

COVID-19

HOME TESTING

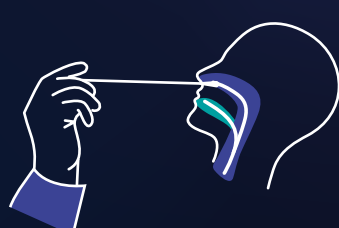
19th June to 8th July

Understanding how many people have
COVID-19 at any one time



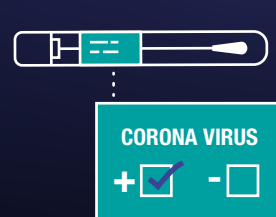
219,864

Letters were posted to people inviting them to take part in the study



159,199

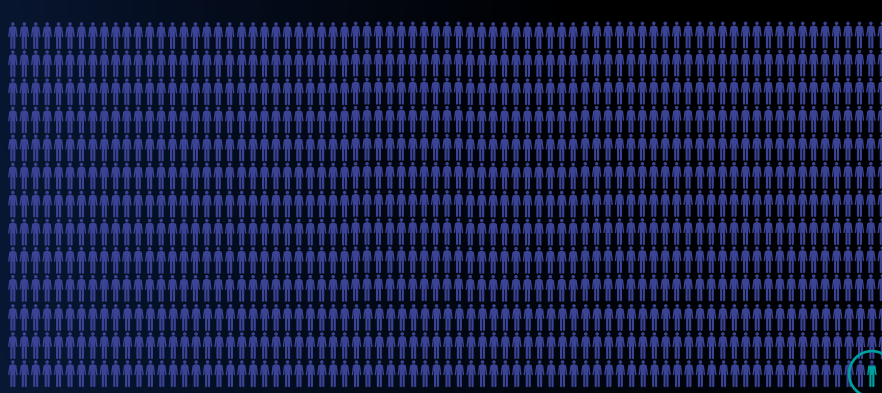
Swab results
(19th June to 8th July)



123

Tested positive for COVID-19

8 people in every 10,000 had the virus



1 person represents 10 people

Positive tests by ethnicity, by 10,000 people

Ethnicity

White 7

Asian/Asian British 10

Black/African/Caribbean/Black British 15

Mixed 7

Other 15

Key workers were no more likely to have the virus than non-key workers in this round - This is different from the last round where the risk for Care Workers and Health Care workers were much higher than they were for non-key workers

Percentage not showing any symptoms

81%

not reporting symptoms on the day of the test or in the week before a positive test result

Positive tests by region of England, by 10,000 people

North West

9

Yorkshire and the Humber

6

West Midlands

9

South West

8

North East

2

East Midlands

7

East of England

7

London

15

South East

6

39,000

19th June

Estimated number of people infected with COVID-19 on any one day in England

8th July

R= 0.58

Estimate of the reproduction number (R)
Every ten people with the virus will, on average, spread it to six more people

