

STEP 1: PART A

8th March

- ❖ Children & students return to face-to-face education
- ❖ HEI students on practical courses return
- ❖ People can leave home for exercise outdoors with their household or support bubble
- ❖ People can meet outdoors with one person from outside their household
- ❖ Care home residents allowed one regular visitor
- ❖ Vaccination Programme underway

29th March

On-Site Research

- On-site research in accordance with local college based management that has already been approved by research restart
- Changes to on-site research to require approval on a case by case basis through change requests
- Research restart to retain oversight of the approval process

Fieldwork

- Fieldwork to require approval on a case by case basis and to be individually risk assessed based on the activity and environment
- Fieldwork that involves UK or international travel should be paused where possible however exceptions can be made for essential work that is time dependent
- International travel for fieldwork is currently not covered by insurance unless by exception because of essential or seasonal activity which can be approved by research restart and subsequently the registrar
- Mitigations need to be put in place for any quarantine

Human Participants

- Over 2m activity covered through on-site and fieldwork activities
- For under 2m activity:
- HP research to continue for: [i] Covid-19 related studies, [ii] studies which maybe of *direct* benefit to the patient or follow up required to reduce risk to participant
 - Studies involving higher risk participants should remain paused
 - Human Participants to be involved in research for those with a Covid age of under 40
 - Some exceptions to Covid age under 40 for low risk activities
 - Vaccination (2 weeks after the first dose) can to be considered by researchers as an additional mitigation of risk, but should not to replace current effective mitigations.

PGRs

- PGR's have access to research restart on-site through local booking
- Time critical work is prioritised for PGRs including related to PGR completion (noting some seasonal work approved under fieldwork)
- Specific study/ desk space to be booked through local booking procedures
- On-campus study spaces available through central booking system
- Space likely to be more challenging in light of increasing number of students on campus

STEP 1: PART B

Earliest 29th March

- ❖ Groups of 6 can meet outdoors or 2 households
- ❖ Outdoor sports facilities and formal sports functions
- ❖ 'Stay at home' rule ends
- ❖ Work at home where it minimises journeys
- ❖ Travel abroad will continue to be prohibited, other than for a small number of permitted reasons.

12th April

On-Site Research	Fieldwork	Human Participants	PGRs
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ No Change from Step 1: Part A ➤ On-site research in accordance with local college based management that has already been approved by research restart ➤ Changes to on-site research to require approval on a case by case basis through change requests ➤ Research restart to remain with oversight of the approval process 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Review of outdoor fieldwork with relaxation of mitigations where group activity is incorporated ➤ Fieldwork to require approval on a case by case basis and to be individually risk assessed based on the activity and environment ➤ Some fieldwork that involves UK travel can resume ➤ International travel for fieldwork remains not covered by insurance unless by exception ➤ Mitigations need to be put in place for any quarantine 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Same as Step 1: Part A ➤ Over 2m activity covered through on-site and fieldwork activities ➤ For under 2m activity: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ HP research to continue for : [i] Covid-19 related studies, [ii] studies which maybe of <i>direct</i> benefit to the patient or follow up required to reduce risk to participant ➤ Studies involving higher risk participants should remain paused ➤ Human Participants to be involved in research for those with a Covid age of under 40 ➤ Some exceptions for low risk activities ➤ Vaccination (2 weeks after the first dose) can to be considered by researchers as an additional mitigation of risk, but should not to replace current effective mitigations. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ No Change from Step 1: Part A ➤ PGR's have access to research restart on-site through local booking ➤ Fieldwork is prioritised for essential time dependent research in relation to PGR completion ➤ Specific study/ desk space to be booked through local booking procedures ➤ On-campus study spaces available through central booking system ➤ Space likely to be more challenging in light of increasing number of students on campus

STEP 2

Earliest 12th April

- ❖ Non-essential retail; personal care and public buildings, including libraries
- ❖ Indoor leisure facilities such as gyms will also reopen (individuals or households)
- ❖ Outdoor attractions
- ❖ Self-contained accommodation where indoor facilities are not shared with other households
- ❖ Hospitality outdoors

