

### Latest numbers on COVID-19 in the UK – 15th January 2021

### Some good news, some bad news

- 1. Cases
- 2. Hospitalisations
- 3. Deaths
- 4. Age breakdown
- 5. Vaccination data

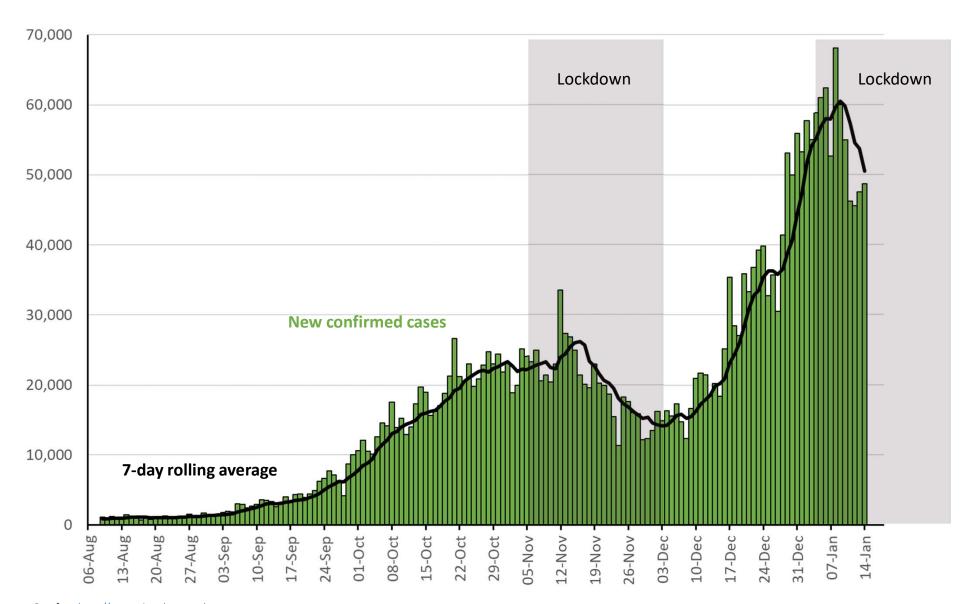
NB: ONS infection survey is late reporting this week so not included in today's slides

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## Cases

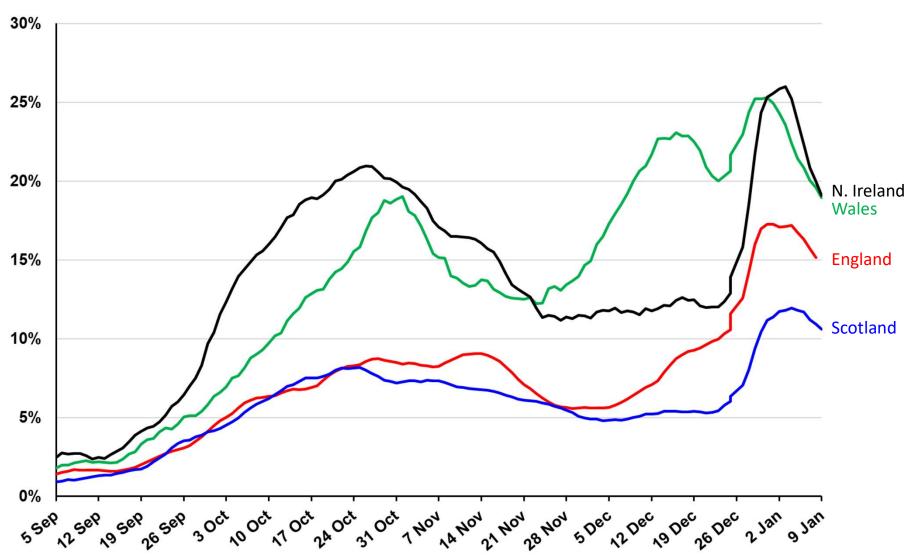


## Number of new UK confirmed COVID-19 cases by reported date (people who have had a positive test)





### Percentage positivity – UK nations – "specimen date" to 9th Jan



Data from:

