

Five Level Framework – Table of Public Health Restrictive Measures

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4	Level 5
Social/Family Gatherings	Private Home/Garden – no more than 10 visitors from ≤3 households Members of different households can continue to meet socially in other settings but to a max limit of 50 people indoors and outdoors (including staff etc) Exemption: Max limit of 50 guests for wedding ceremony and reception	Private Home/Garden – no more than 6 visitors from ≤3 households Members of different households can continue to meet socially in other settings but to a max limit of 6 people indoors, 15 outdoors Exemption: Max limit of 50 guests for wedding ceremony and reception	Private Home/Garden – no more than 6 visitors from 1 household No social/family gatherings should take place in other settings Exemption: Max limit of 25 guests for wedding ceremony and reception	Private Home/Garden - Own household only No social/family gatherings should take place in other settings Exemption: Max limit of 6 guests for wedding ceremony and reception	Private Home/Garden - Own household only No social/family gatherings should take place in other settings Exemption: Max limit of 6 guests for wedding ceremony and reception
Organised indoor gatherings/events in controlled environments with an identified organiser/owner*	Max 100 people (including staff etc)	Max limit of 50 people (including staff and in pods/groups of up to 6 if appropriate)	No organised indoor gatherings should take place	No organised indoor gatherings should take place	No organised indoor gatherings should take place
Organised outdoor gatherings/events in controlled environments with an identified organiser/owner*	Max 200 patrons Exemption: For outdoor stadia or other fixed outdoor venues with a minimum accredited capacity of 5,000, a maximum of 500 patrons will apply (with robust protective measures)**	Max 50 patrons Exemption: For outdoor stadia or other fixed outdoor venues with a minimum accredited capacity of 5,000, a maximum of 200 patrons will apply (with robust protective measures).**	Max 15 people	Max 15 people	No organised outdoor gatherings should take place
Exercise and Sporting Events	Normal training sessions and games indoors and outdoors with protective measures Gyms/leisure centres/swimming pools open with protective measures Matches/events as per outdoor/indoor gatherings guidance above	Outdoors - training can take place in pods of max 15 (exemption for prof/elite/inter-county sports). Indoors - training, exercise and dance classes can take place in pods of up to 6 inside. (exemption for prof/elite/inter-county sports). Gyms/leisure centres/ swimming pools open with protective measures Matches/events as per outdoor/indoor gatherings guidance above	Outdoors - Non contact training only in pods of max 15 Indoors – Individual training only. No exercise/dance classes. Gyms/leisure centres/swimming pools closed No matches/events to take place Exemption: professional/elite/inter-county/horse-racing	Outdoors - Non contact training only in pods of max 15 Indoors – Individual training only. No exercise/dance classes. Gyms/leisure centres/swimming pools closed No matches/events to take place Exemption: professional/elite/inter-county/horse-racing	Individual training only No matches/events to take place
Religious Services	As per existing guidance	As per existing guidance	Services move online Places of worship remain open for private prayer. Exemptions: Funerals - Max 25 people Weddings as above – max 25	Services move online Places of worship remain open for private prayer. Exemptions: Funerals - Max 25 people Weddings as above – max 6	Services move online Places of worship remain open for private prayer. Exemptions: Funerals - Max 10 people Weddings as above – max 6
Museums, Galleries	Open with protective measures, max numbers linked to capacity	Open with protective measures, max numbers linked to capacity	All venues closed	All venues closed	All venues closed
Bars, cafes & restaurants (including hotel restaurants/bars) and wet pubs	Open with protective measures Max numbers in restaurants and cafes linked to capacity of establishment Wet bars open but with capacity limit and robust protective measures in place (to be determined)**	Open with protective measures Max numbers in restaurants and cafes linked to capacity of establishment Wet bars open but with capacity limit of 25 and robust protective measures in place **	Take away food or delivery only Outdoor dining to max 15 people Wet pubs closed	Take away food or delivery only Outdoor dining to max 15 people Wet pubs closed	Take away food or delivery only Wet pubs closed
Hotels	Open with protective measures	Open with protective measures	Open but services limited to residents	Open but must limit occupancy to existing guests, and essential non-social and non-tourist reasons.	Must limit occupancy to essential non-social and non-tourist reasons.
Retail & Personal Services	Open with protective measures	Open with protective measures	Open with protective measures	Essential retail and businesses that are primarily outdoors only. All other retail and personal services closed.	Essential retail only. All other retail and personal services closed.
Public Transport	As per existing guidance	Avoid where possible	Avoid unless absolutely necessary	Essential workers & essential purposes only	Essential workers & essential purposes only
Work	Work from home where possible	Work from home where possible	Work from home unless absolutely necessary to attend in person	Only essential or other designated workers should go to work	Work from home unless essential for work which is an essential health, social care or other essential service and cannot be done from home
Travel Restrictions	No restrictions	No restrictions	Stay in your Region apart from work, education and other essential purposes, if appropriate ***	Stay in your Region apart from essential work, education and other essential purposes ***	Stay at home (exercise within 5km of home)
Schools, Creches & Higher and Adult Education	Open with protective measures	Open with protective measures	Schools and creches open with protective measures Further, higher and adult education to escalate all appropriate protective measures and limit congregation as far as possible	Schools and creches open with protective measures Further, higher and adult education moves primarily online with appropriate protective measures in place for essential attendance on site	Recommendations based on precise situation and evidence at time.
Outdoor playgrounds, play areas and parks	Open with protective measures	Open with protective measures	Open with protective measures	Open with protective measures	Open with protective measures
LTRC Facilities Visitations	Open with protective measures	Open with enhanced protective measures	Suspended, aside from critical and compassionate circumstances	Suspended, aside from critical and compassionate circumstances	Suspended, aside from critical and compassionate circumstances

- There are a small number of large purpose-built event facilities (e.g. stadia, auditoriums, conferencing/event centres) where it may be possible to have larger gatherings safely in Level 1. It is proposed that a process of engagement is put in place to consider this.
- **It is envisaged that wet bars could typically remain open in level 2, subject to the development of further guidance on protective measures. However, given the current negative trajectory of the disease, and the recent reopening of schools, it is proposed that wet bars should not open for the first time in the current phase until we have seen at least 2 weeks of stabilisation in the disease trajectory. The same caveat applies to the exemption on spectators at outdoor venues with a capacity of >5,000.
- *** Region to be determined on an individual case basis