp;funding</a>	<a href="#">4/2020: Business rates information coronavirus response and guidance</a>	20-Mar-20	20-Mar-20
<a href="#">Local government finance&amp;funding</a>	<a href="#">3/2020: Budget 2020 Guidance - Business rates information</a>	13-Mar-20	13-Mar-20
<a href="#">Local government finance&amp;funding</a>	<a href="#">Announcement: Businesses to receive almost £10 billion in rates relief</a>	22-Apr-20	22-Apr-20
<a href="#">Local government finance&amp;funding</a>	<a href="#">Letter: Council Tax information on the technical implementation of the £500 million hardship fund</a>	16-Apr-20	16-Apr-20
<a href="#">Local government finance&amp;funding</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Council tax: COVID-19 hardship fund 2020 to 2021</a>	24-Mar-20	24-Mar-20

<a href="#">Parks and public spaces</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Access to green spaces</a>	27-Apr-20	28-Apr-20
<a href="#">Parks and public spaces</a>	<a href="#">Letter: Access to parks and public spaces, including burial grounds and cemeteries</a>	23-Apr-20	24-Apr-20
<a href="#">Parks and public spaces</a>	<a href="#">Announcement: Communities Secretary welcomes response to his call for parks to open</a>	25-Apr-20	25-Apr-20
<a href="#">Planning and building safety</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Application of the building regulations</a>	21-Apr-20	21-Apr-20
<a href="#">Planning and building safety</a>	<a href="#">Announcement: Pledge to ensure necessary building safety improvements can continue</a>	16-Apr-20	16-Apr-20
<a href="#">Planning and building safety</a>	<a href="#">Guidance from the Planning Inspectorate</a>	12-Mar-20	01-Apr-20
<a href="#">Planning and building safety</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Remediation and Building Safety</a>	27-Mar-20	16-Apr-20
<a href="#">Planning and building safety</a>	<a href="#">Letter: Planning update from the Chief Planner (March 2020)</a>	24-Mar-20	25-Mar-20
<a href="#">Planning and building safety</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Changes to neighbourhood planning</a>	06-Apr-20	07-Apr-20
<a href="#">Planning and building safety</a>	<a href="#">Announcement: Government to grant permission for pubs and restaurants to operate as takeaways</a>	17-Mar-20	17-Mar-20
<a href="#">Personal Protective Equipment PPE</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: PPE plan</a>	10-Apr-20	15-Apr-20
<a href="#">Personal Protective Equipment PPE</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: PPE hub</a>	10-Apr-20	18-Apr-20
<a href="#">Personal Protective Equipment PPE</a>	<a href="#">Guidance on PPE from Public Health England</a>	27-Apr-20	27-Apr-20
<a href="#">Personal Protective Equipment PPE</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Office for Product Safety and Standards PPE guidance for business &amp; local authorities</a>	27-Mar-20	20-Apr-20
<a href="#">Public health</a>	<a href="#">Guidance for businesses and other venues subject to further social distancing measures</a>	23-Mar-20	09-Apr-20
<a href="#">Public health</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Social distancing in the workplace</a>	07-Apr-20	24-Apr-20
<a href="#">Public health</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Infection prevention and control</a>	10-Jan-20	27-Apr-20
<a href="#">Public health</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Care of the deceased with suspected or confirmed coronavirus</a>	20-Apr-20	20-Apr-20
<a href="#">Public health</a>	<a href="#">Guidance for the public on mental health and wellbeing</a>	0202	31-Mar-20
<a href="#">Public health</a>	<a href="#">Guidance for people with animals</a>	27-Mar-20	31-Mar-20
<a href="#">Public health</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Information leaflet on stopping the spread of coronavirus</a>	07-Apr-20	15-Apr-20
<a href="#">Schools and education</a>	<a href="#">Guidance hub: Schools and other educational settings</a>	29-Mar-20	28-Mar-20
<a href="#">Shielding and volunteering</a>	<a href="#">Guidance on shielding and protecting people defined on medical grounds as extremely vulnerable</a>	21-Mar-20	17-Apr-20