Scotland: https://www.opendata.nhs.scot/dataset/covid-19-in-Scotland

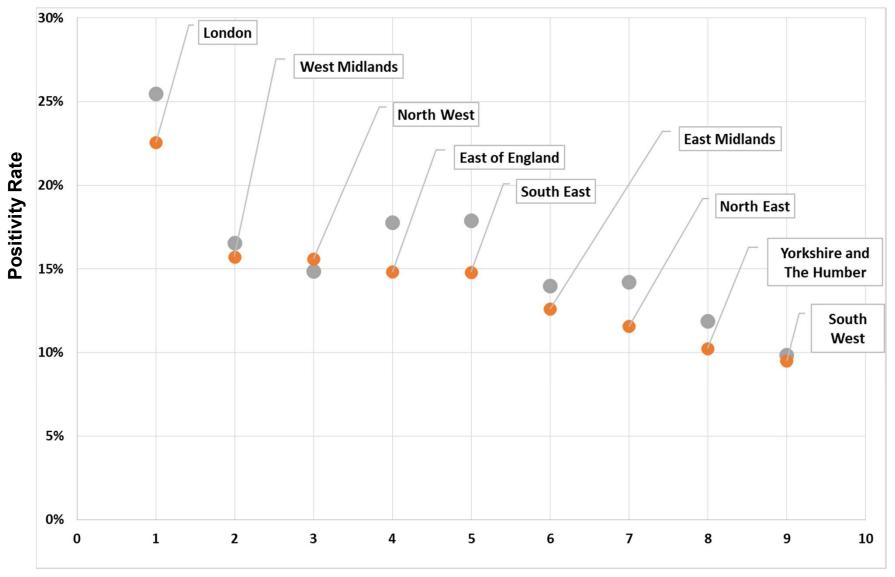
Wales: https://public.tableau.com/profile/public.health.wales.health.protection#!/vizhome/RapidCOVID-19virology-Public/Headlinesummary

NI: https://www.health-ni.gov.uk/publications/daily-dashboard-updates-covid-19-november-2020

England: <a href="https://coronavirus.data.gov.uk">https://coronavirus.data.gov.uk</a>
Visualisation courtesy of Bob Hawkins



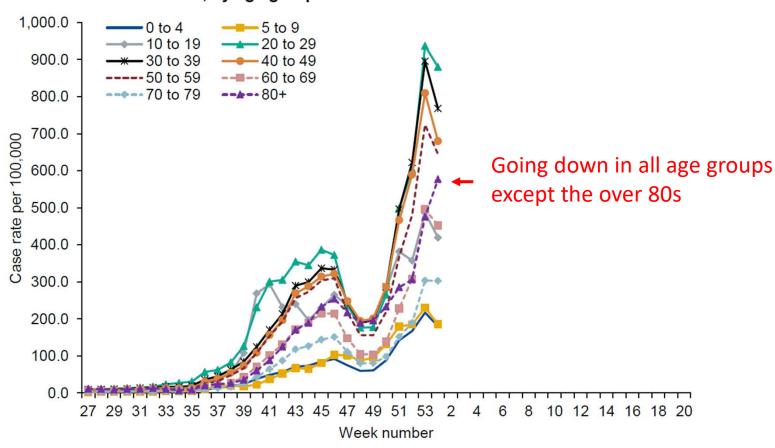
## Positivity rate for all English Regions Comparison of week ending Jan 8 to prior week





### Cases per 100,000 people by age to 10<sup>th</sup> January

Figure 4: Weekly laboratory confirmed COVID-19 case rates per 100,000, tested under Pillar 1 and Pillar 2, by age group



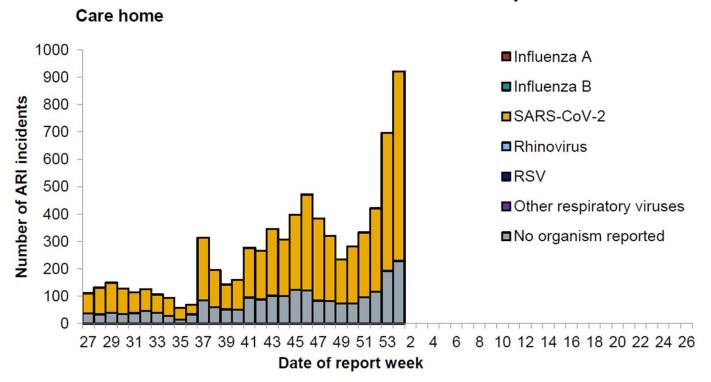
Graph from https://www.gov.uk/government/statistics/national-flu-and-covid-19-surveillance-reports



### **Incidents in care homes increasing (is this a Christmas effect??)**

Figure 17: Number of acute respiratory infection (ARI) incidents in care homes by virus type from week 27, England

