

National Public Health Emergency Team COVID-19 Meeting 32: Friday 22nd May 2020 from 10.00am (via video conference) AGENDA

No.	Item
1	Welcome and Introductions
	a) Conflict of Interest
	b) Minutes of previous meeting(s)
	c) Matters Arising
	(i) Definition of a close contact in current National Interim Guidelines
2	Epidemiological Assessment
	Evaluation of Epidemiological data:
	a) Update on National Data
	b) Modelling Update
	c) International Assessments
3	Expert Advisory Group
4	Review of Existing Policy
	a) Personal Behaviours & Social Distancing
	b) Report from NPHET Subgroup - Diagnostic Testing Approaches
	c) Sampling, Testing, Contact Tracing and CRM reporting
	(i) Targeted Use of Testing Capacity-Strategy
	d) Setting and cohort specific updates
	 i. Overview of the health system response to date - Long-term residential healthcare settings
	e) Review of mortality
	f) Health & Safety Authority - Return to Work Safely Protocol COVID-19 Specific National Protocol for Employers and Workers
5	Future Policy
	a) Review of Public Health Measures
	(i) Draft Guidance on Visiting Long Term Care Facilities
	(ii) Review of Public Health Measures for Phase 2 (including discussion on possible
	approach relevant to children)
	b) Travel Considerations
	c) Ad Hoc
	(i) HSE Update: Clinical Roadmap for the Delivery of Non-COVID Services in a COVID Environment
6	National Action Plan / Weekly Updates on:
	a) Hospital Preparedness
	b) Vulnerable People and Community Capacity
	c) Medicines and Medical Devices Criticality
	d) Health Sector Workforce



	e) Guidance and Evidence Synthesis
	f) Legislation
	g) Ethical Considerations
	i. Ethics guidance on LTRCs
	h) Behavioural Change
7	Communications Planning
8	Meeting Close
	a) Agreed Actions
	b) AOB
	(i) Date of Next Meeting