# Local Outbreak Management Plan 2021 - Summary

| **Aim** | To reduce the number and severity of positive COVID-19 cases and outbreaks, and harm caused in North Lincolnshire |
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| **We will focus on…** | Protecting care homes, education settings and high-risk settings. | The COVID-19 vaccination programme | Taking an Integrated Preventative Approach (IPA) | Local contact tracing and testing |
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| **Key outcomes** | To reduce number of cases and outbreaks to enable continuity of delivery of services. | Vaccination uptake equal to England average, and delivered across North Lincolnshire's diverse communities. | To ensure vulnerable people supported through close working with VCSE and communities. | Optimisation of local resources to identify positive cases and reduce community transmission. |
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| **Key actions** | Work with high-risk settings to ensure they are working within recommendations and guidelines as set out by Government, including testing, close contacts and self isolation. | Fully utilise vaccines within North Lincolnshire through data analysis, communication, accessible locations, and targeted campaigns. | Training for staff and volunteers to enable community needs to be better met and enable better understanding and communication. | Enable lines of communication, statistics analysis and best practice sharing internal and external to meet needs of all North Lincolnshire communities and settings. |
| | Monitor patterns of COVID-19 infections in settings and provide expertise and advice to manage and curtail potential outbreaks | Key 'community leaders' acting as conduit within diverse communities to appropriate information. | Work with settings and statutory agencies to ensure that they operate safely; for example within supervision ratios (education settings and care homes), or infection prevention and control. | Enable local community testing (at site or at home) to be responsive to meet needs, use technology to facilitate track and tracing, and use targeted approaches to ensure compliance with self isolation. |

| **What this will achieve** | Vaccinated communities thereby reducing the harm and deaths caused by COVID-19. | Prioritised vulnerable communities to enable them to be safe, well, resilient and flourishing. | Continuation of services and businesses to prevent distribution and inequalities becoming evident | Increased knowledge of community assets to enable timely and appropriate prevention and intervention. | Enabling individuals and communities to live, work and play. |
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