#### Over 15% of 85+ yr olds are in a care home

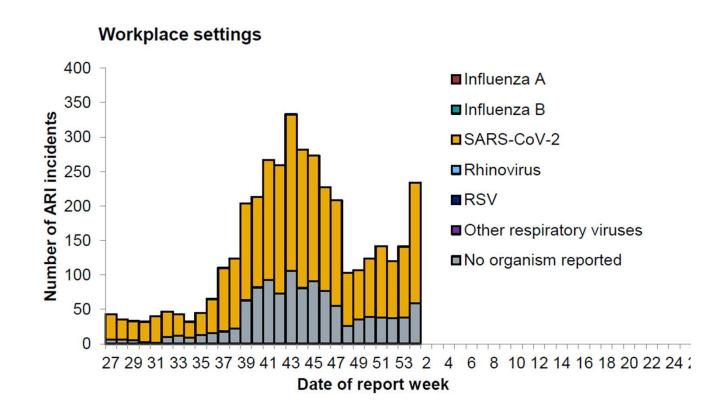


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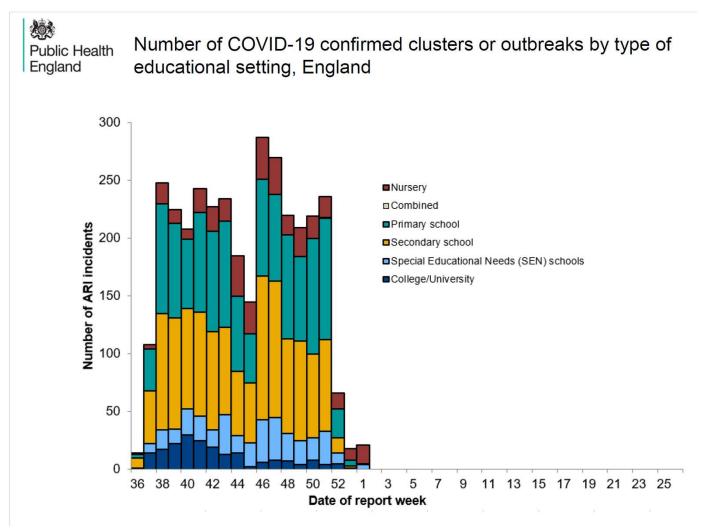
Figure 21: Number of acute respiratory infection (ARI) incidents in workplace settings by virus type from week 27, England



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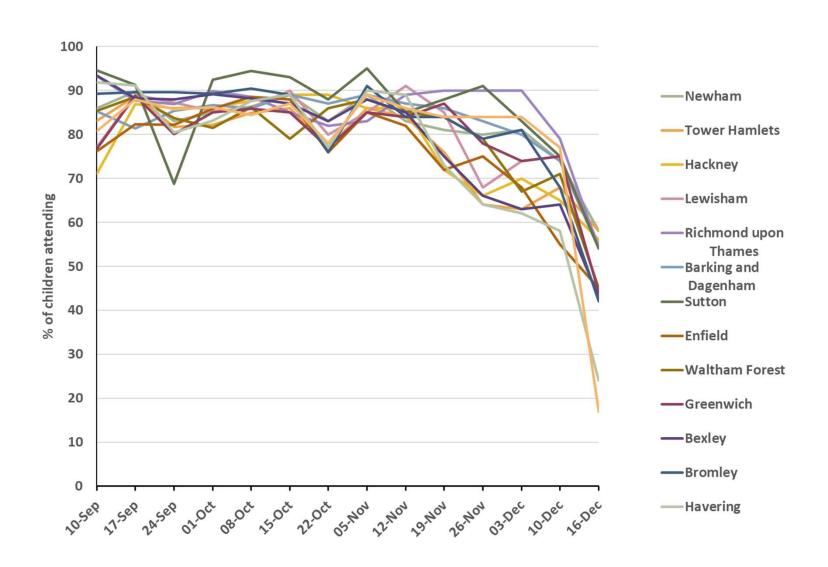
### Incidents in workplaces increasing but not schools



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## The 15 London local authorities with the lowest attendance by last week of term

