

Measures to support Covid-19

There are a wide number of measures in place from the Government and here are the key websites to look at which are updated regularly.

At Gall Robertson CA we are here to support you so please do not hesitate to call or email us.

Jobs, Self Employed and Sick Pay

Self-employment Income Support Scheme

<https://www.businesssupport.gov.uk/self-employment-income-support-scheme/>

Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme.

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Statutory Sick Pay (including self-employed claims)

<https://www.businesssupport.gov.uk/statutory-sick-pay-rebate/>

Grants & Rates

Cash Grants

Scotland

<https://www.mygov.scot/non-domestic-rates-coronavirus/>

Rates Reductions & Holidays

Scotland

<https://www.mygov.scot/non-domestic-rates-coronavirus/>

Tax & VAT

Tax Time-to-Pay

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/guidance-to-employers-and-businesses-about-covid-19/covid-19-support-for-businesses#support-for-businesses-paying-tax-time-to-pay-service>

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/tax-helpline-to-support-businesses-affected-by-coronavirus-covid-19>

If you are worried about your next tax payment, due to coronavirus, please contact HMRC on 0800 024 1222 or 0800 0159 559.

VAT Deferment

<https://www.businesssupport.gov.uk/vat-deferral/>

The deferral will apply from 20 March 2020 until 30 June 2020 and all UK businesses are eligible.

If you normally pay by Direct Debit, this must be cancelled in sufficient time.

Income Tax Deferment

<https://www.businesssupport.gov.uk/deferral-of-self-assessment-payment/>

For Income Tax Self-Assessment, payments due on the 31 July 2020 will be deferred until the 31 January 2021 and **this now applies to all self-assessment taxpayers.**

Insurance

Insurance Cover

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/guidance-to-employers-and-businesses-about-covid-19/covid-19-support-for-businesses#commercial-insurance>

Loans

Coronavirus Business Interruption Loan Scheme (CBILS)

<https://www.british-business-bank.co.uk/ourpartners/coronavirus-business-interruption-loan-scheme-cbils/>

Covid-19 Corporate Financing Facility (for Larger Companies)

<https://www.businesssupport.gov.uk/covid-19-corporate-financing-facility/>

Third Sector Resilience Fund - £20m emergency fund for charities, community groups, social enterprises and voluntary organisations working in Scotland.

<https://scvo.org/support/coronavirus/funding/for-organisations/third-sector-resilience-fund>