Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

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New Content

Public Health Agencies

Public Health Agency of Canada | canada.ca

Instead of daily case counts and vaccinations, starting the week of December 6, 2021 we will be reporting weekly trends. For daily case counts, you can still check 2019 novel coronavirus: outbreak update, or COVID-19 vaccination in Canada for vaccination rates.

- Canada COVID-19 weekly epidemiology report: 1 May to 7 May 2022 (week 18) [05-13-2022]
  - There was an average of **3 429 new cases reported daily** during Week 18, a decrease compared to the previous week. The number of new reported cases should be interpreted with caution due to changes in testing policies across jurisdictions resulting in underestimation beginning in mid January 2022.
  - [...] The weekly number of new cases decreased for Yukon, Ontario, Quebec, and Newfoundland and Labrador compared to the previous week. [...] 
  - During Week 18, **an average of 39 126 tests were performed daily** for COVID-19 across Canada. The weekly percentage of tests positive was **13.3%**, a decrease compared to the previous week.
  - **Variants of concern (VOCs) represent the majority of reported COVID-19 cases.** Of the cases with a genomic sequencing or screening result, Omicron accounts for **89%** of all cases, **7%** of cases were VOCs of undetermined lineage, and **4%** had non/unknown VOC results (as determined by screening). [...] 
  - There were **275 deaths reported during Week 18**, representing an **8% increase** compared to the previous week.
  - On 7 May 2022, the average daily number of cases in hospital over the previous week was **3 749** and the average daily number of cases in the ICU was **278**. This represents a **5.5% decrease** in the seven-day moving average of hospitalized cases, and a **7.8% decrease** in ICU admissions, compared to one week prior.

- Vaccine coverage: This report was last updated on May 13, 2022 with data up to and including May 8, 2022.
  - **85.86%** of the population 5 years and older are fully vaccinated

- Mathematical modelling and COVID-19 [updated regularly]
- COVID-19 daily epidemiology update [updated regularly]
- COVID-19 data trends [updated regularly]

BC Centre for Disease Control | bccdc.ca

- Immunization manual: summary of changes: admin circular [updated 05-16-2022]
  - COVID-19 mRNA Vaccine COMIRNATY® (Pfizer) (Adult/Adolescent) [updated 05-16-2022]
  - COVID-19 mRNA Vaccine SPIKEVAX™ (Moderna) [updated 05-16-2022]
  - COVID-19 Vaccine Nuvaxovid™ (Novavax) [updated 05-16-2022]
  - COVID-19 Vaccine VAXZEVRIA™/COVISHIELD (AstraZeneca/Verity Pharmaceuticals) [updated 05-16-2022]
Institut national de santé publique | inspq.qc.ca
- Vigie de la COVID-19 dans les services de garde éducatifs à l’enfance - Mai 2022 [05-16-2022]

CDC: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention | cdc.gov
- Cases in the U.S. [05-17-2022]
- Overall US COVID-19 Vaccine Distribution and Administration Update as of Tue, 17 May 2022 06:00:00 EST [05-17-2022]
- CDC Science Agenda for COVID-19 [05-17-2022]
- Vigie de la COVID-19 dans les services de garde éducatifs à l’enfance - Mai 2022 [05-16-2022]
- Cases in the U.S. [05-16-2022]
- Overall US COVID-19 vaccine distribution and administration update as of Mon, 16 May 2022 06:00:00 EST [05-16-2022]
- Considerations for the case investigation and contact tracing workforce: enhancing access to COVID-19 vaccination services [05-16-2022]
- Public health recommendations [05-16-2022]
- Health equity in action [05-16-2022]
- Post vaccination for workplaces [05-16-2022]
- Key resources [05-16-2022]
- Interim guidance for health departments: COVID-19 vaccination implementation for people experiencing homelessness [05-16-2022]
- COVID-19 vaccines while pregnant or breastfeeding [05-16-2022]
- COVID-19 vaccination for people experiencing homelessness: frequently asked questions [05-16-2022]
- Talking with the patient – a case investigator’s guide to COVID-19 [05-16-2022]
- Notification of exposure: a contact tracer’s guide for COVID-19 [05-16-2022]
- Interim guidelines for COVID-19 antibody testing [05-16-2022]
- Test for past infection [05-16-2022]
- Test for current infection (viral test) [05-16-2022]
- COVID-19 testing overview [05-16-2022]
- Interim guidance for managing healthcare personnel with SARS-CoV-2 infection or exposure to SARS-CoV-2 [05-16-2022]
- COVID Data Tracker weekly review [05-13-2022]
- Wearing masks in travel and public transportation settings [updated 05-13-2022]
- COVID-19 vaccine boosters [updated 05-13-2022]