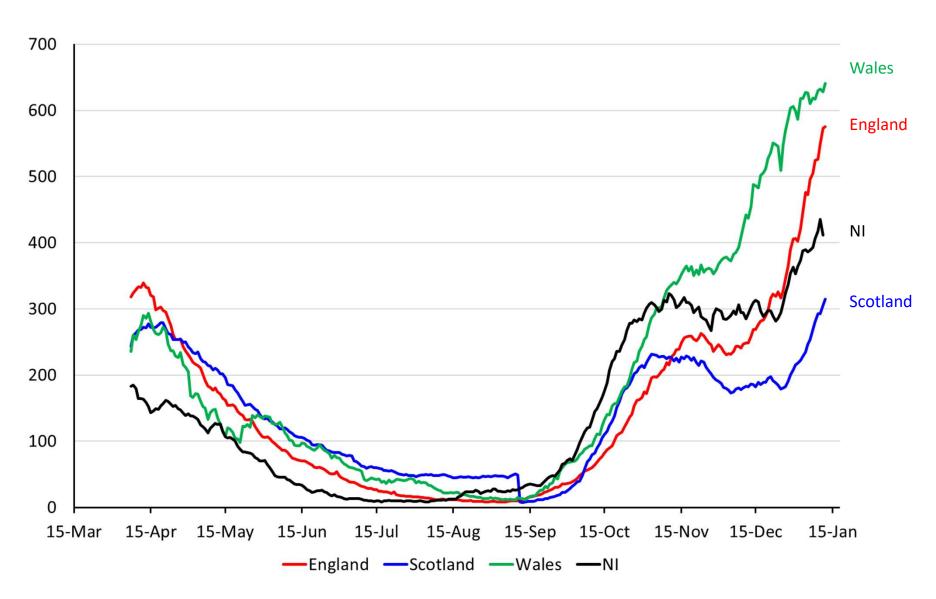


<u>Data from https://explore-education-statistics.service.gov.uk/find-statistics/attendance-in-education-and-early-years-settings-during-the-coronavirus-covid-19-outbrea</u>

