

# HEALTH & WELLBEING BOARD ADDENDUM

4.00PM, TUESDAY, 10 NOVEMBER 2020 VIRTUAL MICROSOFT TEAMS MEETING

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### **ADDENDUM**

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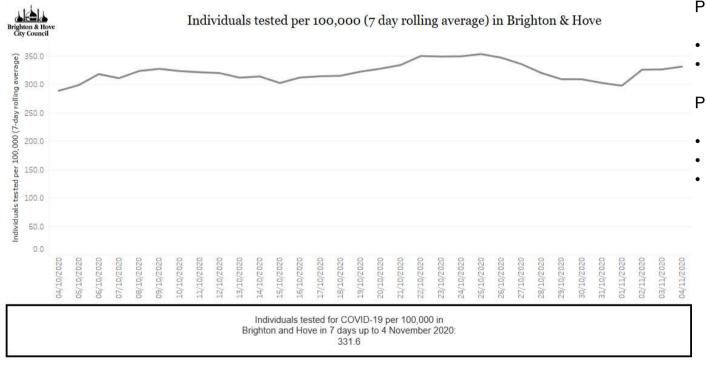
31 PRESENTATION -COVID RECOVERY PLAN STRATEGY AND UPDATE ON OUTBREAK CONTROL PLAN

# Brighton & Hove Health and Wellbeing Board

November 10 2020



# People tested



Positivity rate has fallen

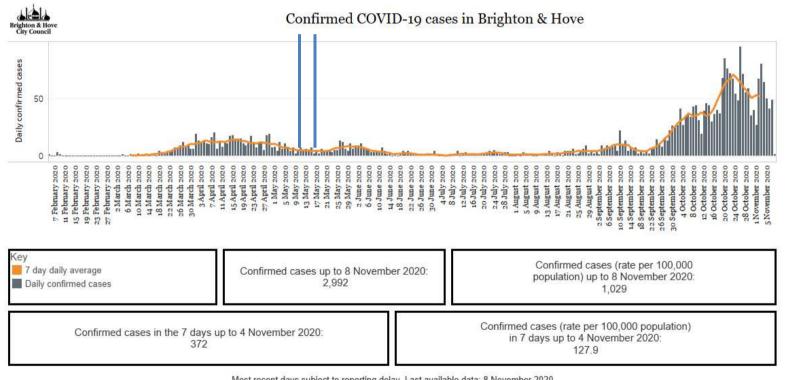
- From 7.5% (7 days to 28 Oct)
- to 5.9% (7 days to the 4 Nov)

#### Positivity rate:

- Brighton & Hove 5.9%
- South East England 5.5%
- England (to 3/11) 9.9%



# **Confirmed cases of COVID-19**



Most recent days subject to reporting delay. Last available data: 8 November 2020

18th May – testing expanded to all aged 5+

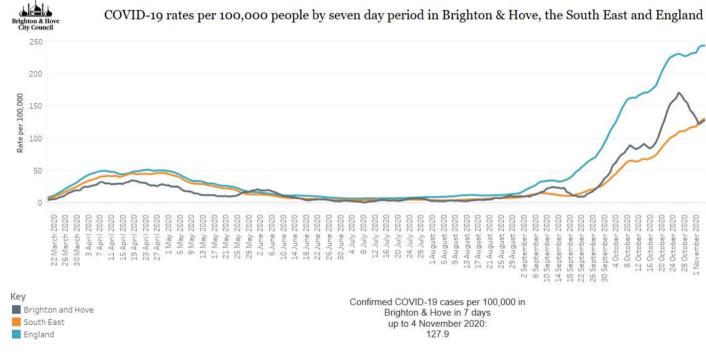
27th May testing expanded to all ages

> Source: https://www.bright hove.gov.uk/covid-19-key-statisticsbrightonhove/confirmedcases



### Confirmed case rate

- In the 7 days up to the 4 November there were 128 cases per 100,000 people a decrease of 19% compared to the 7 days up to the 28 October
- Equivalent rate in England is 243 per 100,000 and for the South East 131

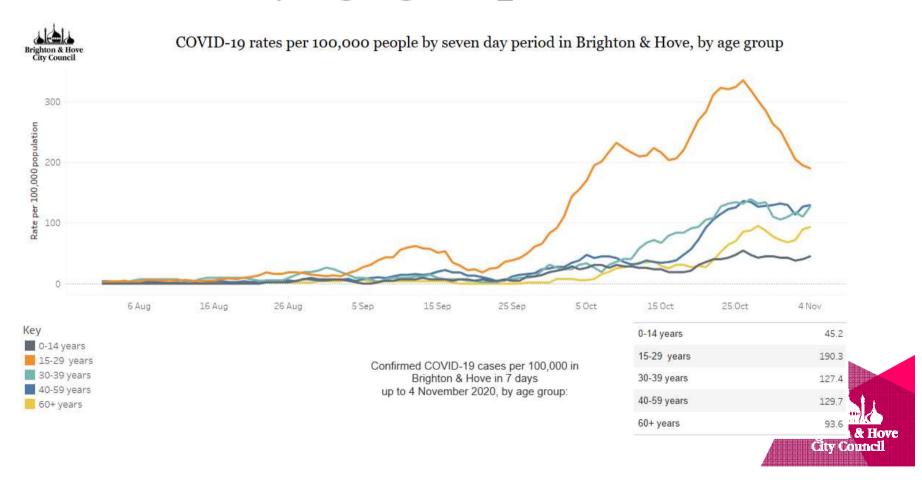


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- B&H ranked 31 highest out of 66 Lower Tier LAs
- Compared with a ranking of 5<sup>th</sup> highest in the 7 days to the 28 October



# Case rates by age group



### Confirmed cases by ward



7 days to the 4 November



### Confirmed cases associated with settings

- Contact tracing data suggests greatest identified exposure is within households, followed by mixing between households (nb relates to pre-lockdown period).
- Data related to settings is useful to inform prevention however does not mean that transmission necessarily occurred in these settings
- There have been more cases in staff who work in hospitality, retail, offices and other workplaces in the city, with contact made and support to these employers provided by our Environmental Health Officers
- Health and care settings



### **Care Homes – summary of current position**

#### Past 7 days: 2 cases or more

6 care homes

#### Past 7 days Settings with single cases

7 care homes

#### Past 14 days

16 care homes, relevant in context of incubation period

#### **Summary**

- Within outbreaks increasing ratio of service users to staff testing positive
- Challenge finding balance between enabling visits and protecting residents/staf
- Active engagement and support and undertaking comparative analysis

# **NHS services**



### **Key messages**

- There have been fewer cases in most recent week of published data and our case rate is similar to the SE England rate
- However it is too early to conclude this will be a sustained downward trend
- The decline is almost entirely attributable to fewer cases in young adults partly explained by fewer cases in students
- The care rate is currently stable is working age and older adults
  - There have been cases associated with a wide range of settings including workplaces
  - Older people have a higher risk of complications and hospital admissions
- The impact on the health and care system is significant
- Lockdown presents an opportunity to drive down rates (and R nationally), reduce and prevent pressure on health services and to exit at a manageable level of infection

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