

# **COVID-19 surveillance report for renal centres in the UK**

**All regions and centres – up to 25 November 2020**

## ABOUT THIS REPORT

These reports are produced by the UK Renal Registry (UKRR) using data submitted by renal centres in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. The first report was circulated on Friday 27 March 2020.

The reports are primarily about adults aged  $\geq 18$  years, as well as young adults aged 16–18 years, if they are under the care of an adult renal centre. However, also reported in the key points are aggregate data submitted by paediatric renal centres.

The data collected are deliberately limited so as not to add significantly to the burden of work in renal centres.

## DEFINITIONS

A renal patient with COVID-19 is:

- an individual who has a positive laboratory result for SARS-COV-2.

This definition was updated for the report on 28 October 2020 to reflect changes and variability in COVID-19 testing strategies across renal centres.

A renal patient whose death is attributed to COVID-19 is:

- an individual who died within 28 days of a positive laboratory result for SARS-COV-2.

This definition was updated for the report on 26 August 2020 following the introduction of the new UK-wide methodology to record COVID-19 deaths.

## SUGGESTED CITATION & DISCLAIMER

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## KEY POINTS

For the week ending **Wednesday 25 November 2020**:

- **adult renal centres** – 50 of the 51 centres in England, 5 of the 5 centres in Northern Ireland and 4 of the 5 centres in Wales submitted COVID-19 data to the UK Renal Registry (UKRR). Cumulative data up to 22 November 2020 were included for 9 of the 9 centres in Scotland.
- **paediatric renal centres** – 12 of the 13 centres in England, Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales submitted COVID-19 data to the UKRR.

### **The most recent 10 weeks of the pandemic in adult renal centres (RRT patients)**

Over the last 10 weeks, all regions and countries have seen increased numbers of new cases, first in the northern and midland regions of England and then more recently in London, the South West, South East and Wales. While in some regions, numbers have plateaued and are now falling, in other regions, most notably the South East, numbers are rising.

In **adult renal centres in England**:

- in the last week (Thurs–Wed) the number of new laboratory-confirmed cases of COVID-19 was 167
- up to 25 November the cumulative number of laboratory-confirmed cases of COVID-19 was 6,176
- in the last week (Thurs–Wed) the number of new deaths attributed to COVID-19 was 29
- up to 25 November the cumulative number of deaths attributed to COVID-19 was 1,585.

In **adult renal centres in Northern Ireland**:

- in the last week (Thurs–Wed) the number of new laboratory-confirmed cases of COVID-19 was 3
- up to 25 November the cumulative number of laboratory-confirmed cases of COVID-19 was 78
- in the last week (Thurs–Wed) the number of new deaths attributed to COVID-19 was 0
- up to 25 November the cumulative number of deaths attributed to COVID-19 was 12.

In **adult renal centres in Scotland**:

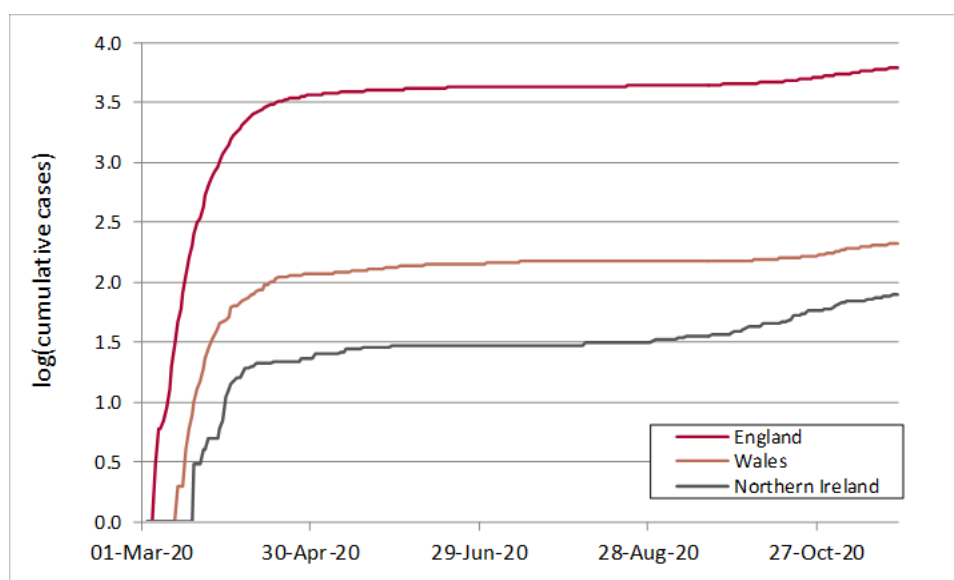
- Scotland reported the cumulative number of laboratory confirmed COVID-19 cases and the cumulative number of deaths attributed to COVID-19 up to 22 November
- up to 22 November the cumulative number of laboratory-confirmed cases of COVID-19 was 203
- up to 22 November the cumulative number of deaths attributed to COVID-19 was 44.

