**Brief Covid-19 update for Cambridgeshire and Peterborough, 6 August 2021**

**Confirmed Covid-19 cases (data updated Thursday 5 August 2021 at 4:00pm)**

• 1,510 new lab-confirmed Covid-19 cases were detected in Cambridgeshire and 645 Covid-19 cases in Peterborough in the last 7-day recording period (25 – 31 July).

• The case rate per 100,000 for Cambridgeshire was a rate of 229.8 per 100,000 for the 7-day period up to 31 July, lower compared to a rate of 264.7 per 100,000 in the previous week up to 24 July.

• The case rate per 100,000 for Peterborough was a rate of 318.3 per 100,000 for the 7-day period up to 31 July, higher compared to a rate of 286.8 per 100.000 in the previous week up to 24 July.

• At a district level, South Cambridgeshire, Fenland, and Huntingdonshire have reported a decrease in case rates per 100,000 in the latest reporting week (25 – 31 July) compared to the previous week up to 24 July. Case rates have increased in Cambridge and East Cambridgeshire.

**Covid-19 and all-cause mortality in Cambridgeshire and Peterborough**

4 Covid-19 related deaths were registered in Cambridgeshire & Peterborough in ONS reporting week 29 ending 23 July, compared to 3 Covid-19 related deaths in ONS Week 28.

There were 154 all-cause deaths in Cambridgeshire and Peterborough in ONS reporting week 29 (compared to 147 in week 28).

At district level, Fenland (+11), South Cambridgeshire (+16), and Huntingdonshire (+6) reported an increase in all-cause deaths, while Cambridge (-8) and East Cambridgeshire (-10) had fewer all-cause deaths compared to week prior.

**Date sources:**

Mortality and Cases data available at [www.coronavirus.data.gov.uk](http://www.coronavirus.data.gov.uk)

Number of deaths in care homes notified to the Care Quality Commission, England. <https://www.ons.gov.uk/peoplepopulationandcommunity/birthsdeathsandmarriages/deaths/datasets/numberofdeathsincarehomesnotifiedtothecarequalitycommissionengland>

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