



# COMMUNITY VOICE

Welcome to the Derbyshire Dales Community Voice Update

## LATEST COVID-19 UPDATES:

### • Testing in the Derbyshire Dales

Between 1 September 2022 and 7 September 2022, there have been 711 tests. This shows a decrease of -24.4% compared to the previous 7 days.

### • Cases in Derbyshire Dales

Between 28 August 2022 and 3 September 2022, 3 people had a confirmed positive test result. This shows an increase of 50.0% compared to the previous 7 days.

### • Vaccinations in Derbyshire Dales

**61,652** people had been given a first dose by the end of 7 September 2022.

**60,177** people had been given a second dose by the end of 7 September 2022.

**52,627** people had been given a booster or third dose by the end of 7 September 2022.

### • Healthcare in Chesterfield Royal Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

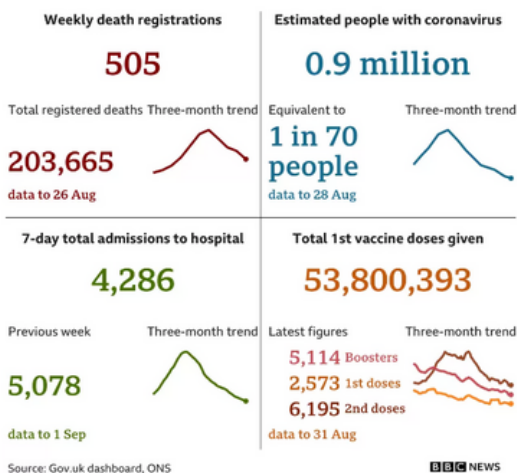
Between 30 August 2022 and 5 September 2022, 7 went into hospital with coronavirus. This shows a decrease of -30.0% compared to the previous 7 days. There were 3 patients in hospital with coronavirus on 7 September 2022.

### • Deaths in Derbyshire Dales

Between 28 August 2022 and 3 September 2022, there have been 1 deaths within 28 days of a positive coronavirus test.

Key statistics from the UK Coronavirus (COVID-19) Dashboard - last updated on Thursday 8 September 2022.

### Coronavirus in the UK



HM Government

**BOOST YOUR IMMUNITY**  
WITH THE FLU VACCINE + COVID-19 BOOSTER

People aged 65 and over, carers and pregnant women can now book their autumn COVID-19 booster.

### GOV.UK

#### • Coronavirus (COVID-19) testing for adult social care services

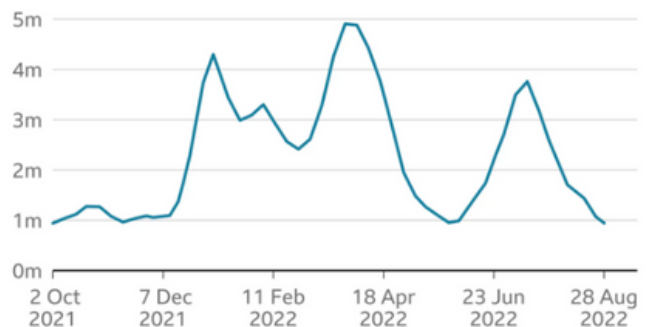
Outlines the COVID-19 testing available for staff, residents and visitors for all adult social care services.

#### • National flu and COVID-19 surveillance reports published

Weekly national influenza and coronavirus (COVID-19) report, COVID-19 activity, seasonal flu and other seasonal respiratory illnesses.

### UK infections fall below one million

Estimated people testing positive for coronavirus



# YOUR HEALTH & WELLBEING - INFORMATION

## UROLOGY AWARENESS MONTH

Thursday 1st September saw the launch of Urology Awareness Month 2022. This important campaign is an opportunity to bring together the urology community – researchers, urologists, nurses and allied healthcare professionals, influencers and decision makers, patients and their families and those with an interest in urological conditions – to raise awareness of urological conditions.

### What does a Urologist Treat?

A urologist specialises in diagnosing and treating diseases of the urinary system.

**What is a urology problem?** Urological conditions include some of the most common serious diseases in the UK - such as prostate cancer, kidney damage and incontinence. Other diseases include bladder cancer, testicular cancer, kidney stones, interstitial cystitis, and urinary tract infections.

**1 IN 2 PEOPLE**  
WILL SUFFER FROM A  
UROLOGY DISEASE IN  
THEIR LIFETIME



High blood pressure increases the risk of heart attacks and strokes, so it is important to know your numbers and get your blood pressure checked for free at local pharmacies.



With temperatures dropping, the sun setting earlier and shops selling Halloween and Christmas items, it seems that summer is truly on its way out.

One effect of the change in seasons that some may not be prepared for is how it impacts asthma sufferers.

Bad news for asthma sufferers: While some may see this change in temperature as a sad goodbye to summer, for asthma sufferers it spells something that could potentially be a lot more serious. Cold weather can potentially trigger asthma symptoms, or even asthma attacks.

Asthma - NHS ([www.nhs.uk](http://www.nhs.uk))

## What is your risk of prostate cancer?

### Risk Factors



Aged 50 and above



Family history of prostate and breast cancer



Overweight



Affecting 1 in 8 men

### See your GP if you have

- Difficulty passing urine
- The sudden urge to pee
- An inability to empty your bladder
- A need to pee more frequently
- Blood in pee or semen

These symptoms can also be caused by other things that aren't prostate cancer, but it is a good idea to get it checked out so you can get the right treatment if you need it.

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## Blood in your pee? See your GP

Spotting blood in your pee can be a sign of kidney disease, cystitis, prostate problems or kidney and bladder cancer.

The quicker you see your doctor the quicker you can get the treatment you need.

Blood in pee isn't usually caused by anything serious but you must get it checked out by a doctor. It could be cancer, which is often easier to treat if found early.



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