### In adult renal centres in Wales:

- in the last week (Thurs–Wed) the number of new laboratory-confirmed cases of COVID-19 was 8
- up to 25 November the cumulative number of laboratory-confirmed cases of COVID-19 was 214
- in the last week (Thurs–Wed) the number of new deaths attributed to COVID-19 was 0
- up to 25 November the cumulative number of deaths attributed to COVID-19 was 54.

### The course of the pandemic in adult renal centres (CKD and RRT patients)

Figure 1 shows the cumulative number of laboratory-confirmed COVID-19 cases over the course of the pandemic in adult renal centres in England, Northern Ireland and Wales. As can be seen, at the start of the pandemic, the number of cases climbed steeply in all three countries, reaching a particularly high level in England, before plateauing between the start of May and September. Cases then started to increase again, initially in Northern Ireland and then shortly afterwards also in England and Wales, albeit so far at a slower pace than during the first wave of the pandemic.



**Figure 1** Log cumulative counts of laboratory-confirmed COVID-19 cases in CKD and RRT patients between 1 March and 25 November 2020 in adult renal centres in England, Northern Ireland and Wales

### In paediatric renal centres in England, Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales:

- in the last week (Thurs–Wed) the number of new laboratory-confirmed cases of COVID-19 was 3
- up to 25 November the cumulative number of laboratory-confirmed cases of COVID-19 was 31
- there has been one paediatric death following a positive test for SARS-COV-2, but this occurred almost 4 months after the test result and the child had a serious underlying health condition.

## SURVEILLANCE

### ALL REGIONS AND ADULT CENTRES IN ENGLAND, NORTHERN IRELAND, SCOTLAND AND WALES

**Table 1** Number of new and cumulative reported laboratory-confirmed COVID-19 cases in CKD and RRT patients within the last 7 days (Thursday 19 November to Wednesday 25 November 2020) and up to Wednesday 25 November 2020, respectively, in adult renal centres in England, Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales by region, renal centre and country

Region/renal centre	N RRT patients alive end of 2018	Number of new COVID-19 cases						Number of cumulative COVID-19 cases								
		CKD	HT (HHD+PD)	ICHD	TPLT	Missing	TOTAL	CKD	HT (HHD+PD)		ICHD		TPLT		Missing	TOTAL
									N	% of HT	N	% of ICHD	N	% of TPLT		
<b>EAST OF ENGLAND</b>	<b>4,553</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>233</b>
Basildon	314	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	3	7.9	24	14.0	4	3.8	0	31
Cambridge	1,417	0	0	1	1	0	2	3	3	6.8	19	6.0	24	2.3	0	49
Chelmsford	270	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	8	7.1	0	0.0	0	8	
Colchester	121	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0.0	20	16.5	0	0.0	0	20	
Ipswich	428	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2.2	19	12.6	0	0.0	0	21
Norwich	786	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2.0	21	7.1	5	1.1	0	28
Southend	260	0	1	3	0	0	4	0	5	16.1	10	7.8	3	3.0	0	18
Stevenage	957	0	0	2	0	0	2	1	4	5.6	53	10.8	0	0.0	0	58
<b>KENT, SURREY &amp; SUSSEX</b>	<b>2,169</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>152</b>
Brighton	1,055	1	0	0	0	0	1	69	0	0.0	21	4.7	2	0.4	0	92
Kent	1,114	0	0	6	1	0	7	16	3	4.8	26	6.2	15	2.4	0	60
<b>LONDON</b>	<b>14,394</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>1,211</b>	<b>21.6</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,693</b>
Carshalton	1,736	0	0	0	0	0	0	36	8	6.3	122	14.4	15	2.0	0	181
London Barts	2,610	0	1	3	3	0	7	0	11	4.0	243	22.8	40	3.2	0	294
London Guy's	2,225	2	0	3	1	0	6	49	3	3.7	112	16.2	49	3.4	0	213
London King's	1,186	0	0	2	0	0	2	26	4	3.7	148	24.8	28	5.8	0	206
London Royal Free	2,234	0	0	0	1	0	1	37	6	3.4	179	26.2	21	1.5	0	243
London St George's	837	0	0	1	1	0	2	4	5	10.9	40	13.6	11	2.2	0	60
London West	3,566	1	1	5	1	0	8	30	23	14.9	367	25.7	76	3.8	0	496
<b>MIDLANDS EAST</b>	<b>4,253</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>395</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>12.6</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>646</b>
Derby	589	5	1	1	0	0	7	132	9	6.7	31	15.7	6	2.3	0	178

