# The Coronavirus crisis through a Local Area Coordination lens

local area coordination

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Community

## WEEK 1

**12 MARCH 2020**

Government providing plan to care

Senior leaders of Local Area Coordination programmes involved in Covid-19 planning

**13 MARCH 2020**

Hospitals are discharged from hospitals into care homes, including people who have coronavirus, and discharged to care homes

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## WEEK 2

**16 MARCH 2020**

Government predicts 20,000 deaths would be a good outcome

People and communities become more concerned

**18 MARCH 2020**

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**19 MARCH 2020**

Government suggests the PPE shortage is resolved

**21 MARCH 2020**

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## WEEK 3

**23 MARCH 2020**

Lockdown begins

Practical shift for Local Area Coordinators towards working and management of Community Hubs and Real time People Net teams looking for practical support around food parcels and funding for groups

## WEEK 4

**26 MARCH 2020**

Local Area Coordination start to link with mutual aid groups. Coordinators become central to bringing community and council responses together in many areas

Network offer for members starts to be reviewed and refocused

Government announces safer pubs and restaurants to close

Facebook is announced

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**27 MARCH 2020**

Boris Johnson diagnosed with Coronavirus

## WEEK 5

**29 MARCH 2020**

Chip for carers starts in communities

Local Area Coordinators are setting into practice the offer of support to carers, including the Carers Trust Chip for carers to have choice learning. Through chip the members assist.

**31 MARCH 2020**

Government announces the talking target are 100,000 tests per day

NHS England hospitals open

Local Area Coordinators are settling into the principles of Local Area Coordination. The language of crisis is apparent in the order sector

## WEEK 6

**2 APRIL 2020**

Boris Johnson, moved to hospital

Tweet: I tested positive for coronavirus. I feel fine. I'm self-isolating and will continue to lead the fight against this pandemic from my home. Thanks to the NHS and everyone who is working so hard to look after the sick and keep the country running.

Tweet: I stopped for my team as they continued to make sure that people are safe, fed and connected.

I stopped for my team as they talk to people in distress and make their lives more manageable and less boring.

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