



Eich cyf/Your ref P-05-1037
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Janet Finch-Saunders MS
Chair, Petitions Committee

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Dear Janet,

Thank you for your response regarding the petition on allowing children to enter lockdown areas to continue to train, and for the feedback from the committee.

As you'll be aware there are currently no travel restrictions in place within Wales, however, we are asking everyone to think carefully about the journeys they take and the people they meet. With regard to your specific question about future lockdowns, I cannot give you a definitive answer to this as we simply don't know what the situation might be. However, I can reassure you that we continue to do everything we can to ensure that the phased return of sport can continue for all, including children.

All future decisions will be made based on the data and the science at that time. If we all follow current guidance it is hoped that a further firebreak lockdown will not be required. We continue to monitor the feedback of the public, and when possible these views are part of our decision making.

Yours sincerely,

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