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Dear Business Owner/Licensee

We strongly recommend that you maintain Covid safe measures to help protect you, your staff, and your customers in line with the detailed guidance for hospitality venues set out by Government.

Along with other measures such as checks at entry points there are now grants available to help cover any financial losses incurred as a result of the new regulations.

This guidance can be access via the links below:

From 15 December, certain venues and events will be required by law to check that all visitors aged 18 years or over are fully vaccinated, have proof of a negative test in the last 48 hours, or have an exemption. [Read more about the NHS COVID Pass.](#)

- Working safely guidance: <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/working-safely-during-covid-19>
- Advice and support are also available from Business Bolton including the process of applying for grants: <https://www.bolton.gov.uk/business-rates/business-rates-reductions>

Officers from Licensing & Regulatory Services supported by colleagues for the Greater Manchester Police will continue to visit premises, supporting businesses, and ensuring activity is being delivered safely. It's important to remember that the pandemic is not over and that everyone in Bolton takes regular home tests and accepts the offer of both doses of the vaccine. I'll continue to communicate with you as we move forward, but if you have any questions, please contact us by email at licensing.unit@bolton.gov.uk

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