

The resources companion for the COVID-19 (Clinical) ECHO network

This document provides a collation of resources mentioned by colleagues participating in the regular COVID-19 (Clinical) ECHO sessions. These sessions began on a weekly schedule in March, and moved to a fortnightly basis from 13 May. This list also includes information about a selection of other materials which have been brought to our attention outside of, but in relation to the ECHO sessions – these entries are shaded and the date when they were added to the list is noted in the ‘ECHO date’ column. Links to documents provided by ECHO participants are included as we receive them – for those participating in the ECHO sessions, see also the COVID-19 ECHO page on our website for further resources. Whilst this list focuses on resources from the UK, it also includes a few materials from overseas so please note that medications recommended will vary from UK practice, and the pathways/operational guidance reflect local requirements.

This list represents material and sources of help and support that have been brought to our attention; there may be further relevant resources which are not noted here. Inclusion in the list below does not imply approval or endorsement. It is the responsibility of the reader to check for latest updates and determine the accuracy, validity and application of these resources and obtain any appropriate professional advice.

Presentations from the ECHOs

Presentations and resources shared by speakers are available to participants of these ECHOs on the COVID-19 Project ECHO Network and Resources page of Hospice UK’s website.

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Patient care			
	General	<p>ReSPECT (Recommended Summary Plan for Emergency Care and Treatment)</p> <p>https://www.resus.org.uk/respect/health-and-care-professionals/ Resuscitation Council (UK). <i>The ReSPECT Process</i> [Online]</p> <p>For updates on COVID-19 decision making resources from the Resuscitation Council, see also: https://www.resus.org.uk/media/statements/resuscitation-council-uk-statements-on-covid-19-coronavirus-cpr-and-resuscitation/covid-resources-decisions/</p>	Added 01 April, record last updated 28 April.
		<p>COVID-19: clinical guidance for managing patients (from Scotland's Chief Medical Officer)</p> <p>https://www.gov.scot/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-clinical-advice/</p> <p>Chief Medical Officer Directorate. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): clinical guidance for managing patients</i>. Scottish Government [Online]</p>	Added 06 April, record last updated 01 May
		<p>COVID-19 and palliative, end of life and bereavement care in secondary care: role of the specialty and guidance to aid care</p> <p>Link from: https://apmonline.org/</p> <p>NHS Northern Care Alliance NHS Group & Association for Palliative Medicine. <i>COVID-19 and palliative, end of life and bereavement care in secondary care: role of the specialty and guidance to aid care</i> [Version 4: 20 April 2020]. Association for Palliative Medicine [Online]</p>	Added 07 April, record last updated 21 April
		<p>Coronavirus (COVID-19): looking after people who lack mental capacity</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-looking-after-people-who-lack-mental-capacity</p> <p>Department of Health and Social Care. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): looking after people who lack mental capacity</i>. GOV.UK [Online]</p>	Added 15 April

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	NICE guides	<p>Coronavirus (COVID-19): Rapid guidelines and evidence summaries</p> <p>A selection:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - cystic fibrosis [NG170]: https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng170 community-based care of patients with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) [NG168]: https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng168 rheumatological autoimmune, inflammatory and metabolic bone disorders [NG167]: https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng167 [updated 21 May] - severe asthma [NG166]: https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng166 - managing suspected or confirmed pneumonia in adults in the community [NG165]: https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng165 [updated 23 April] - haematopoietic stem cell transplantation [NG164]: https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng164 - managing symptoms (including at the end of life) in the community [NG163]: https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng163 [updated 30 April] - delivery of radiotherapy [NH162]: https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng162 - delivery of systemic anticancer treatments [NG161]: https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng161 [updated 27 April] - dialysis service delivery [NG160]: https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng160 [updated 21 May] - critical care in adults [NG159]: https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng159 [updated 29 April] <p>Rapid Evidence Summary:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - COVID-19 rapid evidence summary: acute use of non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs (NSAIDs) for people with or at risk of COVID-19: https://www.nice.org.uk/advice/es23/chapter/Key-messages <p>For all NICE products relating to COVID-19, see: https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/conditions-and-diseases/infections/covid19</p>	Record last updated 29 May
	Medicines, management & prescribing		
		<p>Coronavirus (COVID-19): reuse of medicines in a care home or hospice</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-reuse-of-medicines-in-a-care-home-or-hospice</p> <p>Department of Health and Social Care. <i>Novel coronavirus (COVID-19) standard operating procedure: running a medicines re-use scheme in a care home or hospice setting.</i> GOV.UK [Online]</p>	Added 28 April

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		<p>Priority medicines for palliative and end of life care during a pandemic</p> <p>Available from home page of APM's website: https://apmonline.org/</p> <p>Association for Palliative Medicine of Great Britain and Ireland, Royal College of General Practitioners, The Association of Supportive and Palliative Care Pharmacy, Hospice UK. <i>Priority medicines for palliative and end of life care during a pandemic</i>. Association for Palliative Medicine of Great Britain and Ireland [Online] Published 30 April 2020</p>	Added 30 April
		<p>Alternatives to regular medication normally given via a syringe pump when this is not available [Scottish Palliative Care Guidelines]</p> <p>https://www.palliativecareguidelines.scot.nhs.uk/guidelines/symptom-control/alternatives-to-regular-medication-normally-given-via-a-syringe-pump-when-this-is-not-available.aspx</p> <p>Scottish Palliative Care Guidelines. <i>Alternatives to regular medication normally given via a syringe pump when this is not available</i>. NHSScotland [Online] [Updated 30 April]</p>	Added 06 April, record last updated 06 May
		<p>Association for Paediatric Palliative Medicine master formulary</p> <p>https://www.appm.org.uk/guidelines-resources/appm-master-formulary/</p> <p>APPM (2020) <i>Association for Paediatric Palliative Medicine master formulary</i>. APPM, 5th ed.</p>	25 March
		<p>Prescribing safely under COVID-19 (nurse prescribers)</p> <p>https://www.rcn.org.uk/clinical-topics/medicines-management/covid-19-remote-prescribing</p> <p>Royal College of Nursing. <i>Prescribing safely under COVID-19</i> [Online]</p>	01 April
		<p>Coronavirus Yellow Card reporting site</p> <p>To report suspected side effects to medicines or medical device and diagnostic adverse incidents used in coronavirus treatment to the Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency to ensure safe and effective use</p> <p>https://coronavirus-yellowcard.mhra.gov.uk/</p> <p>Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency. <i>Coronavirus Yellow Card reporting site</i>. [Online]</p>	Added 06 May

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	Drugs administration: carers	<p>Carer administration of as-needed subcutaneous medicines</p> <p>https://subcut.helixcentre.com/</p> <p>This resource is adapted from the CARIAD study led by University of Bangor and designed by the Helix Centre. It is supported by NHS England.</p>	25 March
	Symptom management		
		<p>Supporting someone with breathlessness (<i>A learning resource for carers</i>)</p> <p>https://supporting-breathlessness.org.uk/</p> <p>University of East Anglia. <i>Supporting someone with breathlessness</i> [Online]</p>	27 May
		<p>Practical advice to help manage breathlessness during the Covid-19 outbreak</p> <p>https://vimeo.com/407928576/c4c9d36037</p> <p>St Margaret's Hospice Care. (2020) <i>Practical advice to help manage breathlessness during the Covid-19 outbreak</i> [Film] April [5mins:15 secs.]</p>	15 April
	Illnesses & conditions		
	Dementia care	<p>COVID-19: information for families looking after someone with dementia</p> <p>https://www.dementiauk.org/get-support/coronavirus-covid-19/</p> <p>Dementia UK. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): information for families looking after someone with dementia</i> [Online]</p>	01 April 2020
	Patient groups		
		<p>COVID-19 and mitigating impact on health inequalities</p> <p>https://www.rcplondon.ac.uk/news/covid-19-and-mitigating-impact-health-inequalities</p> <p>Royal College of Physicians. <i>COVID-19 and mitigating impact on health inequalities</i>. [Online]</p>	Added 15 April
	Children & young people	<p>Clinical guidelines for children and young people with palliative care needs in all care settings during the COVID19 pandemic</p>	Added 21 April

