

**Wakefield district, along with the rest of West Yorkshire, is in Tier 3 (Very High level) restrictions.**

Within Tier 3, certain businesses are mandated to close or have conditions attached to trading. You will find links below to various websites which offer you support and the relevant guidance to operate your business safely.

**Government will assess the Tier each area is in every two weeks. In order for you to prepare for reopening safely, the links below will offer the information required.**

**For information for businesses operating in Tier 3 - Click on the sector name to find out more**

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## **Retail Sector**

Guidance for people who work in or run shops, branches, stores or similar environments.

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/working-safely-during-coronavirus-covid-19/shops-and-branches>

Business Representative Organisations and Trade Associations are providing coronavirus related support for specific sectors

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/coronavirus-support-from-business-representative-organisations-and-trade-associations>

## **Hospitality & Visitor Economy**

Guidance for people who work in or run restaurants, pubs, bars, cafes or takeaways.

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/working-safely-during-coronavirus-covid-19/restaurants-offering-takeaway-or-delivery>

Guidance for people who work in or run hotels and other guest accommodation

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/working-safely-during-coronavirus-covid-19/hotels-and-other-guest-accommodation>

Guidance for people who work or volunteer in Heritage locations

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/working-safely-during-coronavirus-covid-19/heritage-locations>

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<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/coronavirus-support-from-business-representative-organisations-and-trade-associations>

British Beer and Pub Association

<https://beerandpub.com/policies/covid-19>

## **Sport and Leisure**

Guidance on the phased return of elite sport

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-guidance-on-phased-return-of-sport-and-recreation>

Guidance for managing playgrounds and outdoor gyms

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-guidance-for-managing-playgrounds-and-outdoor-gyms/covid-19-guidance-for-managing-playgrounds-and-outdoor-gyms>

UK Active - Advice and guidance for the physical activity sector

<https://www.ukactive.com/covid-19>

CIMSPA – Sport and physical activity sector facility reopening guidance

<https://www.cimspa.co.uk/library-and-guidance/coronavirus---cimspa-briefings/reopen-sport-and-physical-activity-sector-facility-reopening-guidance>

Guidance on reopening a swimming pool after shut down

<https://www.pwtag.org/reopening-pool-after-covid19-shutdown/>

Advice on cleaning non-healthcare settings outside the home

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-decontamination-in-non-healthcare-settings>

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## Event Guidance

Guidance for people who work in performing arts, including arts organisations, venue operators and participants.

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/working-safely-during-coronavirus-covid-19/performing-arts>

UK Hospitality COVID19 Secure Guidelines for hospitality businesses

<https://www.ukhospitality.org.uk/page/UKHospitalityGuidanceforHospitality>

Events Industry Forum: Keeping workers and audiences safe during COVID-19 (England)

<https://www.eventsindustryforum.co.uk/index.php/11-features/14-keeping-workers-and-audiences-safe-during-covid-19>

Managing entertainment noise

<https://www.wakefield.gov.uk/Documents/bins-environment/environmental-health/pollution/guide-for-managing-entertainment-noise.pdf>

Guidance for people who work in Indoor and outdoor attractions, and business events and consumer shows

[www.gov.uk/guidance/working-safely-during-coronavirus-covid-19/the-visitor-economy](http://www.gov.uk/guidance/working-safely-during-coronavirus-covid-19/the-visitor-economy)

Guidance for small marriages and civil partnerships

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-guidance-for-small-marriages-and-civil-partnerships/covid-19-guidance-for-small-marriages-and-civil-partnerships>

Keeping workers and audiences safe at events

<https://www.eventsindustryforum.co.uk/index.php/11-features/14-keeping-workers-and-audiences-safe-during-covid-19>

Wakefield Council – Safety at Events

<https://www.wakefield.gov.uk/events-and-culture/events/organising-an-event/safety>

## **Close Contact Businesses**

Guidance for people who work in close contact services

[www.gov.uk/guidance/working-safely-during-coronavirus-covid-19/close-contact-services](https://www.gov.uk/guidance/working-safely-during-coronavirus-covid-19/close-contact-services)

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<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/coronavirus-support-from-business-representative-organisations-and-trade-associations>

## **Other Sectors Guidance**

Guidance for people who work in Food businesses

[www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-guidance-for-food-businesses/guidance-for-food-businesses-on-coronavirus-covid-19](https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-guidance-for-food-businesses/guidance-for-food-businesses-on-coronavirus-covid-19)

Guidance for people who work in or run outdoor working environments

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/working-safely-during-coronavirus-covid-19/construction-and-other-outdoor-work>

Guidance for people who work in Factories and warehouses

[www.gov.uk/guidance/working-safely-during-coronavirus-covid-19/factories-plants-and-warehouses](https://www.gov.uk/guidance/working-safely-during-coronavirus-covid-19/factories-plants-and-warehouses)

Guidance for people who work in Offices and contact centres

[www.gov.uk/guidance/working-safely-during-coronavirus-covid-19/offices-and-contact-centres](https://www.gov.uk/guidance/working-safely-during-coronavirus-covid-19/offices-and-contact-centres)

Guidance for people who work in, visitor deliver to other people's homes

[www.gov.uk/guidance/working-safely-during-coronavirus-covid-19/homes](https://www.gov.uk/guidance/working-safely-during-coronavirus-covid-19/homes)

Guidance for people who work in or from vehicles, including couriers, mobile workers and lorry drivers

[www.gov.uk/guidance/working-safely-during-coronavirus-covid-19/vehicles](https://www.gov.uk/guidance/working-safely-during-coronavirus-covid-19/vehicles)

## General Information

There are many sources of information on how you can run your business safely through the Covid-19 pandemic. Below are a series of links to assist.

The main source of current information is the Government website. From this page you can navigate to find the information you require.

<https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus>

How to make your workplace COVID-secure

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/working-safely-during-coronavirus-covid-19>

Local restriction tiers: what you need to know

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/local-restriction-tiers-what-you-need-to-know>

NHS Test and Trace in the workplace

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/nhs-test-and-trace-workplace-guidance>

This page explains when to wear a face covering, exemptions from wearing one, and how to make your own face covering.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/face-coverings-when-to-wear-one-and-how-to-make-your-own>

Information on Safer travel guidance

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/coronavirus-covid-19-safer-travel-guidance-for-passengers#taxis-and-private-hire-vehicles>

Risk Assessment Template – it is suggested you complete a risk assessment to understand any risks which may occur.

<https://www.hse.gov.uk/simple-health-safety/risk/risk-assessment-template-and-examples.htm>

General advice and guidance from Wakefield Council

<https://www.wakefield.gov.uk/about-the-council/coronavirus-information>

Wakefield First is the business arm of Wakefield Council, for latest information on Government guidance

<https://wakefieldfirst.com/business-recovery>

For useful downloads including posters

<https://wakefieldfirst.com/useful-downloads/>

For the latest information on financial support and Government grants

<https://wakefieldfirst.com/covid-19/>



West Yorkshire Police Community Alert system provides free crime prevention and other advice and alerts. It can be registered for online here:

<https://www.wypcommunityalert.co.uk/>

West Yorkshire Fire and Rescue - <https://www.westyorksfire.gov.uk>

The Wakefield Council contact centre is available by phone on 0345 8 506 506 or by email to: [customerservices@wakefield.gov.uk](mailto:customerservices@wakefield.gov.uk)