# Hospitalisations

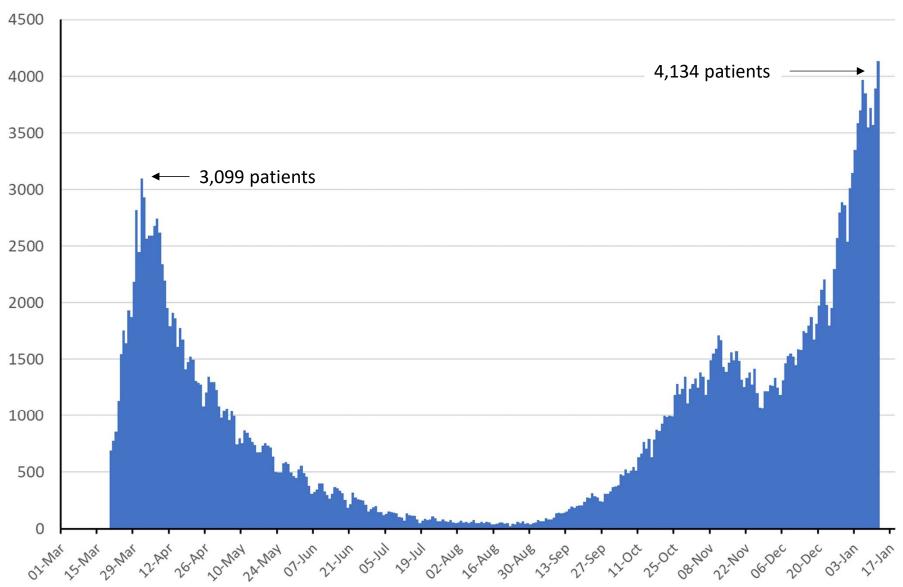


## Number of people in hospital per million people – UK nations (daily 7 day average)



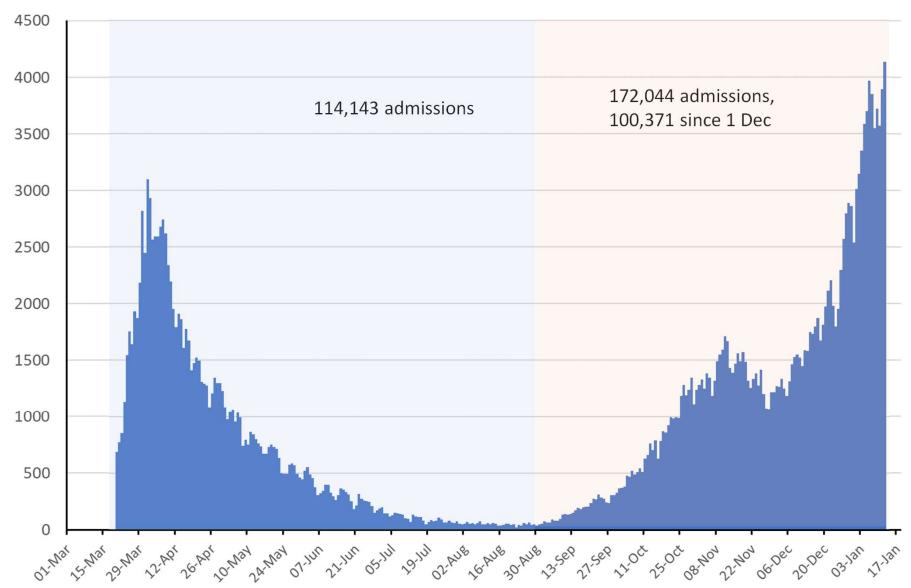


## Number of new hospital admissions with COVID-19 per day in England to 12<sup>th</sup> Jan



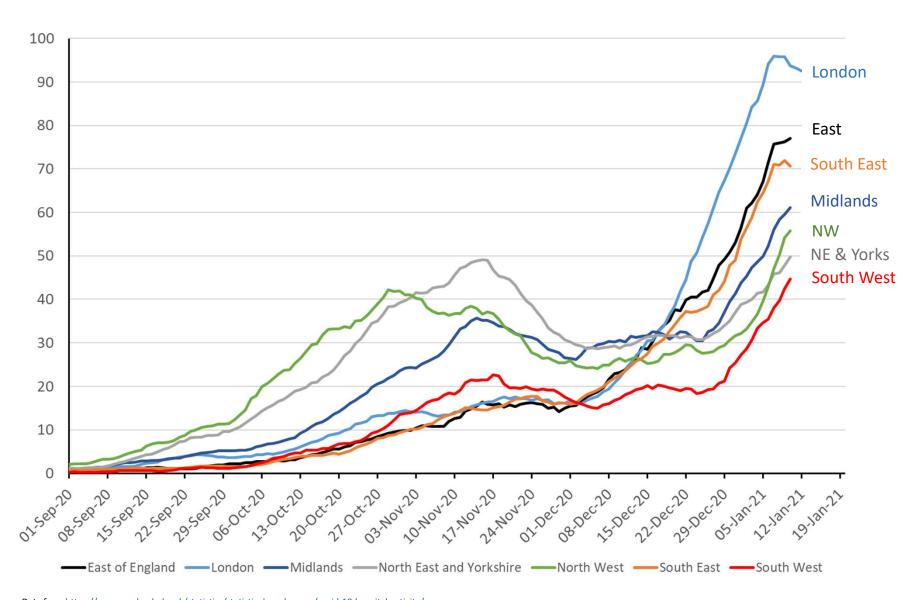


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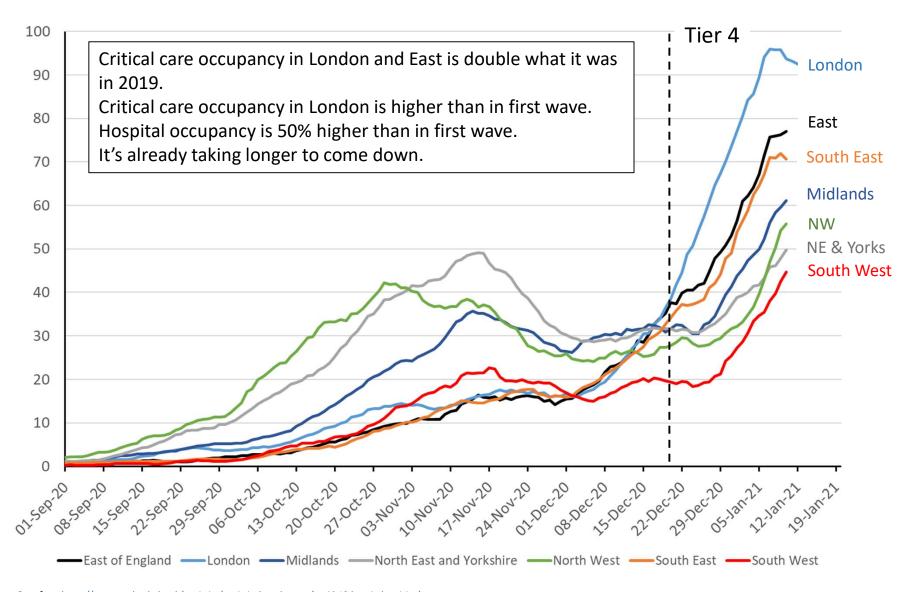