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		<p><i>This guide is being updated to reflect changes to the case definition for COVID-19 from 18 May 2020 and will be republished soon.</i></p> <p>https://www.england.nhs.uk/coronavirus/wp-content/uploads/sites/52/2020/03/C0249-clinical-guidelines-children-young-people-with-palliative-care-needs-24-04-2020.pdf</p> <p>Association for Paediatric Palliative Medicine (2020). <i>Clinical guidelines for children and young people with palliative care needs in all care settings during the COVID19 pandemic</i>. NHS England and NHS Improvement. [Online] [Updated 24 April]</p>	
		<p>Coronavirus: guidance for professionals</p> <p>https://www.togetherforshortlives.org.uk/changing-lives/supporting-care-professionals/introduction-childrens-palliative-care/coronavirus-top-tips-for-professionals/</p> <p>Together for Short Lives. <i>Coronavirus: guidance for professionals</i> [Online]</p>	Added 08 April
	Older people	<p>Silver Line: helpline for older people (to combat isolation)</p> <p>https://www.thesilverline.org.uk/</p> <p>Open 24 hours a day, every day of the year.</p>	Added 01 April
	People with learning disabilities	<p>Management of patients with a learning disability, autism or both</p> <p>https://www.england.nhs.uk/coronavirus/wp-content/uploads/sites/52/2020/03/C0031_Specialty-guide_LD-and-coronavirus-v1_-24-March.pdf</p> <p>NHS England and NHS Improvement (2020) <i>Clinical guide for front line staff to support the management of patients with a learning disability, autism or both during the coronavirus pandemic – relevant to all clinical specialities</i>. [Speciality guides for patient management during the coronavirus pandemic] NHS England and NHS Improvement</p>	Added 01 April
		<p>COVID-19: supporting adults with learning disabilities and autistic adults</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-supporting-adults-with-learning-disabilities-and-autistic-adults</p> <p>Department of Health and Social Care. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): guidance for care staff supporting adults with learning disabilities and autistic adults</i>. GOV.UK [Online]</p>	Added 28 April
		PCPLD Network – for resources on COVID-19	08 April

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		www.pcpld.org/links-and-resources/ Palliative Care for People with Learning Disabilities Network. Resources [Online]	
		Resources from Mencap <i>A collection of information and resources on COVID-19 for people with learning disabilities and families, support workers and healthcare professionals.</i> https://www.mencap.org.uk/advice-and-support/coronavirus-covid-19 Mencap. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19)</i> [Online]	Added 29 May
		Jack plans ahead for Coronavirus: a guide for family and carers An illustrated resource on end of life care planning in the context of coronavirus. Aimed at family and carers. https://booksbeyondwords.co.uk/downloads-shop/jack-plans-ahead-for-coronavirus Tuffrey-Wijne I & Hollins S. (2020) <i>Jack plans ahead for Coronavirus: a guide for family and carers.</i> Beyond Words	Added 15 April
		When someone dies from coronavirus: a guide for families and carers https://booksbeyondwords.co.uk/downloads-shop/when-someone-dies-from-coronavirus (Tuffrey-Wijne I & Hollins S. 2020) <i>When someone dies from coronavirus: a guide for families and carers.</i> Beyond Words	Added 15 April
	Spiritual issues		
		Films from the British Islamic Medical Association On palliative care and bereavement [YouTube link] British Islamic Medical Association. [Various titles on palliative care, dying at home and bereavement] YouTube	22 April
	Communication		
		Evidence-based advice for difficult conversations https://www.realtalktraining.co.uk/covid19-evidence-based-advice-difficult-conversations	Added 24 March

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		Parry R. (2020) <i>COVID-19: evidence-based advice for difficult conversations</i> . Real Talk [Blog post] Mar 16	
		<p>Difficult conversations - why we need to talk about dying. [Powerpoint presentation, including poster]</p> <p>https://learn.nes.nhs.scot/28261/quality-improvement-zone/learning-programmes/scottish-quality-and-safety-sqs-fellowship-programme/difficult-conversations-why-we-need-to-talk-about-dying</p> <p>NHS Education for Scotland. <i>Difficult conversations - why we need to talk about dying</i>. [Online] [Powerpoint presentation, including poster] Created by members from cohort 12 of the Scottish Quality Safety Fellowship, with Hazel White from Open Change.</p>	Added 07 April
		<p>Having courageous conversations by 'phone and video</p> <p><i>Guidelines support nursing staff who are having to initiate challenging and courageous conversations with patients remotely.</i></p> <p>https://www.rcn.org.uk/clinical-topics/end-of-life-care</p> <p>Royal College of Nursing. <i>End of life care</i>. [Online]</p>	Added 18 May
		<p>Evidence-based advice for difficult conversations</p> <p>https://www.realtalktraining.co.uk/covid19-evidence-based-advice-difficult-conversations</p> <p>Parry R. (2020) <i>COVID-19: evidence-based advice for difficult conversations</i>. Real Talk [Blog post] Mar 16</p>	Added 24 March
		<p>COVID-ready communication skills: A playbook of VitalTalk tips</p> <p>https://docs.google.com/document/d/1uSh0FeYdkGgHsZqem552iC0KmXlgaGKohl7SoeY2UXQ/mobilebasic</p> <p>A primer compilation from VitalTalk (Seattle) providing some practical advice on how to talk about difficult topics related to COVID-19.</p>	Added 20 March
		<p>COVID-19: Effective communication for professionals (RED-MAP resources)</p> <p>RED-MAP is a 6-step approach to conversations about planning care, deteriorating health and dying developed in Scotland and with SPICT partners in the UK and internationally.</p>	01 April, record last updated 29 May

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		<p>https://www.ec4h.org.uk/covid-19-effective-communication-for-professionals/</p> <p>New additions to this page include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - a RED-MAP guide to talking with care home residents - a poster and RCPE webinar from Dr Juliet Spiller based on the guidance on Visiting when people are dying. This is linked to a generic model for shared decision-making called DECIDE developed with NHS Education for Scotland - 'Talking on the phone', a poster about communication by phone. <p>Effective Communication for Healthcare. <i>COVID-19: Effective communication for professionals (RED-MAP resources)</i>. NHS Scotland [Online]</p>	
	Talking to children	<p>Coronavirus - a book for children. Written by Elizabeth Jenner, Kate Wilson and Nia Roberts, with illustrations by Axel Scheffler</p> <p>https://nosycrow.com/blog/released-today-free-information-book-explaining-coronavirus-children-illustrated-gruffalo-illustrator-axel-scheffler</p> <p><i>A free digital information book for primary school age children to help explain the coronavirus and the measures taken to control it.</i></p>	08 April
		<p>Talking to children about illness (from the British Psychological Society)</p> <p>https://www.bps.org.uk/news-and-policy/advice-talking-children-about-illness</p> <p>British Psychology Society. <i>Advice on talking to children about illness</i>. [News item 25 March 2020] [Online]</p>	29 April
	Keeping in touch	<p>Keeping in touch when you can't be with someone who may die</p> <p>https://nationalbereavementalliance.org.uk/keeping-in-touch-when-someone-is-seriously-ill/</p> <p>National Bereavement Alliance, Childhood Bereavement Network & Association of Palliative Care Social Workers (2020) <i>Keeping in touch when you can't be with someone who is so ill that they might die</i>. London: Childhood Bereavement Network</p>	15 April
		<p>How to support your loved one if you can't visit them in person</p> <p>https://www.mariecurie.org.uk/blog/how-to-support-your-loved-one-if-you-cant-visit-them-in-person/270458</p>	Added 24 March