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Leicester	2,468	13	0	6	2	0	21	194	6	3.4	100	10.9	22	1.6	0	322
Nottingham	1,196	5	1	0	3	0	9	69	7	6.6	53	15.1	17	2.3	0	146
<b>MIDLANDS WEST</b>	<b>6,485</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>663</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>459</b>	<b>16.8</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>1,293</b>
Birmingham <sup>1</sup>	3,248	9	0	4	0	0	13	240	23	7.1	253	18.9	39	2.5	0	555
Coventry	1,042	0	0	1	0	0	1	80	5	6.2	56	14.7	5	0.9	0	146
Dudley	361	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	1	2.1	33	16.1	3	2.8	0	37
Shrewsbury <sup>2</sup>	424	0	0	0	0	0	0	212	2	2.5	18	8.7	4	2.9	27	263
Stoke	808	6	0	2	2	0	10	39	9	8.7	36	12.6	11	2.6	0	95
Wolverhampton	602	2	0	0	0	0	2	92	5	5.7	63	20.0	3	1.5	34	197
<b>NORTH EAST</b>	<b>2,930</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>12.5</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>215</b>
Carlisle	293	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	3.2	13	12.9	1	0.6	0	20
Middlesbrough	925	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0.0	30	8.7	15	2.8	0	50
Newcastle	1,155	0	1	1	0	0	2	37	2	2.4	40	11.8	7	1.0	0	86
Sunderland	557	0	1	1	0	0	2	4	3	7.7	46	18.9	6	2.2	0	59
<b>NORTH WEST</b>	<b>6,458</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>16.3</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>749</b>
Liverpool Aintree	218	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	9.1	29	18.7	0	0.0	0	33
Liverpool Royal	1,277	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	73	20.3	12	1.5	0	85
Manchester Royal	2,073	1	0	3	1	0	5	27	8	5.7	71	14.0	27	1.9	0	133
Preston	1,322	3	1	0	0	0	4	133	10	12.3	81	15.5	43	6.0	0	267
Salford	1,173	0	0	1	2	0	3	39	28	18.7	61	15.3	17	2.7	0	145
Wirral	395	0	0	1	0	0	1	48	0	0.0	35	17.2	3	1.8	0	86
<b>SOUTH EAST</b>	<b>4,514</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>14.2</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>384</b>
Oxford	1,940	0	0	1	1	0	2	10	3	3.4	62	13.7	24	1.7	0	99
Portsmouth	1,764	0	1	2	0	0	3	26	5	3.0	45	8.5	14	1.3	0	90
Reading	810	0	0	0	0	0	0	108	2	4.1	74	25.3	11	2.4	0	195
<b>SOUTH WEST</b>	<b>4,808</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>210</b>
Bristol	1,469	6	0	1	0	0	7	80	0	0.0	37	7.8	10	1.1	0	127
Dorset	765	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0.0	5	1.7	5	1.2	0	11
Exeter	1,088	0	0	0	2	0	2	1	1	1.0	16	3.6	7	1.3	0	25
Gloucester	510	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0.0	26	11.1	3	1.3	0	30
Plymouth	539	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0.0	4	3.1	6	1.7	0	11
Truro	437	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	4	2.4	2	0.8	0	6

