# Roles and responsibilities

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| **Person in charge of Care Home** |
| * Ensure ongoing compliance with Standard Infection Control Precautions (SICPs) and Transmission Based Precautions (TBPs).
* Report all residents with suspected norovirus symptoms to the GP.
* Report to your HPT if you and the GP are clinically suspicious of 2 or more cases of gastrointestinal infection (norovirus).
* Work with the HPT in completing the daily assessments and keeping the HPT updated.
* Ensure there are sufficient staff available to deal with the residents’ needs.
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| **GP**  |
| * Provide clinical assessment to determine outbreak status.
* Provide advice to person in charge of Care Home to inform HPT.
* Offer specific advice regarding treatment options for residents and staff.
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| **Health Protection Team (HPT)** |
| * Advise on the control measures required and specimens to be collected.
* Advise on discontinuation of control measures and actions prior to re-opening of the Care Home if closed at any time.
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