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		Marie Curie Talkabout. <i>How to support your loved one if you can't visit them in person</i> [Blog post] 2020 Mar 16	
	Planning and decision-making	<p>Support during the COVID-19 pandemic</p> <p>https://www.goodlifedeathgrief.org.uk/content/support_with_covid19/</p> <p><i>Information for people in Scotland who may be worried that they, or someone they care about, is at increased risk of getting seriously ill from COVID-19. Topics include: Care and treatment available for people at home, hospital and in care homes; How decisions are made about care and treatment; Plans people can make if they're worried about becoming seriously ill with COVID-19; and how a friend or family member can help someone who is very ill.</i></p> <p>Good Life, Good Death, Good Grief. <i>COVID-19: hoping for the best, planning for the worst.</i> Scottish Partnership for Palliative Care [Online]</p>	Updated 29 May
		<p>Advance care planning guidance and template</p> <p><i>Guidance notes for completing 'My COVID-19 Advance Care Plan'.</i></p> <p>https://www.england.nhs.uk/coronavirus/publication/advance-care-planning-guidance-and-template/</p> <p>NHS England and NHS Improvement. <i>Advance care planning guidance and template.</i> [Online] [Updated 11 May]</p>	Added 18 May
		<p>Joint statement on advance care planning in Wales</p> <p>From Healthcare Inspectorate Wales & Care Inspectorate Wales</p> <p>https://hiw.org.uk/joint-statement-advance-care-planning-wales</p> <p>Healthcare Inspectorate Wales & Care Inspectorate Wales. <i>Joint statement on advance care planning in Wales.</i> Healthcare Inspectorate Wales [Online]</p>	Added 23 April
		<p>Anticipatory Care Planning for COVID-19</p> <p>https://ihub.scot/acp-covid-19</p> <p>Resources include 'Essential Anticipatory Care Planning Guidance and Template'</p>	Record last updated 11 May

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		Healthcare Improvement Scotland iHub. <i>Anticipatory Care Planning for COVID-19</i> [Online] [Updated 06 May]	
		<p>Gold Standards Framework: Advance Care Planning in 5 simple steps</p> <p>https://goldstandardsframework.org.uk/advance-care-planning</p> <p>Gold Standards Framework. <i>Advance care planning</i>. [Online]</p>	22 April
		<p>Talking about Advance Care Planning and Coronavirus</p> <p><i>Resource for people with learning disabilities</i></p> <p>https://www.pcpld.org/wp-content/uploads/ACP-Guidance-for-Coronavirus-and-Learning-Disabilities-.pdf</p> <p>Mary Stevens Hospice. <i>Talking about Advance Care Planning and Coronavirus</i>. PCPLD Network [Online]</p>	22 April
	Dying phase		
		<p>End of life care guidance when a person is imminently dying from Covid-19 lung disease [Scottish Palliative Care Guidelines]</p> <p>https://www.palliativecareguidelines.scot.nhs.uk/guidelines/symptom-control/end-of-life-care-guidance-when-a-person-is-imminently-dying-from-covid-19-lung-disease.aspx</p> <p>Scottish Palliative Care Guidelines. <i>End of life care guidance when a person is imminently dying from Covid-19 lung disease</i>. NHSScotland [Online] [Page updated 12 May]</p>	Added 06 April, record last updated 15 May
	Care after death		
		<p>Guidance for care of the deceased</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-guidance-for-care-of-the-deceased</p> <p><i>Advice primarily designed to assist people required to manage bodies of deceased persons infected with coronavirus (COVID-19).</i></p> <p>Public Health England (2020) <i>Guidance for care of the deceased with suspected or confirmed coronavirus (COVID-19)</i>. GOV.UK [Online] [Updated 12 May]</p>	Added 01 April, record last updated 15 May

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		<p>Guidance for local death management: coronavirus (COVID-19) [Welsh Government]</p> <p>https://gov.wales/guidance-local-death-management-coronavirus-covid-19</p> <p>Welsh Government. <i>Guidance for local death management: coronavirus (COVID-19)</i>. [Online] [Updated 20 May]</p>	<p>Added 28 April, record last updated 29 May</p>
	Verification & certification		
		<p>Coronavirus (COVID-19): verification of death in times of emergency</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-verification-of-death-in-times-of-emergency</p> <p>Department of Health and Social Care. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): verification of death in times of emergency</i>. GOV.UK [Online]</p>	<p>Added 06 May</p>
		<p>Special edition of Care After Death: Registered Nurse Verification of Expected Adult Death (RNVoEAD) guidance</p> <p>Available from: https://www.hospiceuk.org/what-we-offer/publications</p> <p>[Updated 28 April 2020].</p>	<p>Added 28 April</p>
		<p>Excess death provisions: information and guidance for medical practitioners</p> <p>https://improvement.nhs.uk/resources/establishing-medical-examiner-system-nhs/#h2-coronavirus-act-excess-death-provisions-information-and-guidance-for-medical-practitioners</p> <p>NHS Improvement. <i>The national medical examiner system</i> [Online] Updated 01 April 2020</p>	<p>01 April</p>
		<p>New national medical examiner system for England and Wales</p> <p>https://improvement.nhs.uk/resources/establishing-medical-examiner-system-nhs/</p> <p>NHS Improvement. <i>The national medical examiner system</i> [Online] Updated 01 April 2020</p>	<p>Added 01 April</p>
		<p>Registration of deaths (Scotland)</p> <p>https://www.nrscotland.gov.uk/registration/registering-a-death</p>	<p>Added 01 April</p>

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		<p>National Records of Scotland. <i>Registration services during the COVID-19 pandemic</i> [Online]</p> <p>Provision of the Medical Certificate Of Cause Of Death (MCCD) to Registrars 7 days a week, during the COVID-19 pandemic (Scotland)</p> <p>https://www.sehd.scot.nhs.uk/cmo/CMO(2020)12.pdf</p> <p>Interim Chief Medical Officer. <i>Provision of the Medical Certificate Of Cause Of Death (MCCD) to Registrars 7 days a week, during the covid-19 pandemic.</i> Scottish Government [Online] [Issued 20 April 2020]</p> <p>Check the Scottish Government Health and Social Care Directorates website for further updates and guidance on death certification: https://www.sehd.scot.nhs.uk/</p>	<p>Added 05 May, record last updated 29 May</p>
		<p>COVID-19: transfer of medical certificates of cause of death: guidance for doctors (Scotland)</p> <p>https://www.gov.scot/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-transfer-of-medical-certificates-of-cause-of-death---guidance-for-doctors/</p> <p>Scottish Government. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): transfer of medical certificates of cause of death - guidance for doctors</i> [Online]</p>	<p>Added 30 April</p>
	Funerals	<p>Guidance for managing a funeral during the coronavirus pandemic</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-guidance-for-managing-a-funeral-during-the-coronavirus-pandemic</p> <p>Public Health England. <i>COVID-19: guidance for managing a funeral during the coronavirus pandemic.</i> GOV.UK [Online] [Updated 18 May]</p> <p>COVID-19: guidance for funeral services [Scottish Government]</p> <p>https://www.gov.scot/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-guidance-for-funeral-services/</p> <p>Scottish Government. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): guidance for funeral services</i> [Online]</p> <p>COVID-19: guidance for funeral directors [Scottish Government]</p> <p>https://www.gov.scot/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-guidance-for-funeral-directors/</p>	<p>Added 21 April, record last updated 27 May</p> <p>Added 22 April</p> <p>Added 22 April, record last updated 15 May</p>

