

Environmental and Waste Management Group



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CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) – GUIDANCE AND SUPPORT

Guidance and support is continually evolving; these are exceptional circumstances and we must comply with our government advice on coronavirus at all times. The following highlights some key guidance available at the start of April –

Guidance from the UK government: what you need to do – The UK government instructions and guidance related to the COVID-19 outbreak – [gov.uk](https://www.gov.uk)

Information from the Scottish government – Information and guidance from the Scottish Government related to the COVID-19 outbreak – [gov.scot](https://www.gov.scot)

Information from the Northern Ireland assembly – Important Information on COVID-19 on the NI Direct website - [nidirect.gov.uk](https://www.nidirect.gov.uk)

Information from the Welsh government – The latest advice for COVID-19 – [gov.wales](https://www.gov.wales)

Information from IOSH – [iosh.com](https://www.iosh.com)

Waste Industry Safety and Health (WISH) Forum information document – WISH has produced [Covid-19 And Waste Management Activities](#), an information document on managing COVID-19 risks in the context of a range of waste management activities and an [accompanying statement](#)

Other sources of relevant information include –

- [Public Health England \(PHE\) – COVID-19: background information](#)
- [World Health Organisation \(WHO\) – COVID-19](#)
- [Health & Safety Executive – Coronavirus \(COVID-19\): latest information and advice](#)
- [HMRC Special Landfill Tax Briefing](#)
- [Circularonline coronavirus update – waste management sector](#)