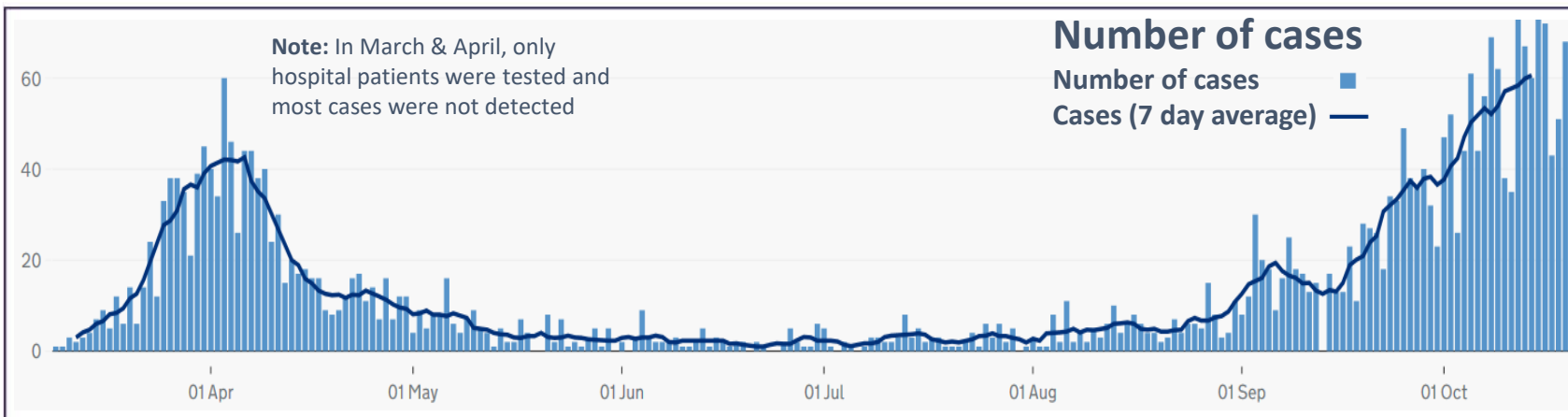


# NEWHAM WEEKLY COVID-19 STATISTICS

Updated: 21st October for period 11<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> October

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## WHAT DOES THIS MEAN?

The picture for Newham remains concerning. Cases have increased over the past week, as across much of the city. London has moved to high risk in the national local alert levels. Over the past week there have been 476 cases across the borough which means that there are multiple sites of transmission. Positivity in tests has also increased substantially.

This means that the risk of catching Covid-19 is becoming greater all of the time. We strongly urge people to follow all the rules and public health advice, as well as settings where people gather to take all necessary steps to limit risk of infection spreading.

Please stay at home if you or someone you live with has symptoms; cover your face in public, wash your hands regularly, do not mix with other households indoors and please observe the rule of six outdoors.

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**Cases**  
(Positive tests)

**This week**  
**476** ↑

**Last week\***  
407

**3,421**  
Total cases to date

**Rate of cases**  
(per 100,000 persons)

**This week**  
**136** ↑

**Last week\***  
112

Key: 7-day rate per 100,000

0.0 - 9.9	Green
10.0 - 19.9	Light Green
20.0 - 25.9	Yellow
26.0 - 49.9	Orange
≥50.0	Red

**Rate of daily testing**  
(per 100,000 persons)

**This week**  
**130** ↓

**Last week\***  
171

Key: 7-day testing rate per 100,000

0.0 - 99.9	Lightest Blue
100.0 - 124.9	Light Blue
125.0 - 149.9	Medium Blue
150.0 - 199.9	Dark Blue
≥200.0	Darkest Blue

**Positive tests (%)**  
Total weekly tests: 6,593

**This week**  
**13.8** ↑

**Last week\***  
9.6

Key: 7-day positive test rate

0.0 - 0.9	Green
1.0 - 3.9	Light Green
4.0 - 7.5	Yellow
>7.5	Red

Data source: Covid-19 Situational Awareness Explorer, (PHE). Rendered on 21st October for data reported up to and including 17th Oct. Due to reporting delays the most recent 4 days are excluded. \*Numbers for the previous week may be different from last week's dashboard as new daily data can change counts for previous weeks.