**Flow Chart: Management of deaths in Primary Care in Cornwall during Covid-19 pandemic**

Able to state natural cause of death, to best of knowledge

Refer Coronor

Form E-95 (eReferral)

No

No

Yes

Attending doctor has seen patient in person or video consult in last 28 days

If attending doctor unable to sign but did view the patient in the last 28 days, a second doctor who did not attend the patient can sign on their behalf (name of attending doctor must be included on the MCCD)

**OR**

Yes

Yes

Cremation

Form4 only (Form5 not required)

Can be completed by any medical practitioner if:

A – Doctor who attended deceased unable to fill in form

B – A doctor has seen deceased in last 28 days or seen body after death

Form to be emailed to funeral director

**Complete MCCD**

Acceptable: Ia) COVID-19 (if immediate cause of death).

If contributory cause then COVID-19 inserted in part II

Yes

Email form:

[MC.CDs@cornwall.gov.uk](mailto:MC.CDs@cornwall.gov.uk)

**Send original MCCD to:**

Truro Registration Offices

Dalvenie House

New County Hall

Treyew Road

Truro

TR1 3AY

Yes

Inform family, need to complete death registration by telephone.

Direct to registry website (funeral director can assist if needed)

\*if patient died of COVID-19/suspected, household should self isolate for 14 days from start of symptoms

Covid-19 can be used as cause of death. It is a notifiable disease to PHE NOT the coroner