ECDC: European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control | ecdc.europa.eu
- Communicable disease threats report, 8-14 May 2022, week 19 [05-13-2022]
- Epidemiological update: SARS-CoV-2 Omicron sub-lineages BA.4 and BA.5 [05-13-2022]
- Country overview report: week 18 2022 [05-13-2022]
- COVID-19 situation update worldwide, as of week 18, updated 12 May 2022 [05-12-2022]
- COVID-19 situation update for the EU/EEA, as of 11 May 2022 [05-11-2022]
- EASA and ECDC take first steps to relax COVID-19 measures for air travel [05-11-2022]
- Data on the daily number of new reported COVID-19 cases and deaths by EU/EEA country [updated regularly]
- Data on COVID-19 vaccination in the EU/EEA [updated regularly]

**FDA: U.S. Food & Drug Administration | fda.gov**

- Coronavirus (COVID-19) update: daily roundup [updated regularly]
- Coronavirus (COVID-19) update: FDA expands eligibility for Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine booster dose to children 5 through 11 years [05-17-2022]
- FDA authorizes first COVID-19 test available without a prescription that also detects flu and RSV [05-16-2022]

**Public Health England | gov.uk**

Note: Public Health England was replaced by UK Health Security Agency and Office for Health Improvement and Disparities. These organizations are listed below under “Other relevant government organizations”

- Location of Public Health England (PHE) functions from 1 October 2021

**World Health Organization | who.int**

- WHO Director-General’s opening remarks at the COVID-19 media briefing [05-17-2022]
  - “During this pandemic we faced many challenges, including a lack of sharing information, a lack of sharing biological materials and a lack of sharing technology amongst others. This hampered the response, cost lives and revealed the limitations of the global preparedness. For the world to respond quickly and more effectively at the next outbreak or pandemic, the world must prepare now. At the World Health Assembly Special Session in November 2021, all Member States agreed that COVID-19 reflected the need for all countries to share information and strengthen systems more effectively together. WHO’s job is to support countries – our Member States – as they negotiate and agree on an accord to commit to protecting future generations from pandemics. Our mandate is 100% determined by Member States and what they agree. The accord process is led by Member States with their own Intergovernmental Negotiating Body (called INB), representing all regions of the world. The INB has now started a two-year process that includes global public hearings with all stakeholders. This represents the world’s opportunity to plan together, detect pathogens quicker, share data broadly and collectively respond more effectively to the next diseases X or known pathogens.”
- WHO Results Report shows global health achievements despite COVID-19 pandemic [05-16-2022]
- WHO and MPP announce agreement with NIH for COVID-19 health technologies [05-12-2022]
- Coronavirus disease (COVID-19) weekly epidemiological update [05-11-2022]
- Log of major changes and errata in WHO daily aggregate case and death count data [updated regularly]
- Draft landscape and tracker of COVID-19 candidate vaccines [updated regularly]
- Coronavirus disease (COVID-2019) press briefings [audio posted first; transcripts posted later]
- EPI-WIN: WHO information network for epidemics [updated regularly]

**Other relevant government bodies / health care organizations**

- Indigenous Services Canada
  - Coronavirus (COVID-19) and Indigenous communities [updated regularly]
- Statistics Canada
- **COVID-19: a data perspective** [updated regularly]
  - Provisional death counts and excess mortality, January 2020 to February 2022 [05-12-2022]
  - Leading indicator of international arrivals to Canada, April 2022 [05-12-2022]

**UK Health Security Agency**
- COVID-19: background information [updated 05-17-2022]
- COVID-19 test validation approved products [updated 05-17-2022]
- Consensus statements and medium-term projections on COVID-19 [updated 05-13-2022]
- Ventilation to reduce the spread of respiratory infections, including COVID-19 [updated 05-13-2022]
- Vaccine uptake among pregnant women increasing but inequalities persist [05-13-2022]
- Almost 80% of eligible over-75s receive spring booster [05-13-2022]
- COVID-19 variants: genomically confirmed case numbers [updated 05-13-2022]
- The R value and growth rate [updated 05-13-2022]
- Weekly statistics for NHS Test and Trace (England): 21 April to 4 May 2022 [05-12-2022]
- National flu and COVID-19 surveillance reports published [updated 05-12-2022]
- COVID-19 vaccine weekly surveillance reports (weeks 39 to 19, 2021 to 2022) [updated 05-12-2022]
- COVID-19: guidance for people whose immune system means they are at higher risk [updated 05-12-2022]

**UK Department of Health and Social Care**
- Adult social care in England, monthly statistics: May 2022 [05-12-2022]

**UK Department for Education**

**UK Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency**
- Medical devices given exceptional use authorisations during the COVID-19 pandemic [updated 05-17-2022]
- Coronavirus (COVID-19) vaccines adverse reactions [updated 05-13-2022]
- Regulatory approval of COVID-19 Vaccine Janssen [updated 05-12-2022]

