

NEWARK UPDATE – 14.08.20

Following the information on the current targeted activity to reduce the rise of COVID-19 cases in Newark, the CCG is able to share the latest information from Nottinghamshire County Council:

- Newark is now on the government's Watchlist of areas under close scrutiny due to the steep rise in the number of cases of COVID-19.

To read the release in full -

Due to the increase in cases in community in the Newark area Sherwood Forest Hospitals has made the decision to restrict visiting at Newark Hospital to help keep patients and staff safe. For more information visit here: <https://www.sfh-tr.nhs.uk/our-hospitals/newark-hospital/>

We will do all we can to work with the local council to keep you informed of any changes to advice and guidance. At present there is no change to advice for patients and for more information visit here: <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/symptoms/>

Any questions please contact Cathy Quinn in the locality team cathyquinn@nhs.net

Newark and Sherwood District Council also have useful local COVID information available on their website: <https://www.newark-sherwooddc.gov.uk/emergency/coronavirus/>