<a href="#">Shielding and volunteering</a>	<a href="#">Announcement: Over half a million food packages delivered to those at risk</a>	26-Apr-20	26-Apr-20
<a href="#">Social care</a>	<a href="#">Action plan for adult social care</a>	15-Apr-20	16-Apr-20
<a href="#">Social care</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Social care</a>	15-Apr-20	27-Apr-20
<a href="#">Social care</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Vulnerable children and young people</a>	22-Mar-20	19-Apr-20
<a href="#">Social care</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Changes to the Care Act 2014 to help local authorities prioritise care and support</a>	31-Mar-20	01-Apr-20
<a href="#">Social care</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Ethical framework for adult social care for local authorities and adult social care professionals</a>	19-Mar-20	19-Mar-20
<a href="#">Social care</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Residential care, supported living and home care</a>	13-Mar-20	06-Apr-20
<a href="#">Social care</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Admission and care of people in care homes</a>	02-Apr-20	20-Apr-20
<a href="#">Social care</a>	<a href="#">Announcement: £2.9 billion funding to strengthen care for the vulnerable</a>	19-Mar-20	19-Mar-20
<a href="#">Social care</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Providing unpaid care</a>	08-Apr-20	08-Apr-20
<a href="#">Social care</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Financial support for education, early years and children's social care</a>	17-Apr-20	22-Apr-20
<a href="#">Testing</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Coronavirus testing for frontline workers</a>	15-Apr-20	29-Apr-20
<a href="#">Testing</a>	<a href="#">Announcement: Testing extended to more frontline workers</a>	17-Apr-20	17-Apr-20
<a href="#">Testing</a>	<a href="#">Announcement: Testing for "everyone who needs one" in social care settings</a>	15-Apr-20	15-Apr-20
<a href="#">Testing</a>	<a href="#">Policy paper: How the government intends to scale up testing programmes to provide a test to anyone who needs one</a>	04-Apr-20	06-Apr-20
<a href="#">Testing</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Privacy notice for testing for critical workers</a>	17-Apr-20	17-Apr-20
<a href="#">Testing</a>	<a href="#">Announcement: Further expansion of access to coronavirus testing</a>	28-Apr-20	28-Apr-20

<a href="#">Waste</a>	<a href="#">Guidance for local authorities on prioritising waste collections</a>	07-Apr-20	07-Apr-20
<a href="#">Waste</a>	<a href="#">Letter: Thank you to waste sector workers</a>	15-Apr-20	15-Apr-20
<a href="#">Other</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Fraud control in emergency management</a>	26-Mar-20	26-Mar-20
<a href="#">Other</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Notification of data controllers to share information</a>	01-Apr-20	01-Apr-20
<a href="#">Other</a>	<a href="#">Announcement: Councils given new powers to hold public meetings remotely</a>	03-Apr-20	03-Apr-20
<a href="#">Other</a>	<a href="#">Letter: Local authority meetings and postponement of elections</a>	06-Apr-20	06-Apr-20
<a href="#">Other</a>	<a href="#">Letter: Secretary of State thanks the local government workforce</a>	18-Apr-20	18-Apr-20
<a href="#">Other</a>	<a href="#">Letter: Extension of statutory audit deadlines for 2019 to 2020</a>	22-Apr-20	22-Apr-20
<a href="#">Other</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Health, care and volunteer workers parking pass and concessions</a>	03-Apr-20	03-Apr-20
<a href="#">Other</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Public procurement regulations and responding to the coronavirus outbreak</a>	18-Mar-20	18-Mar-20
<a href="#">Other</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: Procurement Policy Note, supplier relief due to COVID-19</a>	20-Mar-20	17-Apr-20
<a href="#">Other</a>	<a href="#">Guidance: European Structural and Investment Funds</a>	26-Mar-20	28-Apr-20