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		<p>Scottish Government. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): guidance for funeral directors</i> [Online] [Updated 13 May]</p> <p>COVID-19: guidance for burial and cremation authorities [Scottish Government]</p> <p>https://www.gov.scot/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-guidance-for-burial-and-cremation-authorities/</p> <p>Scottish Government. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): guidance for burial and cremation authorities.</i> [Online]</p>	<p>Added 22 April</p>
		<p>COVID-19: guidance to local authorities on funerals [Welsh Government]</p> <p>https://gov.wales/covid-19-guidance-local-authorities-funerals</p> <p>Welsh Government. <i>Guidance to local authorities on the impact of the Health Protection (Coronavirus Restrictions) (Wales) Regulations 2020 on funerals.</i> [Online] [Updated 05 May]</p>	<p>Added 28 April, record last updated 11 May</p>
		<p>Attending funerals during the coronavirus pandemic [Welsh Government]</p> <p>https://gov.wales/attending-funerals-during-coronavirus-pandemic</p> <p>Welsh Government. <i>Attending funerals during the coronavirus pandemic</i> [Online] [Updated 18 May]</p>	<p>Added 28 April, record last updated 29 May</p>
		<p>Coronavirus: organising a meaningful funeral</p> <p>https://quakersocialaction.org.uk/we-can-help/helping-funerals/down-earth/coronavirus-organising-meaningful-funeral</p> <p>Quaker Social Action. <i>Down to earth: Coronavirus: organising a meaningful funeral</i> [Online]</p>	<p>15 April</p>
		<p>Creating spaces to say goodbye and to grieve in the time of Covid19</p> <p>https://brumyodo.org.uk/uncategorized/creating-spaces-to-say-goodbye-and-to-grieve-in-the-time-of-covid19/</p> <p>Lock A. (2020) <i>Creating spaces to say goodbye and to grieve in the time of Covid19.</i> [Blog post] BrumYODO April 15</p>	<p>15 April</p>
	Bereavement		
		Marie Curie: Telephone bereavement support.	12 March

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	(See also Staff Support section below)	<p>https://www.mariecurie.org.uk/help/support/telephone-bereavement-support</p> <p>Coronavirus: dealing with bereavement and grief</p> <p>https://www.cruse.org.uk/get-help/coronavirus-dealing-bereavement-and-grief</p> <p><i>A collection of resources to share how bereavement and grief may be affected by this pandemic. It covers some of the different situations and emotions bereaved people may have to deal with.</i></p> <p>Cruse Bereavement Care. <i>Coronavirus: dealing with bereavement and grief</i> [Online]</p>	Added 07 April
		<p>COVID-19 bereavement resources (Public Health Agency, Northern Ireland)</p> <p>https://www.publichealth.hscni.net/publications/covid-19-bereavement-resources</p> <p>Public Health Agency. COVID-19 bereavement resources. [Online]</p>	22 April
		<p>Fortnightly national webinar for bereavement service managers</p> <p>Bereavement services and COVID-19 webinar registration</p> <p>12:00-13:00 (on Thursdays), from the National Bereavement Alliance and Childhood Bereavement Network</p>	01 April, record last updated 29 May
		<p>A bereavement charter for children and adults in Scotland</p> <p>https://scottishcare.org/bereavement/</p> <p><i>A bereavement charter for children and adults in Scotland.</i> Scottish Care [Online]</p>	Added 15 April
		<p>Bereavement support recommendations for hospital clinicians</p> <p>Selman LE, Chao D, Sowden R, Marshall S, Chamberlain C, Koffman J (2020) Bereavement support on the frontline of COVID-19: recommendations for hospital clinicians. <i>Journal of Pain and Symptom Management</i> [Article in press] doi: https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jpainsymman.2020.04.024 https://www.jpsmjournal.com/article/S0885-3924(20)30244-X/fulltext</p>	Added 05 May
	Support for children	<p>Resources from the Childhood Bereavement Network</p> <p>Covid-19: supporting bereaved children and young people</p> <p>http://www.childhoodbereavementnetwork.org.uk/help-around-a-death/covid-19.aspx</p>	29 April, record last updated 29 May

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		<p>Growing in Grief Awareness programme <i>This programme from the Childhood Bereavement Network is a whole-school framework, free to primary and secondary, special and mainstream schools across the UK.</i> http://www.childhoodbereavementnetwork.org.uk/campaigns/growing-in-grief-awareness.aspx</p> <p>Postcard to help bereaved young people reach out for support from school http://www.childhoodbereavementnetwork.org.uk/help-around-a-death/what-you-can-do-for-young-people.aspx (<i>Scroll down to the orange coloured postcard</i>)</p> <p>Resources on training school staff, lesson plans and pastoral support http://www.childhoodbereavementnetwork.org.uk/schools.aspx</p>	
		<p>Supporting children through coronavirus (Winston's Wish)</p> <p><i>Information, advice and guidance on supporting bereaved children and young people during the coronavirus outbreak</i></p> <p>https://www.winstonswish.org/coronavirus/</p> <p>Winston's Wish. <i>Supporting children through coronavirus</i> [Online]</p>	29 April
		<p>Bereaved children with SEND (Winston's Wish)</p> <p><i>Resources about supporting children and young people who have special educational needs and disabilities after the death of a loved one.</i></p> <p>https://www.winstonswish.org/supporting-children-with-send/</p> <p>Winston's Wish. <i>Bereaved children with SEND.</i> [Online]</p>	29 April
Settings			
		<p>Coronavirus (COVID-19): palliative care toolkit (Scottish Government)</p> <p>https://www.gov.scot/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-palliative-care-toolkit/</p> <p>Chief Medical Officer Directorate. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): palliative care toolkit.</i> Scottish Government. [Online]</p>	Added 30 April
	Community	<p>Novel coronavirus (COVID-19) standard operating procedure: Community health services</p>	Added 21 April

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		<p>https://www.england.nhs.uk/coronavirus/publication/novel-coronavirus-covid-19-standard-operating-procedure-community-health-services/</p> <p>NHS England and NHS Improvement. <i>Novel coronavirus (COVID-19) standard operating procedure: Community health services</i>. [Version 1] [Online]</p>	
		<p>COVID-19 prioritisation within community health services</p> <p>https://www.england.nhs.uk/coronavirus/publication/covid-19-prioritisation-within-community-health-services-with-annex_19-march-2020/</p> <p>NHS England and NHS Improvement. <i>COVID-19 prioritisation within community health services</i> [Online]</p>	<p>Added 21 April</p>
		<p>COVID-19 rapid guideline: managing symptoms (including at the end of life) in the community</p> <p>https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng163</p> <p>National Institute for Health and Care Excellence. <i>COVID-19 rapid guideline: managing symptoms (including at the end of life) in the community</i>. [NG163]. NICE [Updated 30 April] For more NICE guidelines, see 'General' section on p.5 above</p>	<p>Added 06 April</p>
		<p>Coronavirus (COVID-19): nursing and community health staff guidance (Scotland)</p> <p>https://www.gov.scot/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-nursing-and-community-health-staff-guidance/</p> <p>Chief Nursing Officer Directorate. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): nursing and community health staff guidance</i>. Scottish Government [Online]</p>	<p>Added 08 April</p>
		<p>COVID-19: provision of home care</p> <p><i>This resource brings together guidance related to coronavirus and home care in England.</i></p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-providing-home-care/coronavirus-covid-19-provision-of-home-care</p> <p>Department of Health & Social Care. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): providing home care</i>. [Online]</p>	<p>Added 27 April</p>

