

The Scottish Government/NHS Test and Protect, in partnership with the UK Department of Health and Social Care, is responsible for the overall delivery of COVID-19 Lateral Flow Testing (LFT) of staff in primary, secondary and special schools and Early Learning and Childcare (ELC) in Scotland. The testing of asymptomatic people can support education settings to identify positive cases, break chains of transmission and reduce risks in settings.

Perth & Kinross Council is responsible for the local management of the COVID-19 Lateral Flow Testing in its schools and Early Learning and Childcare settings.

Testing and the submission of test results is voluntary. Test results will be submitted through the UK Department of Health and Social Care self-test portal and will be passed to NHS National Services Scotland to initiate contact tracing for positive results, and to Public Health Scotland for the management of outbreaks, statistics and research.

Detailed information about this is available on the Council website at www.pkc.gov.uk/detailedprivacynotices.