



Irish Council for  
**Civil Liberties**

**ICCL: Monitoring rights during the pandemic  
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## **COVID-19-RELATED ADVOCACY WORK**

### **The need for a human rights impact assessment**

We have reiterated our call for a human rights impact assessment to ensure the most vulnerable in society are not disproportionately impacted by covid-19. In light of new clusters confirmed among the Traveller community and in Direct Provision Centres.

The government must do more to protect vulnerable communities in our society during this public health emergency, including those living in Direct Provision, members of the travelling community, homeless people and all those living in congregated settings without proper facilities.

We have [reissued our appeal to the public](#) to support this call for a human rights impact assessment.

### **Webinar-Data Protection in the Post-Pandemic World**

Our Surveillance and Human Rights Policy Officer, Olga Cronin, spoke at an [Irish Legal News webinar](#) on Thursday, 6 August, on the HSE COVID tracker app and the Public Services Card.