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		<p>COVID-19 resource hub: end of life care (RCGP)</p> <p>https://elearning.rcgp.org.uk/mod/page/view.php?id=10389</p> <p>Royal College of General Practitioners. <i>COVID-19 resource hub: palliative care</i> [Online]</p>	Added 01 April
		<p>Coronavirus: primary care (NHS England and NHS Improvement)</p> <p>https://www.england.nhs.uk/coronavirus/primary-care/</p> <p>NHS England and NHS Improvement. <i>Primary care</i> [Online]</p>	Added 27 March
		<p>COVID-19: guidance for stepdown of infection control precautions within hospitals and discharging COVID-19 patients from hospital to home settings</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-guidance-for-stepdown-of-infection-control-precautions-within-hospitals-and-discharging-covid-19-patients-from-hospital-to-home-settings</p> <p>Public Health England. <i>COVID-19: guidance for stepdown of infection control precautions within hospitals and discharging COVID-19 patients from hospital to home settings</i>. GOV.UK [Online] [Updated 20 May]</p>	Added 15 April, record last updated 22 May
		<p>COVID-19: hospital discharge service requirements</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-hospital-discharge-service-requirements</p> <p>Department of Health & Social Care. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): hospital discharge service requirements</i>. GOV.UK [Online] [Updated 13 May]</p>	Added 15 May
	Care homes	<p>COVID-19: how to work safely in care homes</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-how-to-work-safely-in-care-homes</p> <p>Public Health England. <i>COVID-19: how to work safely in care homes</i>. GOV.UK [Online] [Updated 27 April]</p>	Added 11 May
		<p>COVID-19: admission and care of people in care homes</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-admission-and-care-of-people-in-care-homes</p>	Added 08 April, record last updated 22 May

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		Department of Health & Social Care, Care Quality Commission, Public Health England & NHS England. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): admission and care of people in care homes</i> . GOV.UK [Online] [Updated 19 May]	
		<p>Managing the COVID-19 pandemic in care homes for older people</p> <p>https://www.bgs.org.uk/resources/covid-19-managing-the-covid-19-pandemic-in-care-homes</p> <p>British Geriatrics Society. <i>COVID-19: Managing the COVID-19 pandemic in care homes for older people</i> [Online] [Updated 14 April]</p>	Added 01 April
		<p>COVID-19: clinical and practice guidance for adult care homes (Scotland)</p> <p>https://www.gov.scot/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-clinical-and-practice-guidance-for-adult-care-homes/</p> <p>Scottish Government. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): clinical and practice guidance for adult care homes</i>. [Online]</p>	Added 19 May
		<p>COVID-19: Information and guidance for care home settings (Scotland)</p> <p>https://www.hps.scot.nhs.uk/web-resources-container/covid-19-information-and-guidance-for-care-home-settings/</p> <p>Health Protection Scotland. <i>COVID-19 - Information and guidance for care home settings</i> [Online] [Version 1.3, issued 20 May 2020]</p>	Added 05 May, record last updated 29 May
		<p>Dementia in care homes and COVID-19</p> <p>https://www.scie.org.uk/care-providers/coronavirus-covid-19/dementia/care-homes</p> <p>Social Care Institute for Excellence. <i>Dementia in care homes and COVID-19</i>. [Online]</p>	Added 18 May
		<p>Future planning</p> <p>https://www.futureplanning.org.uk</p> <p>[Referenced in 12 March ECHO conversation about support for care homes with documentation for managing use of CS meds.]</p>	12 March
	Housing sector	<p>COVID-19: Tips for the housing sector on end of life care</p> <p>https://www.housinglin.org.uk/Topics/type/COVID-19-Tips-for-housing-sector-on-end-of-life-care/</p>	Added 15 April

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		Housing LIN. <i>Resource library: COVID-19: Tips for the housing sector on end of life care</i> [Online]	
	Social care	Coronavirus (COVID-19) advice for social care https://www.scie.org.uk/care-providers/coronavirus-covid-19 Social Care Institute for Excellence. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19) advice for social care</i> [Online]	Added 21 April
		Coronavirus (COVID-19): adult social care action plan (England) https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-adult-social-care-action-plan Department of Health & Social Care. <i>COVID-19: our action plan for adult social care</i> . GOV.UK [Online]	Added 16 April
		Supporting end of life care in social care settings during Covid-19 <i>Resources and guidance</i> https://socialcare.wales/service-improvement/supporting-end-of-life-care-in-social-care-settings-during-covid-19 Social Care Wales. <i>Supporting end of life care in social care settings during Covid-19</i> . [Online]	13 May
	Hospitals		
		Clinical guide for the management of palliative care in hospital https://www.england.nhs.uk/coronavirus/publication/specialty-guides/ NHS England and NHS Improvement. <i>Clinical guide for the management of palliative care in hospital during the coronavirus pandemic</i> . [Specialty guides for patient management during the coronavirus pandemic] NHS England and NHS Improvement [22 April]	Added 01 April
		COVID-19: management of exposed staff and patients in health and social care settings https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-management-of-exposed-healthcare-workers-and-patients-in-hospital-settings Public Health England. <i>COVID-19: management of exposed staff and patients in health and social care settings</i> [Online] [Updated 22 May]	Added 08 April, record last updated 29 May

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		<p>Managing critically ill adults with COVID-19 in the intensive care unit</p> <p>Alhazzani W, Møller M H., Arabi Y M. et al. (2020) Surviving Sepsis Campaign: guidelines on the management of critically ill adults with Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19). <i>Intensive Care Med</i> 46: 854–887 https://doi.org/10.1007/s00134-020-06022-5</p>	<p>Added 25 March, record last updated 15 May</p>
System-wide issues			
		<p>Second phase of NHS response to COVID-19: Letter from Sir Simon Stevens and Amanda Pritchard</p> <p>https://www.england.nhs.uk/coronavirus/publication/second-phase-of-nhs-response-to-covid-19-letter-from-simon-stevens-and-amanda-pritchard/</p> <p><i>Second phase of NHS response to COVID-19: Letter from Sir Simon Stevens and Amanda Pritchard.</i> [Issued 29 April] NHS England and NHS Improvement [Online]</p>	<p>Added 29 April</p>
		<p>Changes to the way CQC is working during the outbreak</p> <p>https://www.cqc.org.uk/news/providers/coronavirus-covid-19-information</p> <p>Care Quality Commission. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19) information</i> [Online]</p>	<p>Added 01 April</p>
		<p>COVID-19: ethical advice and support framework (from Scotland's Chief Medical Officer)</p> <p>https://www.gov.scot/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-ethical-advice-and-support-framework/</p> <p>Chief Medical Officer Directorate. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): ethical advice and support framework.</i> Scottish Government [Online]</p>	<p>Added 06 April</p>
		<p>Coronavirus: ethical values and principles for healthcare delivery framework</p> <p><i>Guidance for healthcare services when making decisions during the coronavirus outbreak. issued by the Welsh Government</i></p> <p>https://gov.wales/coronavirus-ethical-values-and-principles-healthcare-delivery-framework</p> <p>Welsh Government. <i>Coronavirus: ethical values and principles for healthcare delivery framework</i> [Online] [Updated 30 April]</p>	<p>Added 14 April, record last updated 11 May</p>

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		<p>Maintaining standards and quality of care in pressurised circumstances: Letter from Prof. Stephen Powis and Ruth May</p> <p>https://www.england.nhs.uk/coronavirus/publication/maintaining-standards-pressurised-circumstances/</p> <p>NHS England and NHS Improvement. <i>Maintaining standards and quality of care in pressurised circumstances: Letter from Professor Stephen Powis and Ruth May.</i> [Online]</p>	Added 15 April
		<p>Briefing on the Coronavirus Act 2020</p> <p>Prepared by Hospice UK (2 April 2020)</p> <p>Hospice UK (2020) <i>Briefing on the Coronavirus Act 2020.</i> [London]: Hospice UK</p>	Added 06 April
Information support & research collections			
		<p>Coronavirus (COVID-19): what you need to do</p> <p><i>Pulls together advice on topics such as employment and school closures.</i></p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus</p> <p>GOV.UK. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): what you need to do.</i> GOV.UK [Online]</p>	Added 01 April
		<p>Palliative care guidelines plus</p> <p>https://book.pallcare.info/</p> <p>Back I, Watson M, Armstrong P, Gannon C, Sykes N. (eds.) (2020) <i>Palliative care guidelines plus</i> [Online]</p>	25 March
		<p>The CovPall study</p> <p><i>A new study, led by Prof Irene Higginson, that is trying to understand more about how palliative care services and hospices are responding to the COVID-19 pandemic, the problems that services and patients and families/those affected by COVID-19 are facing, and how to best respond</i></p> <p>https://www.kcl.ac.uk/cicelysaunders/research/evaluating/covpall-study</p>	29 April
		<p>Oxford COVID-19 Evidence Service</p>	Added 01 April

