

# Face Covering Exemptions: Not Everyone Can Wear One



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## People may be exempt if:

- ✓ They have a disability or health condition that means they cannot wear a face covering
- ✓ A covering will cause them severe distress or anxiety
- ✓ They need to communicate with someone who relies on lip reading
- ✓ They have a reasonable need to eat, drink or take medicine

**Disabled people should never face intimidation for not wearing a covering.**

For more information on exemptions visit:

**[www.exempt.scot](http://www.exempt.scot)**