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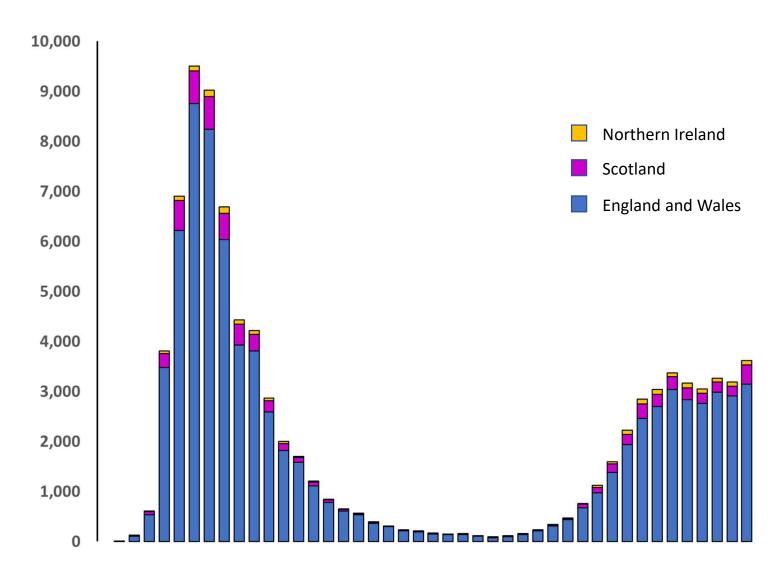
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# Deaths



