

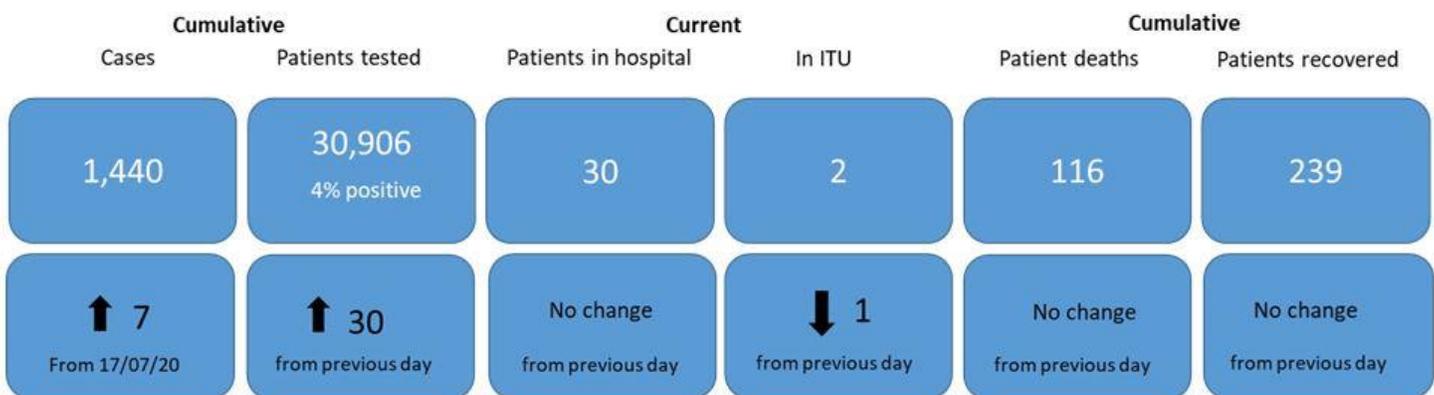
# COVID-19 Brief

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Here is the brief for Monday 20 July 2020. Please ensure that you share this brief with colleagues and staff who do not have access to email, especially if they are self-isolating, otherwise working from home or do not have ready access to a PC. Briefs are shared on our dedicated website [covid19.nhsgrampian.org](https://covid19.nhsgrampian.org) which is updated continuously.

**Grampian update** A snapshot of hospital related COVID-19 activity in Grampian for Monday 20 July is shown below. To see what is happening in other Board areas, you can visit the [Scottish Government website](#).



**Shielding staff - update** Shielding staff have been asked to stay at home until 31 July 2020. Guidance to support their safe return to the workplace, where appropriate, is awaited from the Chief Medical Officer. Until this guidance has been received and a NHS Grampian plan has been put in place, shielding staff should continue to stay at home. Where work from home is possible this should continue

**COVID-19 - reducing the impact on vulnerable families** The pandemic has had a significant impact on those families already experiencing poverty. Partners working across health, social care, and the local authorities have put various measures in place to mitigate this impact; more information on this is available [here](#).

**PPE training on Teams – reminder** Donning and doffing training is available via Teams; the next sessions take place on Wednesday 22 July, 10.30-11.15am and Monday 27 July, 11.30am-12.15pm. To book your place, please email [gram-uhb.ipc-donn-doff-training@nhs.net](mailto:gram-uhb.ipc-donn-doff-training@nhs.net)

**Datix summary** The most recent summary of Datix reports influenced by COVID-19 is available to read [here](#).

**Non-COVID information** The latest news section of the staff intranet is regularly updated with non-COVID information; you can check it out via [this link](#) (please note this link will not work on non-networked devices).

**Orange Award** Congratulations to our latest Orange Award winners - Anne Gourlay and the team on Ward 102! The Orange Award recognises exceptional work by teams and individuals working in health and social care across Grampian.