Region/renal centre	N RRT patients alive end of 2018	Number of new COVID-19 cases						Number of cumulative COVID-19 cases								
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									N	% of HT	N	% of ICHD	N	% of TPLT		
<b>YORKSHIRE &amp; HUMBER</b>	<b>5,637</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>288</b>	<b>13.9</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>601</b>
Bradford	686	3	0	1	1	0	5	31	3	8.6	69	26.5	26	6.6	0	129
Doncaster	332	0	0	0	1	0	1	9	0	0.0	14	7.8	4	3.3	0	27
Hull	883	0	0	1	0	0	1	12	3	5.8	20	5.7	20	4.2	0	55
Leeds	1,687	4	0	2	2	0	8	63	5	5.7	79	14.5	27	2.6	1	175
Sheffield	1,481	5	0	4	1	0	10	69	4	3.6	83	15.1	24	2.9	0	180
York	568	0	0	2	0	0	2	12	0	0.0	23	12.5	0	0.0	0	35
<b>NORTHERN IRELAND</b>	<b>1,914</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>78</b>
Antrim	274	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0.0	8	6.7	3	2.3	0	11
Belfast	877	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0.0	11	6.4	14	2.1	0	32
Newry	249	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0.0	6	7.4	5	3.3	0	14
Ulster	190	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0.0	5	4.7	1	1.4	0	7
West NI	324	1	0	1	0	0	2	4	0	0.0	8	7.1	2	1.0	0	14
<b>SCOTLAND<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>5,245</b>								<b>8</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>203</b>
<b>WALES</b>	<b>3,252</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>11.9</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>214</b>
Bangor	202	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0.0	7	10.0	4	4.0	0	20
Cardiff	1,721	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	2	2.1	62	11.2	12	1.1	0	83
Clwyd	190	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	25	33.3	2	2.0	0	27
Swansea	824	2	1	3	1	0	7	12	5	4.8	35	9.4	12	3.5	0	64
Wrexham	315	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	3.4	12	10.5	7	4.1	0	20
<b>ENGLAND</b>	<b>56,201</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>2,053</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>3,115</b>	<b>15.0</b>	<b>717</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>6,176</b>
<b>NORTHERN IRELAND</b>	<b>1,914</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>78</b>
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<sup>1</sup>Data from University Hospitals Birmingham NHS Foundation Trust (Heartlands Hospital & Queen Elizabeth Hospital).

<sup>2</sup>The cumulative number of CKD patients with a positive test is high in Shrewsbury because of active testing in the community.

<sup>3</sup>Scotland reported cumulative cases up to 22 November 2020.

Blank cells indicate that the renal centre did not submit data to the UKRR.

CKD – chronic kidney disease (i.e. patients with CKD not on RRT); HHD – home haemodialysis; HT – home therapies; ICHD – in-centre haemodialysis; PD – peritoneal dialysis; RRT – renal replacement therapy; TPLT – transplant; Missing – treatment modality data missing

**Table 2** Number of new and cumulative reported deaths within 28 days of laboratory-confirmed COVID-19 in CKD and RRT patients within the last 7 days (Thursday 19 November to Wednesday 25 November 2020) and up to Wednesday 25 November 2020, respectively, in adult renal centres in England, Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales by region, renal centre and country

