



Face covering exempt card >

A card which indicates that you have a hidden disability and have a reasonable excuse not to wear a face-covering (see below for exemptions for England, Scotland and Northern Ireland).

Waterproof and writable paper - 100% recyclable material

SEE OUR ANSWERS BELOW TO THE MOST FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS ABOUT FACE-COVERINGS AND CARRYING THE FACE-COVERING EXEMPT CARD.

Please note, that a lanyard and plastic wallet are not included and will need to be ordered separately.

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£0.55

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Details

Wearing face-coverings is mandatory in shops and public transport in England (from 24 July) and Scotland (from 10 July) and on public transport in Northern Ireland (from 10 July).

Who is exempt from wearing a face mask in the UK?

Please click on the links below for the government guidelines on who is exempt in your region from wearing face coverings.

England: <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/coronavirus-covid-19-safer-travel-guidance-for-passengers#exemptions-face-coverings>

Scotland: <https://www.gov.scot/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-phase-3-staying-safe-and-protecting-others/pages/face-coverings/>

Northern Ireland: <https://www.nidirect.gov.uk/articles/coronavirus-covid-19-face-coverings>

When will face masks be compulsory in shops in England and Scotland?

In Scotland, the policy was put in place on 10 July.

In England, the policy comes into play on July 24.

Staff themselves will not have to wear a mask.

Are there any exceptions to the rule?

Yes, there are some exceptions, which the government have outlined as 'reasonable' reasons for not wearing a mask. These include:

if you have a physical or mental illness or impairment, or a disability that

means you cannot put on, wear or remove a face covering

if putting on, wearing or removing a face covering would cause you severe

distress

if you are travelling with or providing assistance to, someone who relies on lip-

reading to communicate

How does the Hidden Disabilities Sunflower face-covering card help me?

The Hidden Disabilities face-covering exempt card indicates that the wearer has a hidden disability and has a reasonable excuse for not wearing a face covering. Businesses who are members of the scheme are aware of our card and provide support, help, assistance or simply a little more time to those wearing the Hidden Disabilities Sunflower.

However, please note that shops and public transport can still refuse you entry if you are not wearing a face covering.

Can shop-owners and staff refuse entry if I am not wearing a face covering?

Shop owners and staff themselves can call the police to enforce the rule or refuse the person entry.

Will I be fined for not wearing a face covering?

In England and Scotland, those who do not adhere to the rules face a fine of up to £100. It will be reduced to £50 if paid within 14 days.

Compulsory mask-wearing will be enforced by police, according to the government, rather than shop owners and staff themselves, who can call the police or refuse the person entry.

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