

Date: 29 October 2020

To: National Ambulance Service (NAS) Community First Responder Group Co-Ordinators

From: Community Engagement Officers

Subject: CFR Restart

Ladies and Gentlemen,

As of Monday 26 October 2020, each of the three current Community Engagement Officers have returned to our posts. In light of the NAS efforts surrounding the 'CoVid 19' response, we remain available to overall NAS operations and may be returned to support those efforts at a later date.

It is our aim now, to continue the push for restarting the NAS CFR Network. It must be stated however, this process will take time, it is not an overnight process and new requirements, roles and responsibilities will be explained to each of you as planning and activation progresses.

We are currently engaged in a process of developing pathways to ensure we can accurately and adequately bring each of your groups back into active service safely. There will be a continued and significant emphasis on safety going forward and the effects of your members personal responsibility cannot be understated.

We would like to thank each and every one of you for your patience and continuing support, and look forward to working with you all again over the coming months.

Kindest Regards

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