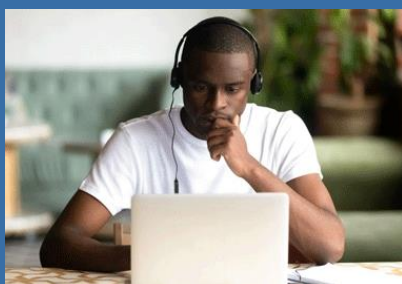


This edition of SCIELine promotes our latest report 'Beyond COVID-19: New thinking on the future of adult social care', summarising insights on the COVID-19 pandemic and how to overcome the challenges the care sector faces. There's also new resources for social work practice, commissioners and care providers, plus webinars to view.



New: Beyond COVID-19 - New thinking on the future of adult social care

This latest report summarises a wide range of different contributions and discussions surrounding the COVID-19 pandemic and the social care sector. It makes a number of recommendations and details three key shifts for the future which are needed to overcome the immense challenges we face in adult social care.

Learn more: [Beyond COVID-19 - New thinking on the future of adult social care](#)

For more COVID-19 related resources, [visit the SCIE Hub](#).



New: Matching interventions and people - a decision making tool

COVID-19 and guidelines on social distancing have changed social work practice. This new resource is a decision-making tool to establish the best format, or combination of formats, for a given interaction, and can be used for any social care interaction.

Learn more: [Matching interventions and people](#)



National Mental Capacity Forum Webinar recording: Taking stock and looking forward

The National Mental Capacity Forum (NMCF) are running a series of rapid response webinars for the COVID-19 crisis, chaired by Baroness Finlay and hosted by the Essex Autonomy Project.

[View the recording: NMCF webinar](#)



New: The future of commissioning

This is one in a series of [commissioning guides](#) focusing on impacts and responses during the pandemic. This guide covers the immediate future of commissioning in light of COVID-19.

[Learn more: The future of commissioning](#)



Upcoming webinars: Harnessing the power of data to transform adult social care - 11 September

Join this webinar for local authority adults' services leaders discussing using the power of data to transform social care. These webinars will be co-hosted by SCIE and Xantura, to go with a previous webinar covering children's social care with Mutual Ventures. Webinars will include contributions from local authority partners.

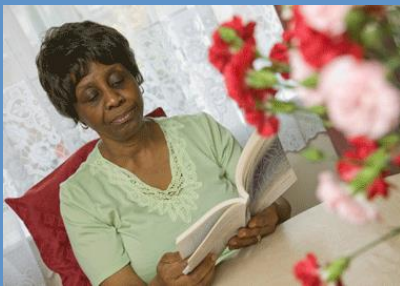
[Register: Data and transforming social care webinar - 11 September at 11:30am](#)



Have your say: COVID-19 - Best practice in home care for adults

We're looking for examples of good practice from home care services for both working aged and older adults. Fill in our form and let us know of examples you might have encountered, or are using yourself, that you think would be useful to share more widely.

Have your say: COVID-19 practice in home cares



Updated: Dignity in care - videos

This updated [dignity in care practical guide](#) now contains a suite of short and longform videos, to help explain the importance of dignity in care. It is aimed at care providers, managers and staff who work with adults – especially older adults.

Learn more: [Dignity in care - videos](#)



Webinar recording: Building back from COVID-19 - tackling health inequality in partnership

This webinar sought to explore how systems can work in partnership to deliver an ambitious, widely owned local vision, and plan for action at both system and place level. Hear panelists discuss practical solutions to issues that systems may be facing as part of their ICS journey and in their response to COVID-19.

View the recording: [Tackling health inequality in partnership webinar](#)



Social work registration - Social Work England

Social workers who wish to practise after November must apply, between 01 September and 30 November, to Social Work England to renew their registration. To get ready:

- [Activate your online account](#)
- [Record at least one piece of CPD](#)
- [Self-refer if you need to](#)

Social Work England: Registration



Updated: SCIE e-learning features

We've added a new feature for managers / L&D leads who use [SCIE's e-learning courses](#) with their staff. You can now download a report showing the number of learners who you invited to study courses, who have subsequently completed those courses within last month, quarter or year: This can be used as evidence of the training of your staff, and with our [infection control course](#), can be submitted as evidence for [Autumna's S.A.F.E. care homes](#).

Learn more: Invite and manage learners

Latest from the social care sector: News in brief

- [Overview of adult social care guidance on coronavirus \(COVID-19\) - DHSC](#)
- [Majority of public believe care workers are undervalued and underpaid, finds survey - Home Care Insight](#)
- [UK social workers say they lack time and resources to do their job - Guardian](#)
- [Think tank proposes pension-style social care system - Local Gov](#)



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