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Norwich	786	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2.0	2	0.7	3	0.7	0	7
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Brighton	1,055	0	0	0	0	0	0	27	0	0.0	10	2.2	0	0.0	0	37
Kent	1,114	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	0.0	6	1.4	5	0.8	0	24
<b>LONDON</b>	<b>14,394</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>236</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>357</b>
Carshalton	1,736	0	0	1	0	0	1	12	3	2.4	26	3.1	3	0.4	0	44
London Barts	2,610	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1.1	40	3.7	7	0.6	0	50
London Guy's	2,225	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0.0	10	1.4	9	0.6	0	31
London King's	1,186	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0.0	26	4.4	4	0.8	0	37
London Royal Free	2,234	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	3	1.7	35	5.1	4	0.3	0	56
London St George's	837	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	8.7	14	4.8	2	0.4	0	21
London West	3,566	2	1	0	1	0	4	7	6	3.9	85	5.9	20	1.0	0	118
<b>MIDLANDS EAST</b>	<b>4,253</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>173</b>
Derby	589	2	0	0	0	0	2	44	3	2.2	5	2.5	2	0.8	0	54
Leicester	2,468	1	0	1	0	0	2	61	1	0.6	15	1.6	3	0.2	0	80
Nottingham	1,196	0	0	0	0	0	0	27	1	0.9	10	2.9	1	0.1	0	39
<b>MIDLANDS WEST</b>	<b>6,485</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>245</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>406</b>
Birmingham <sup>2</sup>	3,248	3	0	1	0	0	4	84	9	2.8	48	3.6	9	0.6	0	150
Coventry	1,042	0	0	1	0	0	1	32	1	1.2	13	3.4	0	0.0	0	46
Dudley	361	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2.1	15	7.3	0	0.0	0	16



Region/renal centre	N RRT patients alive end of 2018	Number of new deaths attributed to COVID-19 <sup>1</sup>						Number of cumulative deaths attributed to COVID-19 <sup>1</sup>								
		CKD	HT (HHD+PD)	ICHD	TPLT	Missing	TOTAL	CKD	HT (HHD+PD)		ICHD		TPLT		Missing	TOTAL
									N	% of HT	N	% of ICHD	N	% of TPLT		
Shrewsbury	424	0	0	0	0	0	0	87	2	2.5	4	1.9	1	0.7	10	104
Stoke	808	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	1	1.0	8	2.8	1	0.2	0	20
Wolverhampton	602	0	0	0	0	0	0	32	0	0.0	12	3.8	0	0.0	26	70
<b>NORTH EAST</b>	<b>2,930</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>45</b>
Carlisle	293	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	3.2	5	5.0	0	0.0	0	7
Middlesbrough	925	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	7	2.0	2	0.4	0	9
Newcastle	1,155	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0.0	4	1.2	1	0.1	0	14
Sunderland	557	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	0.0	12	4.9	1	0.4	0	15
<b>NORTH WEST</b>	<b>6,458</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>199</b>
Liverpool Aintree	218	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0.0	7	4.5	0	0.0	0	7
Liverpool Royal	1,277	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0.0	20	5.6	2	0.2	0	22
Manchester Royal	2,073	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	4	2.8	12	2.4	9	0.6	0	34
Preston	1,322	4	0	2	0	0	6	52	0	0.0	20	3.8	5	0.7	0	77
Salford	1,173	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	3	2.0	8	2.0	2	0.3	0	28
Wirral	395	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	0	0.0	9	4.4	1	0.6	0	31
<b>SOUTH EAST</b>	<b>4,514</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>97</b>
Oxford	1,940	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	1.1	10	2.2	2	0.1	0	16
Portsmouth	1,764	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0.0	8	1.5	3	0.3	0	12
Reading	810	0	0	0	0	0	0	44	2	4.1	22	7.5	1	0.2	0	69
<b>SOUTH WEST</b>	<b>4,808</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>47</b>
Bristol	1,469	1	0	0	0	0	1	22	0	0.0	7	1.5	4	0.4	0	33
Dorset	765	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0
Exeter	1,088	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	2	0.4	0	0.0	0	2
Gloucester	510	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	8	3.4	1	0.4	0	9
Plymouth	539	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0.0	1	0.8	0	0.0	0	2
Truro	437	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.4	0	1
<b>YORKSHIRE &amp; HUMBER</b>	<b>5,637</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>149</b>
Bradford	686	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	0	0.0	19	7.3	1	0.3	0	34
Doncaster	332	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0.0	4	2.2	0	0.0	0	9
Hull	883	1	0	0	0	0	1	5	1	1.9	7	2.0	3	0.6	0	16
Leeds	1,687	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	0	0.0	10	1.8	6	0.6	1	42
Sheffield	1,481	2	0	0	1	0	3	19	1	0.9	15	2.7	4	0.5	0	39
York	568	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0.0	3	1.6	0	0.0	0	9

