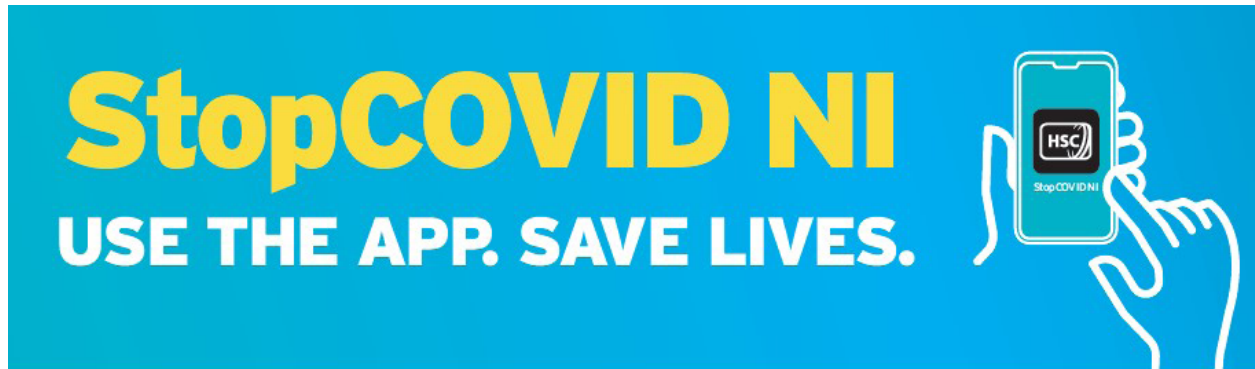


COVID-19 Notice

Wednesday 16 September 2020



STOPCOVID NI APP – GUIDANCE FOR HEALTHCARE WORKERS



Many HSC staff have already downloaded the StopCOVID NI app which works by notifying the user when somebody they have had recent close contact with has tested positive for COVID-19.

HOWEVER

The app does not know when you are at work, and have extra protection from close contact, i.e. social distancing and added safety measures (Perspex screens and PPE).

If you work somewhere that uses social distancing and added safety measures (**Perspex screens and PPE**), you can disable the app while working. The app doesn't know you have extra protection from close contact in this scenario, **so disabling it will avoid 'false' contact notifications.**

The app should be switched on again once off-duty.