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		https://www.cebm.net/covid-19/ Centre for Evidence-based Medicine. <i>Oxford COVID-19 Evidence Service</i> [Online]	
		Coronavirus (COVID-19) - Cochrane resources and news https://www.cochrane.org/coronavirus-covid-19-cochrane-resources-and-news#SC The Cochrane Collaboration. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19) - Cochrane resources and news</i> [Online]	Added 01 April
		EAPC information repository: Coronavirus and the palliative care response https://www.eapcnet.eu/publications/coronavirus-and-the-palliative-care-response Note that medications recommended will vary from UK practice, and the pathways/operational guidance reflect local requirements	18 March
		Marie Curie: Palliative care knowledge zone: Coronavirus and end of life care https://www.mariecurie.org.uk/professionals/palliative-care-knowledge-zone/proving-good-quality-care/covid-19 Marie Curie. <i>Palliative care knowledge zone: Coronavirus and end of life care</i> [Online] [Updated 22 May]	Added 01 April, record last updated 29 May
		The Lancet COVID-19 Resource Centre (not palliative care specific) https://www.thelancet.com/coronavirus	18 March
		Scottish Partnership for Palliative Care <i>A collection of guidance and resources from Scotland, the UK and beyond relating to COVID-19</i> https://www.palliativecarescotland.org.uk/content/coronavirus---latest/	Added 27 March
		COVID-19 information for health & social care professionals (Northern Ireland) https://pcip.hscni.net/covid-19/information-for-hsc-professionals/ Palliative Care in Partnership. <i>COVID-19 information for health & social care professionals.</i> [Online]	22 April

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		<p>Information for health and social care professionals: Wales</p> <p>https://phw.nhs.wales/topics/latest-information-on-novel-coronavirus-covid-19/information-for-healthcare-workers-in-wales/</p> <p>Public Health Wales. <i>Information for health and social care professionals – Wales</i>. [Online]</p>	Added 18 May
		<p>Data and analysis on COVID-19 in the UK</p> <p>https://www.ons.gov.uk/peoplepopulationandcommunity/healthandsocialcare/conditionsanddiseases</p> <p>Office for National Statistics. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19)</i> [Online]</p>	Added 01 April
		<p>NHS Providers. (April 2020) <i>Confronting coronavirus in the NHS: the story so far</i>. [Briefing]</p> <p>https://nhsproviders.org/confronting-coronavirus-in-the-nhs</p>	Added 21 April
		<p>Coronavirus resources for the public: accessible formats</p> <p>https://library.nhs.uk/coronavirus-resources/accessible-formats-2/</p> <p>Library and Knowledge Services. <i>Coronavirus resources for the public: accessible formats</i>. Health Education England [Online]</p>	Added 21 May
		<p>Information videos for frail and at risk members of the public</p> <p>https://apmonline.org/news-events/covid-19-resources-for-the-public/</p> <p><i>The Association for Palliative Medicine’s website hosts videos by Dr Justin Amery aimed at frail and at risk members of the public to provide information, and to help answer some of the questions they may have regarding COVID-19.</i></p> <p>Association for Palliative Medicine. <i>Coronavirus worst case scenario planning</i> [Online]</p>	01 April
		<p>COVID-19 resources for people living with cancer</p> <p>https://www.macmillan.org.uk/coronavirus</p> <p>Macmillan Cancer Support. <i>Coronavirus</i> [Online]</p>	Added 15 April
	Learning from pandemics		

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		<p>The role and response of palliative care and hospice services in epidemics and pandemics: a rapid review to inform practice during the COVID-19 pandemic</p> <p>https://www.jpsmjournal.com/article/S0885-3924(20)30182-2/fulltext</p> <p>Etkind S N, Bone A E, Lovell N, Cripps R L et al (2020) The role and response of palliative care and hospice services in epidemics and pandemics: a rapid review to inform practice during the COVID-19 pandemic. <i>J Pain and Symptom Management</i> [Article in press] DOI: https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jpainsymman.2020.03.029</p>	Added 14 April
		<p>Learning from hospices in Italy</p> <p>Costantini M, Sleeman K E, Peruselli,C, Higginson I J. (2020) Response and role of palliative care during the COVID-19 pandemic: a national telephone survey of hospices in Italy. <i>Palliative Medicine</i> Published online: April 29, 2020 Doi: https://doi.org/10.1177/0269216320920780</p>	25 March, record last updated 29 May
		<p>Approaches to planning palliative care in a pandemic</p> <p>https://www.jpsmjournal.com/article/S0885-3924(09)01143-9/fulltext</p> <p>Downar J & Seccareccia D (2010) Palliating a pandemic: “all patients must be cared for”. <i>J Pain & Symptom Management</i> 39(2): 291-295</p>	18 March
		<p>The challenge of providing holistic care in a viral epidemic: opportunities for palliative care.</p> <p>Leong IY-O, Lee A O-K, Ng T W, Lee L B, et al (2004). The challenge of providing holistic care in a viral epidemic: opportunities for palliative care. <i>Palliative Medicine</i> 18(1): 12–18. Doi: https://doi.org/10.1191/0269216304pm859oa</p>	Added 18 March
		<p>Palliative care needs of people affected by natural hazards, political or ethnic conflict, epidemics of life-threatening infections, and other humanitarian crises.</p> <p>https://oxfordmedicine.com/view/10.1093/med/9780190066529.001.0001/med-9780190066529-chapter-2</p> <p>Care of the dying patient.</p>	Added 18 March

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		https://oxfordmedicine.com/view/10.1093/med/9780190066529.001.0001/med-9780190066529-chapter-9 From: Waldman E & Glass M. (eds.) (2019) A field manual for palliative care in humanitarian crises. New York: Oxford University Press – <i>These chapters have been made open access to assist with care during COVID-19</i>	
		Coronavirus (COVID-19) status checker https://www.nhs.uk/coronavirus-status-checker <i>A survey to help the NHS understand more about how and where coronavirus (COVID-19) is affecting people currently.</i> NHS. <i>Tell the NHS about your current experience of coronavirus</i> [Online]	Added 7 April
Workforce			
	Education & training		
		Coronavirus (COVID-19) awareness course (for those working in public sector) https://www.skillsforhealth.org.uk/covid-19-course Skills for Health. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19) awareness course</i> [Online]	25 March
		e-Learning for Healthcare: Coronavirus learning programme for health & care workforce https://www.e-lfh.org.uk/programmes/coronavirus/ e-Learning for Healthcare. <i>Coronavirus) programme.</i> [Online]	27 March
		COVID-19: CPR & resuscitation for those teaching resuscitation techniques https://www.resus.org.uk/media/statements/resuscitation-council-uk-statements-on-covid-19-coronavirus-cpr-and-resuscitation/covid-training/ Resuscitation Council (UK). <i>Resuscitation Council UK Statement on COVID-19 in relation to CPR and resuscitation for those teaching resuscitation techniques</i> [Online], 4 March 2020	Added 20 March
		Information, resources, and e-learning to support professionals during the COVID-19 pandemic (from Macmillan Cancer Support)	Added 15 April

