

# People Scrutiny Commission

22 October 2020



**Report of:** Director of Public Health

**Title: Public Health update: COVID 19 bi-weekly Bristol statistics update**

**Ward: ALL**

**Officer Presenting Report:** Christina Gray, Director of Public Health

**Recommendation: For the People Scrutiny Commission to note the report**

**The significant issues in the report are:**

Up to 16 October there have been a total of 3685 confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Bristol

For the latest week there were 981 new cases of COVID-19 Bristol, an increase from previous week (630 cases in previous week)

3070 new cases were identified between 29 May to 20 October in Bristol; of these 2387 were followed by the National Test and Trace system (78%).

R number in the south west region is 1.3 to 1.6.

There have been a total of 256 COVID-19 deaths (12% of all deaths in that period) in Bristol since the beginning of March.

Refer to Appendix A for commentary.