## Number of new UK deaths from COVID-19 registered per week, to 1st January

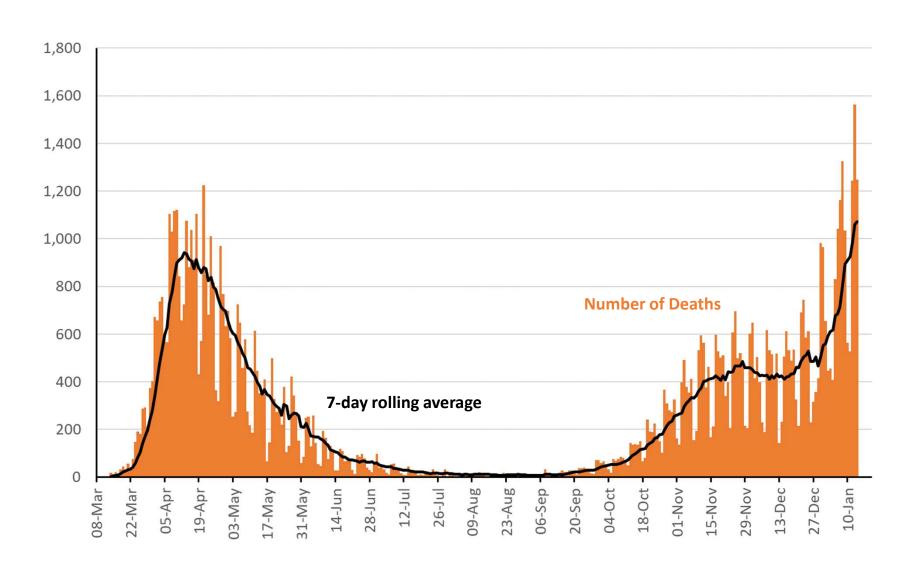


#### Data from:

Northern Ireland: www.nisra.gov.uk/publications/weekly-deaths

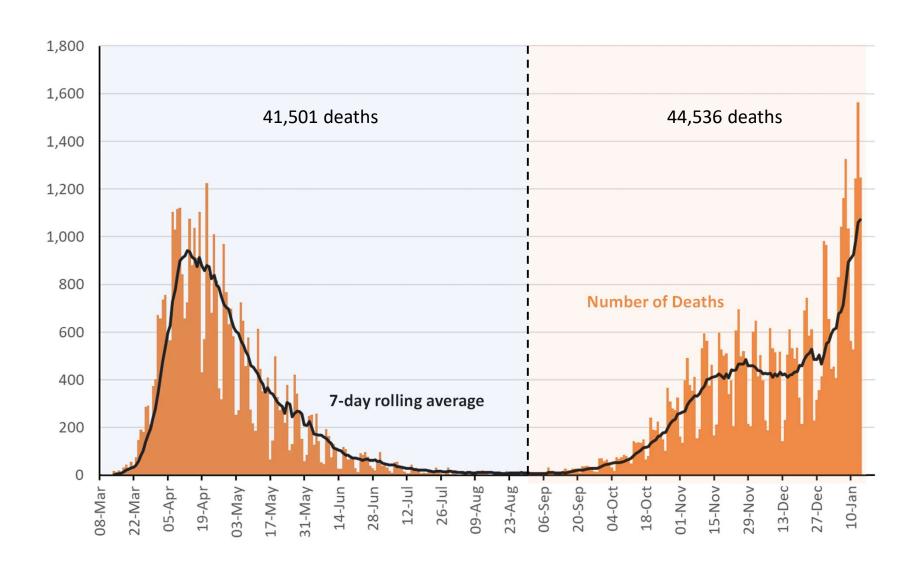


### Number of deaths within 28 days of +ve COVID test reported per day across the UK to 14<sup>th</sup> Jan



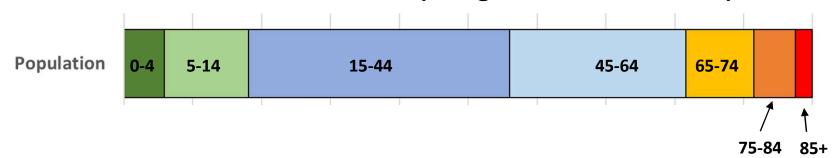


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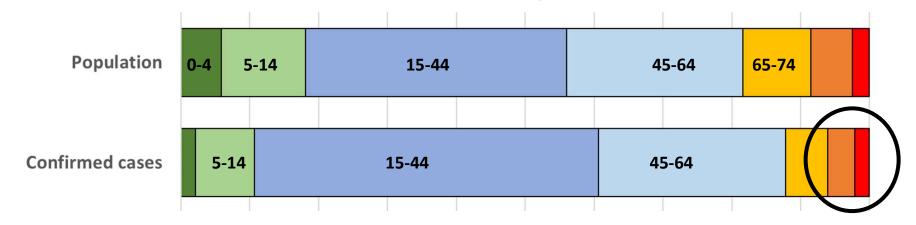