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		<p>https://learnzone.org.uk/coronavirus/</p> <p>Macmillan Cancer Support. <i>Coronavirus Resources Information, resources, and e-learning to support professionals during the COVID-19 pandemic</i> [Online]</p>	
	Groups		
	Carers	<p>Guidance for those who provide unpaid care to friends or family</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-providing-unpaid-care/guidance-for-those-who-provide-unpaid-care-to-friends-or-family</p> <p>Department of Health & Social Care. <i>Guidance for those who provide unpaid care to friends or family</i>. GOV.UK [Online]</p>	Added 21 April
		<p>Caring for your dying relative at home with COVID-19</p> <p>https://www.hospiceuk.org/what-we-offer/clinical-and-care-support/what-to-expect/caring-for-your-dying-relative-at-home-with-covid-19</p> <p>Finlay I. (2020) <i>Caring for your dying relative at home with COVID-19</i>. Hospice UK [Updated 08 April]</p>	Record last updated 08 April
		<p>End-of-life Care toolkits for carers at home</p> <p>https://helixcentre.com/project-end-of-life-toolkit</p> <p><i>The Helix Centre has 'designed a series of toolkits with Central North West London NHS Trust & Bangor University that can be used by any and all NHS Trusts, community teams, care homes and hospices.'</i></p> <p>See also: Carer administration of as-needed subcutaneous medicines [listed above]</p>	25 March
		<p>End of life care during coronavirus (Marie Curie)</p> <p><i>An online information hub for carers</i></p> <p>https://www.mariecurie.org.uk/help/support/coronavirus</p> <p>Marie Curie. <i>End of life care during coronavirus</i>. [Online]</p>	29 April
		<p>Supporting informal carers during the COVID-19 Pandemic</p>	Added 07 April

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		Available from the RCGP COVID-19 resource hub (end of life care): https://elearning.rcgp.org.uk/mod/page/view.php?id=10537 (see under 'external resources')	
		Farquhar M, Ewing G & Grande G. on behalf of the NIHR ARC Palliative and End of Life Care theme (2020) <i>Supporting informal carers during the COVID-19 pandemic</i> . [Online]	
		Coronavirus guidance for carers https://www.carersuk.org/help-and-advice/health/looking-after-your-health/coronavirus-covid-19 Carers UK. <i>Coronavirus guidance for carers</i> [Online] [Updated 28 May]	Added 24 March, record last updated 29 May
		Videos for carers on moving and handling (St Luke's Hospice, Harrow & Brent) https://www.stlukes-hospice.org/families-carers/resources-for-carers-during-covid-19-pandemic St Luke's Hospice. <i>Resources for carers during Covid pandemic</i> [Online]	15 April
	Doctors	COVID-19: ethical issues (guidance from the British Medical Association) https://www.bma.org.uk/advice-and-support/covid-19/ethics/covid-19-ethical-issues BMA. <i>COVID-19: ethical issues</i> [Online] [Update 12 May]	Added 07 April, record last updated 15 May
		Guidance on granting interim practising privileges to NHS consultants https://www.cqc.org.uk/news/stories/fast-track-process-granting-practising-privileges-independent-sector Care Quality Commission. <i>Fast-track process for granting practising privileges in independent sector</i> . [News item published 30 March]	Added 01 April
		General Medical Council: COVID-19 - information and advice https://www.gmc-uk.org/news/news-archive/coronavirus-information-and-advice GMC. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19) – information and advice</i> [Online]	Added 03 April
	Nurses	NMC's role as a regulator during COVID-19 outbreak https://www.nmc.org.uk/COVID19 Nursing & Midwifery Council. <i>Coronavirus (Covid-19): information and advice</i> [Online]	Added 01 April

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	HR		
		<p>Responding to COVID-19 (Chartered Institute of Personnel and Development)</p> <p>https://www.cipd.co.uk/news-views/coronavirus</p> <p>CIPD. <i>Responding to the coronavirus</i> [Online] [Last reviewed 28 May]</p>	Record last updated 16 April 29 May
		<p>The Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme (HM Revenue & Customs)</p> <p>Employers' guidance on the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme. Addresses volunteer work by employees.</p> <p>HM Revenue & Customs. <i>Check if you can claim for your employees' wages through the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme.</i> GOV.UK [Online] [Updated 14 May]</p>	Added 14 April, record last updated 15 May
		<p>Government's Business Support Helplines (4 nations)</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/business-support-helpline</p> <p>GOV.UK. <i>Get help and support for your business</i> [Online]</p>	Added 14 April
		<p>CIPD: HR Inform – Job Retention Scheme (for advice on issues including annual leave)</p> <p>https://www.hr-inform.co.uk/news-article/faqs-on-furlough-and-the-job-retention-scheme</p> <p>CIPD: HR Inform. <i>FAQs on furlough and the Job Retention Scheme.</i> Croner Group Ltd. [Online] [Updated 15 May]</p>	Added 14 April, record last updated 29 May
		<p>COVID-19: interim guidance on DBS and other recruitment checks (Care Quality Commission)</p> <p>https://www.cqc.org.uk/guidance-providers/all-services/covid-19-interim-guidance-dbs-other-recruitment-checks</p> <p>Care Quality Commission. <i>COVID-19: interim guidance on DBS and other recruitment checks.</i> [Online] [Updated 19 May]</p>	Added 15 April, record last updated 29 May
	Staff wellbeing		
	Pregnancy	Coronavirus (COVID-19) infection and pregnancy	14 April, record last

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		https://www.rcog.org.uk/en/guidelines-research-services/guidelines/coronavirus-pregnancy/ Royal College of Obstetricians & Gynaecologists (2020) Coronavirus (COVID-19) infection and pregnancy. [Version 9] [Online] [Updated 13 May]	updated 29 May
	Staff support	Mental health helpline Telephone: 0300 131 7000 or staff can text FRONTLINE to 85258. The phone line is open between 7am and 11pm every day, while the text service is 24/7. https://www.nhsemployers.org/news/2020/04/new-staff-health-and-wellbeing-support	Added 09 April
		Our Frontline <i>A combination of 1-2-1 support and online resources to support the mental health of NHS workers, carers, the Blue Light emergency services and key workers.</i> https://www.mentalhealthatwork.org.uk/ourfrontline/ <i>Our Frontline is a partnership between Shout, Samaritans, Mind, Hospice UK and The Royal Foundation of the Duke and Duchess of Cambridge.</i>	Added 22 April
		Covid-19 Resilience Hub http://covid.minded.org.uk/ <i>Advice and tips for front line staff in the NHS and care services to help manage mental health and wellbeing</i> <i>Covid-19 resilience hub. Health Education England [Online]</i>	Added 22 April
		COVID-19: health and wellbeing of the adult social care workforce https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-health-and-wellbeing-of-the-adult-social-care-workforce Department of Health & Social Care. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): health and wellbeing of the adult social care workforce.</i> GOV.UK [Online]	Added 18 May
		National wellbeing hub for people working in health and social care in Scotland https://www.promis.scot/	Added 18 May

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		<p>Stress coping and resilience: advice for health and care professionals (film) https://vimeo.com/404555356 Cochrane C. <i>Stress coping and resilience: advice for health and care professionals</i>. [Film: 6 mins.] NHS Education for Scotland</p>	Added 07 April
		<p>Project5 (Free mental wellbeing support for NHS staff and key supporters) https://www.project5.org/ <i>Includes collection of self-help resources</i></p>	27 May
		<p>Resources from the British Psychological Society</p> <p>The psychological needs of healthcare staff as a result of the Coronavirus pandemic https://www.bps.org.uk/sites/www.bps.org.uk/files/News/News%20-%20Files/Psychological%20needs%20of%20healthcare%20staff.pdf British Psychological Society Covid19 Staff Wellbeing Group. (2020) <i>The psychological needs of healthcare staff as a result of the Coronavirus outbreak</i>. British Psychological Society</p> <p>Supporting yourself and others: coping with death and grief during the COVID-1 pandemic. https://www.bps.org.uk/sites/www.bps.org.uk/files/Policy/Policy%20-%20Files/Supporting%20yourself%20and%20others.pdf British Psychological Society. (2020) <i>Supporting yourself and others: coping with death and grief during the COVID-1 pandemic</i>. Leicester: BPS</p> <p>Advice for key worker parents - helping your child adapt to changes due to the COVID-19 pandemic https://www.bps.org.uk/coronavirus-resources/public/advice-key-worker-parents-helping-your-child-adapt British Psychological Society. (2020). <i>Advice for key worker parents: helping your child adapt to changes due to the COVID-19 pandemic</i>. Leicester: BPS</p> <p>When your parent is a key worker - advice for children and young people during the Coronavirus. https://www.bps.org.uk/coronavirus-resources/public/parent-key-worker-advice-children-young-people British Psychological Society. (2020) <i>When your parent is a key worker: advice for children and young people during the Coronavirus</i>. Leicester: BPS</p>	Added 22 April, record last updated 07 May