17th May

On-Site Research	Fieldwork	Human Participants	PGRs
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ No Change from Step 1: Part A ➤ On-site research in accordance with local college based management that has already been approved by research restart ➤ Changes to on-site research to require approval on a case by case basis through change requests ➤ Research restart to remain with oversight of the approval process 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Review of fieldwork position with relaxation of mitigations ➤ Fieldwork to require approval on a case by case basis and to be individually risk assessed based on the activity and environment ➤ Fieldwork that involves UK travel and accommodation that has been can resume subject to panel approval ➤ Review of International travel for fieldwork and insurance position ➤ Mitigations remain in place for any quarantine 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Review policy in line with <2 m work but expectation is to remain as Step 1 <p>For under 2m activity:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ HP research to continue for : [i] Covid-19 related studies, [ii] studies which maybe of <i>direct</i> benefit to the patient or follow up required to reduce risk to participant ➤ Studies involving higher risk participants should remain paused ➤ Human Participants to be involved in research for those with a Covid age of under 40 ➤ Some exceptions for low risk activities ➤ Vaccination (2 weeks after the first dose) can to be considered by researchers as an additional mitigation of risk, but should not to replace current effective mitigations. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ No Change from Step 1 ➤ PGR's have access to research restart on-site through local booking ➤ Fieldwork is prioritised for essential time dependent research in relation to PGR completion ➤ Specific study/ desk space to be booked through local booking procedures ➤ On-campus study spaces available through central booking system ➤ Review of Space requirements as this becomes more challenging in light of increasing number of students on campus (likely to be study space)

STEP 3

Earliest 17th May

- ❖ Outdoor gatherings up to 30 people
- ❖ Rule of 6 or two households indoors
- ❖ International Travel
- ❖ Indoor entertainment
- ❖ Domestic overnight stays, hotels
- ❖ Indoor gym classes and organised sport
- ❖ Some large events with some restrictions

21st June

On-Site Research	Fieldwork	Human Participants	PGRs
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ No Change from Step 1: Part A ➤ On-site research in accordance with local college based management that has already been approved by research restart ➤ Changes to on-site research to require approval on a case by case basis through change requests ➤ Research restart to remain with oversight of the approval process 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Review of fieldwork position with relaxation of mitigations ➤ Fieldwork to require approval on a case by case basis and to be individually risk assessed based on the activity and environment ➤ Fieldwork that involves UK travel and accommodation to continue following a review ➤ Light check of International travel for fieldwork and insurance position ➤ Mitigations remain in place for any quarantine 	<p>Over 2m activity covered through on-site and fieldwork activities</p> <p>For under 2m activity:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ HP research to continue for : [i] Covid-19 related studies, [ii] studies which maybe of <i>direct</i> benefit to the patient or follow up required to reduce risk to participant ➤ Studies involving higher risk participants can begin to resume following a case by case review, appropriate mitigating measures and depending on capacity of facilities ➤ Review of Covid age inclusion criteria ➤ Prepare guidelines for Human Participant research post restrictions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ No Change from Step 1 ➤ PGR's have access to research restart on-site through local booking ➤ Fieldwork is prioritised for essential time dependent research in relation to PGR completion ➤ Specific study/ desk space to be booked through local booking procedures ➤ On-campus study spaces available through central booking system ➤ Review of Space requirements as this becomes more challenging in light of increasing number of students on campus (likely to be study space) ➤ Review face to face vivas

STEP 4

Earliest 21st June

- ❖ All legal limits on social contact to be lifted

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<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Request for college plans to be reviewed for on-site research in accordance with local college based management➤ Following review Research restart to remove oversight of the approval process➤ College Record to be kept to ensure any future restrictions can be quickly implemented	<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Review of fieldwork position with relaxation of mitigations➤ Following review Fieldwork to require no longer require approval but for them to be continued to be individually risk assessed based on the activity and environment➤ Review International travel for fieldwork and insurance position➤ Mitigations remain in place for any remaining quarantine➤ College records to be kept to ensure any future restrictions can be quickly implemented	<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Review for all activities under 2m social distancing and human participant studies➤ Intention for all activities resuming in a phased way to support capacity and resourcing of relevant facilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Full review of space requirements for PGRs on campus as part of future of work – for desk space within colleges➤ Ensure reasonable adjustments for access and spaces are reviewed aligned with review of space➤ Review face to face viva's