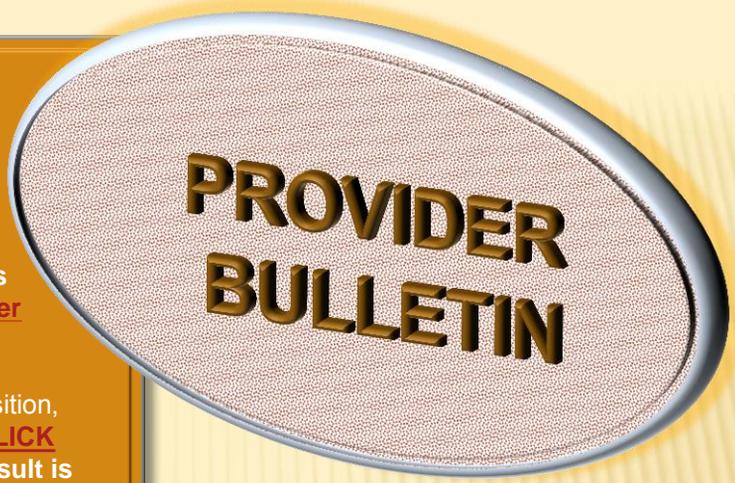




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For more information on the Council's current position, in respect of Covid 19 please use this website; [CLICK HERE](#) Please ensure any information you consult is from a reliable sources, including the NHS, or the Public Health England.



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UPDATE RE STAFF AND RESIDENT COVID-19 TESTING

See the [Provider Zone](#) for more details.

HM TREASURY EXTENDS TAX CUT TO PPE COSTS

The temporary scrapping of VAT on PPE has been extended until the end of October - saving care homes and businesses dealing with the coronavirus outbreak £155 million, the government announced today.

For more details, click [HERE](#)



CORONAVIRUS OUTBREAK CONTROL: INFORMATION FOR PROVIDER ORGANISATIONS

Important update regarding the NHS Test and Trace programme. See the [Provider Zone](#) for more details.



For the latest bulletin, click [HERE](#)

Included is a **new survey launched for BAME care workers**. Please share with your teams.



DIGITAL EAGLE

Barclay's Digital Eagle is offering **2 training programmes** that aim to **up skilling care workers** use technology available in care homes to connect residents with GPs and loved ones.

For more details, see flyer in the [Provider Zone](#)

MINDFULNESS AND NATURE CONNECTION FOR OVER 50S, THEIR FRIENDS, FAMILY AND CARERS



The Mindfulness garden is running a small, friendly and supportive, online group to share mindfulness and nature connection.

See the [Provider Zone](#) for more details.