**Brief Covid-19 update for Cambridgeshire and Peterborough, 29 October 2021**

**Confirmed Covid-19 cases (data updated Thursday 28 October 2021 at 6:15pm)**

**3,341 new lab-confirmed Covid-19 cases were detected in Cambridgeshire and 1,252 Covid-19 cases in Peterborough** in the last 7-day recording period (17 – 23 October).

**The case rate per 100,000 for Cambridgeshire was a rate of 508.4 per 100,000** for the 7-day period up to 23 October, higher compared to a rate of 499.5 per 100,000 in the previous week up to 16 October.

**The case rate per 100,000 for Peterborough was a rate of 617.9 per 100,000** for the 7-day period up to 23 October, lower compared to a rate of 684.5 per 100.000 in the previous week up to 16 October.

**At a district level**, Cambridge, East Cambridgeshire, and Fenland have reported an increase in case rates per 100,000 in the latest reporting week (17 -23 October) compared to the previous week up to 16 October; whereas South Cambridgeshire and Huntingdonshire rates decreased in the most recent week.

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

**7 Covid-19 related deaths were registered in Cambridgeshire & Peterborough in ONS reporting week 41** ending 15 October, compared to 6 Covid-19 deaths in ONS Week 40.

There were **132 all-cause deaths in Cambridgeshire and Peterborough** in ONS reporting week 41, compared to 159 all-cause deaths in week 40.

**At a district level**, Huntingdonshire (+1) reported an increase in all-cause deaths in ONS week 41 compared to week 40; whereas Cambridge (-1), East Cambridgeshire (-4), Fenland (-16), and South Cambridgeshire (-11) have reported fewer all-cause deaths in the most recent week.

**There were 0 Covid-19 related death notifications in a Cambridgeshire care home and 0 death notifications in a Peterborough care home** between 16 - 22 October 2021.

**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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