Region/renal centre	N RRT patients alive end of 2018	Number of new deaths attributed to COVID-19 <sup>1</sup>						Number of cumulative deaths attributed to COVID-19 <sup>1</sup>								
		CKD	HT (HHD+PD)	ICHD	TPLT	Missing	TOTAL	CKD	HT (HHD+PD)		ICHD		TPLT		Missing	TOTAL
									N	% of HT	N	% of ICHD	N	% of TPLT		
<b>NORTHERN IRELAND</b>	<b>1,914</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12</b>
Antrim	274	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	1	0.8	0	0.0	0	1
Belfast	877	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	3	1.7	3	0.4	0	6
Newry	249	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0.0	2	2.5	0	0.0	0	3
Ulster	190	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	1	0.9	1	1.4	0	2
West NI	324	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0
<b>SCOTLAND<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>5,245</b>								<b>1</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>44</b>
<b>WALES</b>	<b>3,252</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>54</b>
Bangor	202	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0.0	2	2.9	0	0.0	0	6
Cardiff	1,721	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0.0	16	2.9	4	0.4	0	23
Clwyd	190	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	5	6.7	2	2.0	0	7
Swansea	824	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	1.0	9	2.4	1	0.3	0	15
Wrexham	315	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3.4	2	1.8	0	0.0	0	3
<b>ENGLAND</b>	<b>56,201</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>728</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>637</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>1,585</b>
<b>NORTHERN IRELAND</b>	<b>1,914</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>SCOTLAND<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>5,245</b>								<b>1</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>44</b>
<b>WALES</b>	<b>3,252</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>54</b>

<sup>1</sup>Numbers of deaths attributed to COVID-19 are lower than in previous reports because the new definition restricts a COVID-19 death to one that occurred within 28 days of a positive test.

<sup>2</sup>Data from University Hospitals Birmingham NHS Foundation Trust (Heartlands Hospital & Queen Elizabeth Hospital).

<sup>3</sup>Scotland reported cumulative cases up to 22 November 2020.

The delay between the NHS tracing process and producing this report may result in a possible underestimation of the number of deaths.

Blank cells indicate that the renal centre did not submit data to the UKRR.

CKD – chronic kidney disease (i.e. patients with CKD not on RRT); HHD – home haemodialysis; HT – home therapies; ICHD – in-centre haemodialysis; PD – peritoneal dialysis; RRT – renal replacement therapy; TPLT – transplant; Missing – treatment modality data missing

**Table 3** Number of new reported laboratory-confirmed COVID-19 cases in RRT patients within the last 10 weeks in adult renal centres in England, Northern Ireland and Wales by region, renal centre and country

Region/renal centre	N RRT patients alive end of 2018	Number of new positive tests in RRT patients									
		17-23 Sep	24-30 Sep	1-7 Oct	8-14 Oct	15-21 Oct	22-28 Oct	29 Oct-4 Nov	5 -11 Nov	12-18 Nov	19-25 Nov <sup>2</sup>
<b>EAST OF ENGLAND</b>	<b>4,553</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>10</b>
Basildon	314	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	1	1
Cambridge	1,417	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	2
Chelmsford	270	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Colchester	121	0	0	0	1	1	0	4	1	2	1
Ipswich	428	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Norwich	786	0	0	1	0	2	2	1	3	1	0
Southend	260	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	4
Stevenage	957	0	0	0	0	3	5	1	0	0	2
<b>KENT, SURREY &amp; SUSSEX</b>	<b>2,169</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>7</b>
Brighton	1,055	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0
Kent	1,114	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	1	4	7
<b>LONDON</b>	<b>14,394</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>23</b>
Carshalton	1,736	0	1	8	3	6	9	5	4	3	0
London Barts	2,610	1	2	2	2	3	4	16	8	11	7
London Guy's	2,225	0	0	2	1	0	5	4	1	7	4
London King's	1,186	0	1	1	1	0	3	8	0	2	2
London Royal Free	2,234	2	2	1	2	0	1	2	0	1	1
London St George's	837	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	2
London West	3,566	1	2	2	2	5	5	9	6	11	7
<b>MIDLANDS EAST</b>	<b>4,253</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>14</b>
Derby	589	0	2	0	0	2	0	2	3	2	2
Leicester	2,468	4	2	6	0	3	4	3	2	8	8
Nottingham	1,196	2	2	0	6	4	7	5	8	2	4
<b>MIDLANDS WEST</b>	<b>6,485</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>11</b>
Birmingham <sup>1</sup>	3,248	3	3	4	4	11	17	11	17	14	4
Coventry	1,042	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	4	1
Dudley	361	0	0	0	0	1	2	5	5	0	2
Shrewsbury	424	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Stoke	808	0	0	1	0	1	1	6	8	4	4

