

BULLETIN 14 – STUDENTS
PROTECT SCOTLAND APP

1. **Context.** Following the Letter from the Dean of Medicine to students and staff regarding the use of the “Protect Scotland App”, this bulletin provides information about where/when the app should be active and not active.
2. **Author.** For more information, contact Helen Clark.
3. **The Protect Scotland App.** The [Protect Scotland app](https://apps.apple.com/gb/app/id1526637715) is the contact-tracing app from NHS Scotland. It is available for free from the App store: <https://apps.apple.com/gb/app/id1526637715> or google play: <https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=gov.scot.covidtracker>.
4. **When to have the app (Bluetooth) Active/Not Active.** In general, the app should be active. Specific guidance for medical students below:

APP (Bluetooth) ON: The app should be active in most situations, including when you are in the School of Medicine Building. This includes in the Clinical Skills Suite and when your phone is in your locker.

APP (Bluetooth) OFF: When in contact with patients in hospital or primary care settings when on clinical placement.