

Shropshire COVID-19

Outbreak Control Plan

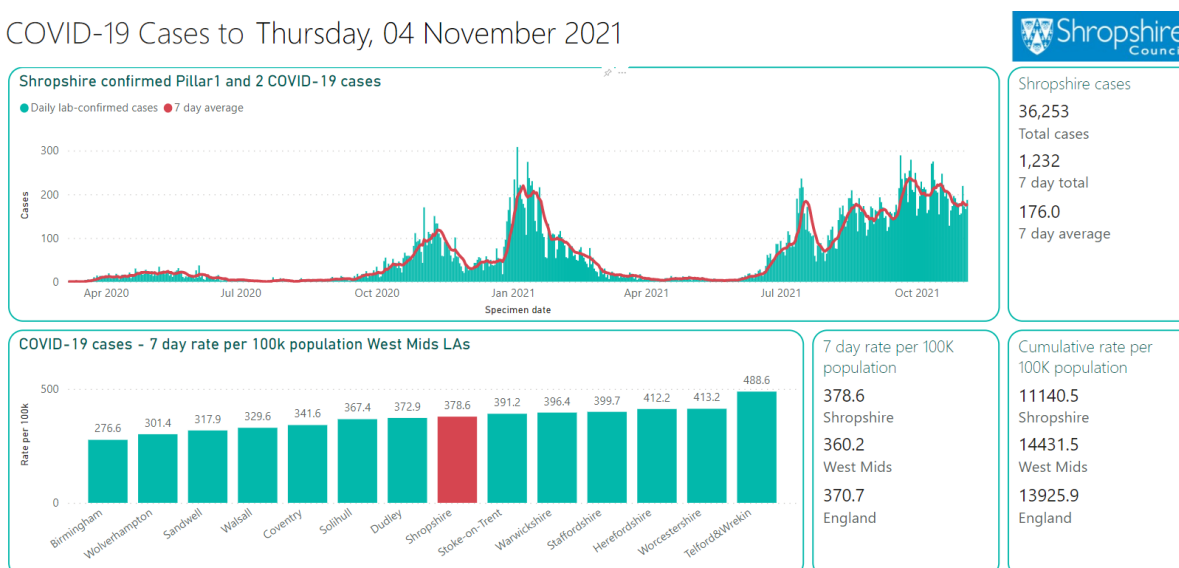
Weekly Covid 7-day infection rate and outbreak briefing – 10th November 2021

7-day infection rate

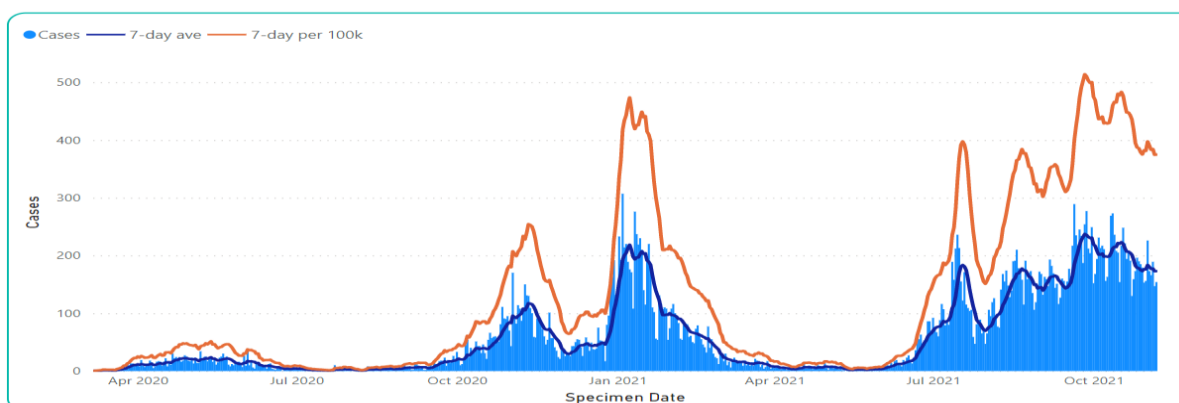
The [data published today](#) will show 1232 new cases reported for Shropshire during the 7 day period from 29th October to the 4th November, this compares to 1216 cases in the previous reported 7 day period from 22nd October to the 28th October.

This gives a 7-day infection rate of 378.6 per 100,000 (compared to 360.2 for the West Midlands and 370.7 for England). This is an increase from 373.7 for the week to 28th October.

COVID-19 Cases to Thursday, 04 November 2021



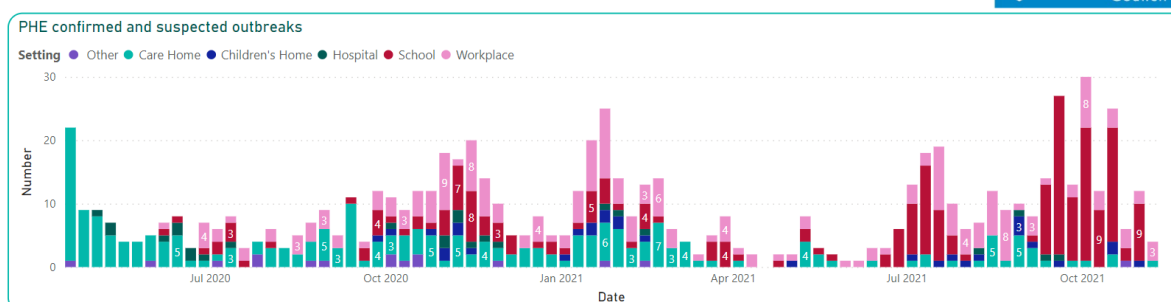
Data from reported positive cases is more up-to-date and therefore usually shows a more accurate picture, this shows a 7-day per 100,000 rate of **398.59** (with void cases removed) for the latest day that had a reasonable number of test results reported (**7th November**), although recent experience suggests that this is mildly understated as not all results for the preceding days will be available yet.



Outbreaks

We are currently dealing with 30 ongoing outbreaks, with 16 declared since the last report.

Outbreaks to week ending Sunday 07 November 2021



Summary			
Setting	New Exposure	New Outbreaks	Total
School	37	195	232
Care Home	67	158	225
Workplace	35	177	212
Children's Home	9	22	31
Hospital	4	21	25
Other	4	12	16
Total	156	585	741

Cases

Of the total positive cases in the last 7 days the average age was 36.8 years. 383 cases (31.6%) were age 0-19, 88 (7.3%) were age 20-29. Meanwhile 81 cases (6.7%) were aged 70+, showing a slight increase in the rate of cases in the older population. During the last week 36% of cases were in the Shrewsbury & Atcham area, 32% in North Shropshire and 32% in South Shropshire.

Testing

Positivity rate is currently 9.2%, up from 8.5% last week. Figures for the West Midlands show a similar trend in positivity rate (10.4%).

The 7-day moving average of individuals tested per 100,000 population is 598.7, down from 762.9 in the previous week.