# Age breakdowns





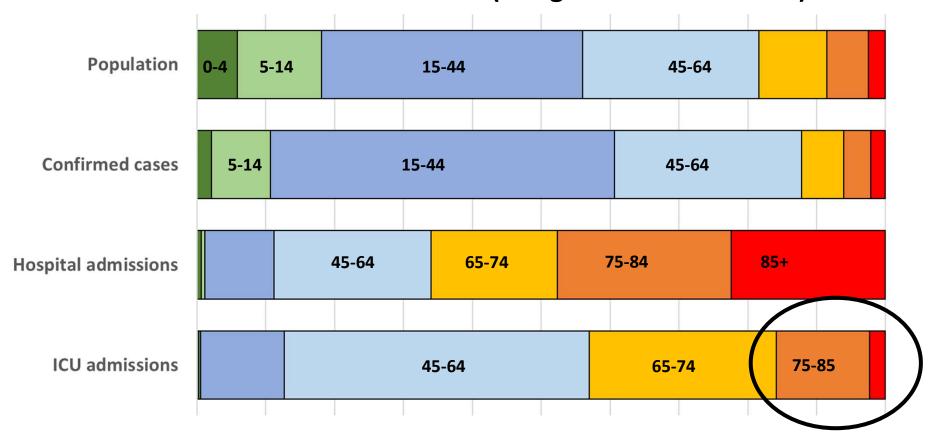




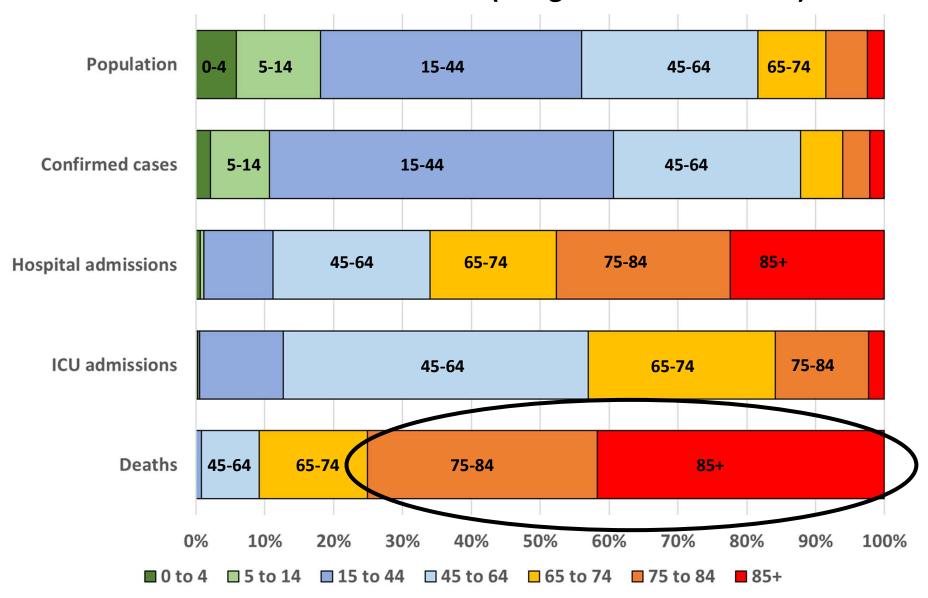








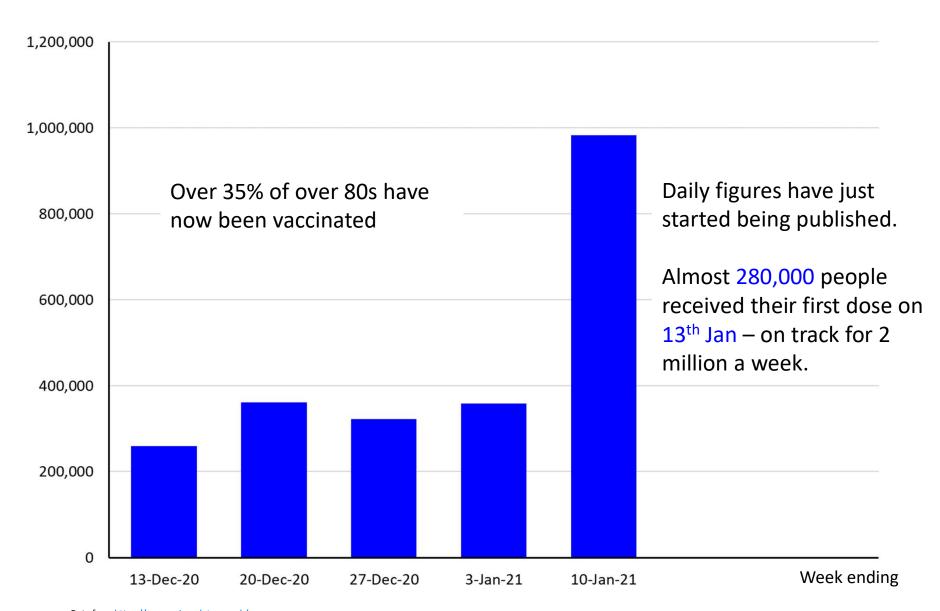




## Vaccination data



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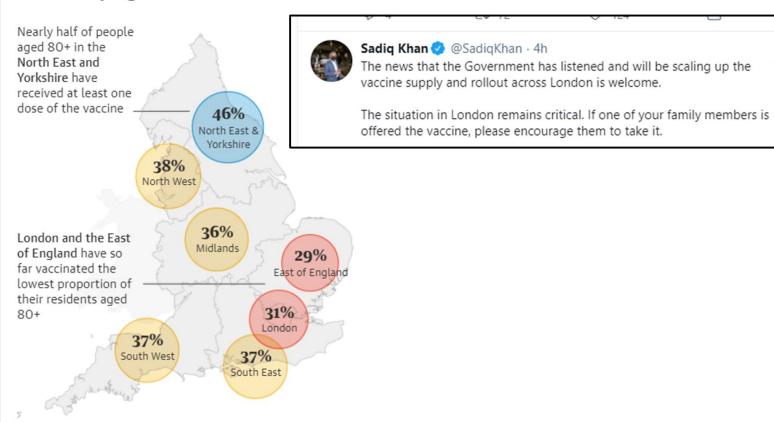


Data from https://coronavirus.data.gov.uk/



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#### English NHS regions are administering the coronavirus vaccine to people aged 80+ at varying rates



Guardian graphic. Source: NHS England, ONS population per NHS region

Graph from: https://www.theguardian.com/world/2021/jan/14/covid-vaccinations-discrepancies-london-east-of-england-lag-nhs-regions



### Summary

Case numbers and positivity rates now falling in all nations.

Hospitals are under enormous pressure which is still getting worse. Will hopefully ease over coming weeks.

Deaths will continue to increase for at least a few more weeks.

Lockdown is working but not yet well enough – possible still that cases will plateau at a high level. And we have to get cases down as fast as possible given pressure on hospitals and availability of vaccines.

Need to start planning for spring and summer now – how will keep cases low? How will we prevent new variants arising here or coming in from elsewhere?