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		<p>Psychological first aid</p> <p>Everly G S & Jeffrey M. Lating J M. (2017) <i>The Johns Hopkins Guide to Psychological First Aid</i>. Johns Hopkins University Press</p>	Added 19 March
		<p>COVID-19: guidance on supporting children and young people's mental health and wellbeing</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-guidance-on-supporting-children-and-young-peoples-mental-health-and-wellbeing</p> <p>Public Health England. COVID-19: guidance on supporting children and young people's mental health and wellbeing. GOV.UK [Online] [Updated 21 April]</p>	Added 15 April
	Stay at home	<p>Stay at home guidance for households</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-stay-at-home-guidance/stay-at-home-guidance-for-households-with-possible-coronavirus-covid-19-infection</p> <p>The guidance also appears in easy-read versions and is translated into 11 languages other than English.</p> <p>Public Health England. <i>Stay at home: guidance for households with possible or confirmed coronavirus (COVID-19) infection</i>. GOV.UK [Online] [Updated 28 May 2020]</p>	Added 18 March, record last updated 29 May
Workplace			
	Business & service management		
		<p>Guidance for employers and employees</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/guidance-to-employers-and-businesses-about-covid-19</p> <p>Dept. Business Energy & Industrial Strategy. <i>Working safely during coronavirus (COVID-19)</i>. GOV.UK [Online] [Updated 25 May]</p>	Added 25 March, record last updated 29 May
	Health & safety	<p>RIDDOR reporting of COVID-19 (Health and Safety Executive)</p> <p>https://www.hse.gov.uk/news/riddor-reporting-coronavirus.htm</p> <p>Health and Safety Executive. <i>RIDDOR reporting of COVID-19</i> [Online]</p>	08 April

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	Data management		
		<p>Data protection and coronavirus information hub</p> <p>https://ico.org.uk/global/data-protection-and-coronavirus-information-hub/</p> <p>Information Commissioner's Office. <i>Data protection and coronavirus information hub</i> [Online]</p> <p>See also: blog post from the Information Commissioner on the new priorities for UK data protection during COVID-19 and beyond. [Issued 05 May] - https://ico.org.uk/about-the-ico/news-and-events/news-and-blogs/2020/05/new-priorities-for-uk-data-protection-during-covid-19-and-beyond/</p>	27 March, record last updated 07 May
	Infection prevention & control		
		<p>COVID-19: infection prevention and control (Public Health England)</p> <p>Including Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) guidance</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/wuhan-novel-coronavirus-infection-prevention-and-control</p> <p>Public Health England. <i>COVID-19: infection prevention and control</i>. GOV.UK [Online] [Updated 21 May]</p> <p>See also the Coronavirus (COVID-19): guidance collection at: https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/coronavirus-covid-19-list-of-guidance</p> <p>Public Health England. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): guidance</i>. GOV.UK [Online] [Updated 28 May]</p>	02 April, record last updated 29 May
		<p>Reducing the risk of transmission of COVID-19 in the hospital setting</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/wuhan-novel-coronavirus-infection-prevention-and-control/reducing-the-risk-of-transmission-of-covid-19-in-the-hospital-setting</p> <p>Public Health England. <i>Reducing the risk of transmission of COVID-19 in the hospital setting</i>. GOV.UK [Online] [Updated 21 May]</p>	Added 22 April, record last updated 29 May
		<p>SPACES (Sharing Patient Assessments Cuts Exposure for Staff)</p> <p><i>An approach to management of ward care.</i></p>	08 April

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		https://www.brit-thoracic.org.uk/about-us/covid-19-information-for-the-respiratory-community/ British Thoracic Society. <i>COVID-19: information for the respiratory community</i> [Online]	
		COVID-19: public use of face coverings (Scotland) https://www.gov.scot/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-public-use-of-face-coverings/ Scottish Government. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): public use of face coverings</i> [Online] [Updated 11 May]	29 April, record last updated 15 May
	PPE: supply	Accessing supplies of Personal Protective Equipment https://www.england.nhs.uk/coronavirus/primary-care/infection-control/ppe/ NHS England and NHS Improvement. <i>Accessing supplies of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)</i> [Online]	Added 21 April
		Coronavirus (COVID-19): personal protective equipment (PPE) plan https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-personal-protective-equipment-ppe-plan Department of Health and Social Care. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): personal protective equipment (PPE) plan</i> . GOV.UK [Online] [Updated 15 April]	Added 15 April
		PPE supplies in Scotland Dedicated email address to raise supply issues: covid-19-health-PPE@gov.scot [Information from letter issued by Jeane Freeman, Scotland's Cabinet Secretary for Health and Sport on 01 April 2020 giving general update on COVID-19 including PPE supply chains]	02 April
		COVID-19: PPE access for social care providers and unpaid carers (Scotland) https://www.gov.scot/publications/ppe-access-for-social-care-providers-and-unpaid-carers/ Scottish Government. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): PPE access for social care providers and unpaid carers</i> [Online]	Added 30 April
		COVID-19: unpaid carers providing personal care (Scottish Government) Using PPE to help prevent the spread of the virus for people who visit or live with a friend/family and provide help with washing or dressing.	Added 30 April

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		https://www.gov.scot/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-advice-for-unpaid-carers-providing-personal-care/ Community Health and Social Care Directorate. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): unpaid carers providing personal care</i> . Scottish Government [Online]	
		NHS Supply Chain webinars https://www.supplychain.nhs.uk/covid19/webinars/ NHS Supply Chain. <i>COVID-19: webinars</i> [Online]	08 April
Screening & testing			
		COVID-19 testing to enable health and social care workers to return to work (Scotland) https://www.sehd.scot.nhs.uk/publications/DC20200427guidance.pdf Scottish Government & NHS Scotland. <i>Testing for COVID-19 Infection to enable health and social care workers to return to work</i> . [Guidance for NHS Boards] [updated guidance issued 27 April]	Record last updated 29 May
		COVID-19: prioritisation matrix for key workers to be tested (Scotland) https://www.gov.scot/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-access-to-testing/ Scottish Government. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): prioritisation matrix for key workers to be tested</i> . [Online]	Added 30 April, record last updated 11 May
		COVID-19 testing to support retention of NHS staff https://www.england.nhs.uk/coronavirus/publication/letter-covid-19-testing-to-support-retention-of-nhs-staff/ NHS England and NHS Improvement. <i>Letters: COVID-19 testing to support retention of NHS staff</i> [Online] [Updated 12 April]	Record last updated 14 April
		COVID-19: getting tested <i>Guidance on coronavirus testing, including who is eligible for a test and how to get tested.</i> https://www.gov.uk/guidance/coronavirus-covid-19-getting-tested	Added 15 May, record last updated 29 May

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		Department of Health and Social Care. <i>Coronavirus (COVID-19): getting tested</i> . GOV.UK [Online] [Updated 28 May]	
	Visiting		
		<p>Visiting arrangements for those receiving care at the end of life</p> <p>https://www.england.nhs.uk/coronavirus/wp-content/uploads/sites/52/2020/03/C0393-clinical-guide-for-supporting-compassionate-visiting-arrangements-11-may-2020.pdf</p> <p>NHS England. <i>Clinical guide for supporting compassionate visiting arrangements for those receiving care at the end of life</i>. [Online]</p>	Added 14 May

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