

## **UK Covid-19 Inquiry**

Update May 2022



### The UK Covid-19 Inquiry



This information is about the UK Covid-19 Inquiry.



We are the independent group that has been set up to look at how the UK dealt with Covid-19, including:

- The decisions and changes that the Government made.
- How different people were affected.
- What could be done better in the future.



Baroness Heather Hallet is the Chair of the UK Covid-19 Inquiry - she is leading the group.



#### **Terms of Reference**

Before we begin our work, we need to agree the **Terms of Reference**.

The **Terms of Reference** sets out what the group is responsible for, what we are aiming to do and how we will do it.

## Listening to people



In March and April we asked people to tell us what they thought about our ideas for the Terms of Reference.



Over 20,000 people told us what they thought and told us what else should be included in the Terms of Reference.



People told us that the Terms of Reference should also look into:

 How children and young people were affected during Covid-19.



 How people's mental health and wellbeing were affected.



• How the Government worked with local councils and community organisations.

# Agreeing the Terms of Reference



Baroness Hallet has listened to what people said and she has written to the Prime Minister to suggest what the final Terms of Reference should say.



She has also suggested that the Inquiry should focus on any groups of people that were treated unfairly during Covid-19. This should also be made clear in the Terms of Reference.



The Prime Minister will make the final decision about the Terms of Reference.



When the final Terms of Reference are agreed, we can start the next part of our work.

#### For more information



You can look at our website at: www.covid19.public-inquiry.uk



If you need more information please contact us by:

Post: FREEPOST UK COVID-19 Public Inquiry

That's all you have to write on the envelope. You don't need a stamp.



• Email: contact@covid19.public-inquiry.uk