Region/renal centre	N RRT patients alive end of 2018	Number of new positive tests in RRT patients									
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Wolverhampton	602	1	0	0	1	5	6	5	5	3	0
<b>NORTH EAST</b>	<b>2,930</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>
Carlisle	293	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Middlesbrough	925	3	2	2	3	0	0	2	3	2	0
Newcastle	1,155	2	0	2	2	4	2	5	5	2	2
Sunderland	557	0	0	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	2
<b>NORTH WEST</b>	<b>6,458</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>9</b>
Liverpool Aintree	218	2	3	2	2	0	3	4	1	0	0
Liverpool Royal	1,277	2	4	3	7	8	3	4	5	3	0
Manchester Royal	2,073	8	3	2	1	3	7	7	3	4	4
Preston	1,322	1	3	8	5	10	9	12	9	12	1
Salford	1,173	2	2	1	4	7	6	1	8	10	3
Wirral	395	1	2	3	4	1	3	0	1	0	1
<b>SOUTH EAST</b>	<b>4,514</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>5</b>
Oxford	1,940	0	3	1	1	1	1	3	5	14	2
Portsmouth	1,764	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	5	3
Reading	810	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	
<b>SOUTH WEST</b>	<b>4,808</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>3</b>
Bristol	1,469	0	0	0	1	1	2	10	3	1	1
Dorset	765	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Exeter	1,088	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	2	6	2
Gloucester	510	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0
Plymouth	539	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0
Truro	437	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
<b>YORKSHIRE &amp; HUMBER</b>	<b>5,637</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>15</b>
Bradford	686	1	2	2	8	6	3	5	9	12	2
Doncaster	332	0	0	0	0	3	1	1	1	1	1
Hull	883	1	0	1	3	1	3	8	10	1	1
Leeds	1,687	1	4	4	3	5	7	7	3	12	4
Sheffield	1,481	1	1	2	3	7	8	8	7	6	5
York	568	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	2
<b>NORTHERN IRELAND</b>	<b>1,914</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>
Antrim	274	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	1
Belfast	877	1	2	2	1	1	2	2	1	0	0

Region/renal centre	N RRT patients alive end of 2018	Number of new positive tests in RRT patients									
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Newry	249	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0
Ulster	190	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	1	0	0
West NI	324	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	3	1
<b>WALES</b>	<b>3,252</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>6</b>
Bangor	202	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cardiff	1,721	1	0	2	2	0	3	5	5	5	0
Clwyd	190	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Swansea	824	0	0	1	0	3	0	2	7	4	5
Wrexham	315	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	1	0	1
<b>ENGLAND</b>	<b>56,201</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>101</b>
<b>NORTHERN IRELAND</b>	<b>1,914</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>		<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>WALES</b>	<b>3,252</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>6</b>

<sup>1</sup>Data from University Hospitals Birmingham NHS Foundation Trust (Heartlands Hospital & Queen Elizabeth Hospital).

<sup>2</sup>The number of cases reported in the most recent week is likely to be an underestimation, because of the lag in reporting to the UKRR.

Blank cells indicate that the renal centre did not submit data to the UKRR.

CKD – chronic kidney disease (i.e. patients with CKD not on RRT); HHD – home haemodialysis; HT – home therapies; ICHD – in-centre haemodialysis; PD – peritoneal dialysis; RRT – renal replacement therapy; TPLT – transplant; Missing – treatment modality data missing

## RENAL ASSOCIATION COVID-19 GUIDELINES

You can access the most recent Renal Association guidelines on the care of patients with kidney disease during the COVID-19 pandemic by clicking on the link below:

<https://renal.org/covid-19/ra-resources-renal-professionals/>