COVID-19 Outbreak Control Team (OCT) Situation Report (SitRep) Information correct as of Friday 03.07.20 14:00



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Purpose	To provide an overview of COVID-19 outbreaks in Wales that are being dealt with by Outbreak Control Teams.		
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Frequency of updates	ТВС		
Distribution	 ECCW Situation Cell ECCW Health Desk PHW Executives SCG Chairs LRF Coordinators PHW Incident Management Team (IMT) members PHW Consultants in Communicable Disease Control 		

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COVID-19 Outbreak Control Team SitRep

2 Sisters Outbreak

Updates to the previous SitRep are in red text

OCT Chair	, Consultant in Communicable Disease Control, Public Health Wales	Location	Mold, Flintshire
Date outbreak declared	17.06.2020	Date OCT stood down	Still operating
Date of last OCT meeting		Update below provided by	, Consultant in Communicable Disease Control, Public Health Wales and , Specialty Registrar in Public Health

Outbreak summary	 A COVID-19 outbreak was declared on 17th June 2020 for the 2 sisters food group site at Llangefni, Isle of Anglesey. On this date there had been 51 positive cases of COVID-19 which had been associated with workers on the site. These cases were detected as an issue by the local teams and regional hub of the Test, trace, protect contact tracing service.
Epidemiological summary of cases	 As of the 3rd July there had been 218 positive tests, and 306 negative results among the 584 staff of 2 Sisters, Llangefni. 35 visitors and contractors were identified as being on site, and were identified by the company and asked by them to get tested. Of the 14 of these who were tested, they were all negative.
Testing and Sampling	 Mobile testing units were initially set up in Holyhead and Llangefni, which staff were directed to by their employer. Following on from this, BCUHB have sampled staff at Parc Menai, Bangor, and visited those to test at home, who were unable to travel to the mobile units or to Bangor.



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Control measures	 All staff as contacts- All 2 Sisters staff were sent home on 18th June 2020, as being classed as contacts of a case of COVID-19. They were asked to isolate at home for 14 days, since their last day at work. This was aimed at controlling the spread of the virus, by limiting exposure to colleagues within the workplace, as staff were not believed to be adequately following social distancing while on site. This control was also viewed to protect spread amongst the local community. Testing- All 2 sisters staff, visitors and contractors to the site since 4th June have been asked to be tested for COVID-19. Site changes- meetings have occurred with the company to ensure before the site reopened (on 3rd July) that new measures would be in place to ensure social distancing and protection for staff. With input from the Health and Safety Executive, the site will continue to be monitored to ensure the staff are safe from further infection with COVID-19.
Communications	 Multiple pro-active and reactive press statements have gone out from Public Health Wales, sharing the information of testing, and controls put in place to contain the outbreak. Multiple meetings with the employer have taken place since the outbreak was declared. Letters have been written by Public Health Wales and BCUHB to staff to remind them of the need to isolate and to give them details on how to get tested. Letters have been translated into multiple languages along with Welsh, so that staff are able to understand them.

