

## **Easements to Covid restrictions effective Monday 17 May 2021 – Wales only**

Easements to Covid restrictions in Wales have been announced today. From Monday 17 May, Wales will start to move to Alert Level 2.

### 1. **Government information**

<https://gov.wales/written-statement-review-health-protection-coronavirus-restriction-no5-wales-regulations-2020-5>

<https://gov.wales/wales-moves-alert-level-2>

#### 1.1. **From 17 May:**

##### 1.1.1. **Organised activities – indoors**

**Organised** activities can take place indoors for a maximum of 30 people. Activities should be Covid-secure and supervisors and leaders must be in the appropriate ratios.

##### 1.1.2. **Organised activities – outdoors**

**Organised** activities can take place outdoors for a maximum of 50 people. Activities should be Covid-secure and supervisors and leaders must be in the appropriate ratios.

### 2. **What can YFCs in Wales do?**

2.1. Covid secure activities can be planned and take place indoors for up to 30 people and outdoors for up to 50 people. Supervisors and leaders must be in the appropriate ratios.

### 2. **Managing the affairs of the club or county federation.**

2.1. Also remember that Staff or volunteers (staff or elected YFC officers) who need to meet for the purposes of management of the charity – a club or county federation – can meet to manage the affairs of the club or county federation.

2.2. In YFC, remember that those members elected to hold office at a club or county federation are volunteers - staff and volunteers form the YFC workforce.

2.2.1. It is expected that YFC members are elected as officers (and thus have become a volunteer and part of the YFC workforce) and that the election be recorded in the minutes of the club's AGM or the minutes of the county federation's first meeting of the executive committee. These people should be YFC members (i.e., carrying a current 2020/21 YFC membership card).

2.3. Meeting for the planning and managing of the charity (club or county federation) is permitted. However, government advice is that those who can work from home should do so. Therefore, consider video calls as a way for meeting to manage the affairs and operations of the charity.

2.4. There is no size limit to the workforce or limit to the length of time for meetings to manage the affairs of the charity. However, a suitable Covid-Secure venue must be used and Covid-secure plans must be put in place (2m distancing, hygiene, [face coverings](#) and welfare must be considered).

2.5. Meetings taking place in private dwellings/homes is not permitted.