**UK Office for National Statistics**
- Coronavirus and clinically extremely vulnerable people in England: 4 April to 16 April 2022 [05-13-2022]
- Coronavirus and vaccination rates in people aged 18 years and over by socio-demographic characteristic and region, England [05-13-2022]
- Public opinions and social trends, Great Britain: 27 April to 8 May 2022 [05-13-2022]

**UK Scientific Advisory Group for Emergencies (SAGE)**
- Below is sampling of the latest updates from UK SAGE. More available on GOV.UK
- Evidence summary of impacts to date of public health communications to minority ethnic groups and related challenges, 23 September 2020 [updated 05-13-2022]
COVID-19 Ethnicity subgroup: interpreting differential health outcomes among minority ethnic groups in wave 1 and 2, 24 March 2021 [updated 05-13-2022]

EMG: Application of physical distancing and fabric face coverings in mitigating the B117 variant SARS-CoV-2 virus in public, workplace and community, 13 January 2021 [updated 05-13-2022]

Imperial College London: Evaluating England’s roadmap out of lockdown, 30 March 2021 [updated 05-13-2022]

JUNIPER: Control options for mitigating a rapid rise in infection, 12 October 2021 [updated 05-13-2022]

LSHTM, University of Manchester and Alan Turing Institute: on the use of lateral flow antigen tests in contact tracing - preliminary findings, 15 November 2020 [updated 05-13-2022]


Potential effect of non-pharmaceutical interventions (NPIs) on a COVID-19 epidemic in the UK, 26 February 2020 [updated 05-13-2022]

SPI-B: Behavioural considerations for maintaining or reintroducing behavioural interventions and introducing new measures in autumn 2021, 14 October 2021 [updated 05-13-2022]

TFC: Comments on sequencing of social distancing measures (schools), 20 May 2020 [updated 05-13-2022]

Department of Health (Northern Ireland)

Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency
- Results from January to March 2022 of the NISRA coronavirus (COVID-19) opinion survey [05-12-2022]

Centre for Global Infectious Disease Analysis
- Report 51 - Valuing lives, education and the economy in an epidemic: societal benefit of SARS-CoV-2 booster vaccinations in Indonesia [02-14-2022]

CIDRAP: Center for Infectious Disease Research Policy | cidrap.umn.edu
- COVID vaccines may cut hospital Omicron cases in youth [05-16-2022]
- ECDC ups BA.4, BA.5 to variants of concern, warns of case rises [05-16-2022]
- Study: Readmission rate for COVID-19 is 11% [05-16-2022]
- News Scan for May 16, 2022: Awake prone positioning for COVID-19; More avian flu in 4 states; New UK monkeypox cases
- North Korea reports first COVID deaths, explosive outbreak spread [05-13-2022]
- Hospitals stayed financially viable in pandemic—some even did better [05-13-2022]
- COVID-19 Scan for May 13, 2022: Prolonged SARS-CoV-2 shedding; Omicron and croup in kids
National Collaborating Centre for Environmental Health | ncceh.ca

- April, 2022 environmental health research scan (with COVID-19 section) [04-20-2022]
- Canadian green spaces during COVID-19: public health benefits and planning for resilience [03-16-2022]
- March, 2022 environmental health research scan (with COVID-19 section) [03-16-2022]

ProMED | promedmail.org

- Latest on COVID-19 [individual posts]
- COVID-19 update (118): N. Korea, rise in cases, long-term sequelae, WHO [05-13-2022]
- COVID-19 update (116): subvariants, antimicrobial use, asymptomatic cases, WHO [05-11-2022]

Updated Daily

COVID-19 resources (case counts) | arcgis.com

- Canada COVID-19

COVID-19 Canada Open Data Working Group | COVID-19 CODWG

- COVID-19 in Canada (case count dashboard)

Johns Hopkins CCSE | systems.jhu.edu

- 2019-nCoV Global Cases (by Johns Hopkins CSSE) [real-time tracking]
- Resetting our response: changes needed in the US approach to COVID-19 [07-29-2020]

NextStrain| nextstrain.org

- Phylogeny of SARS-like betacoronaviruses including novel coronavirus (nCoV) [real-time tracking]
- Genomic epidemiology of novel coronavirus (nCoV) [real-time tracking]
- Genomic analysis of nCoV spread. Situation report 2020-01-30 [real-time tracking]

Guidelines and Technical documents (updated weekly)

The guidelines listings are current to 05-13-2022; posted 05-13-2022

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- Ontario guidance
- Canadian guidance (federal)
Reopening/Rebuilding Guidelines

Ontario

- ON COVID-19 public health measures and advice [no date]

Canada (federal) and provinces and territories (other than Ontario)

- CA COVID-19: readiness criteria and indicators for easing restrictive public health measures [05-14-2021]
- BC B.C.'s response to COVID-19 [updated 05-11-2022]
- AB COVID-19 public health actions [no date]
- SK Living with COVID [no date]
- MB Manitoba Pandemic Response System [no date]
- QC Coronavirus disease (COVID-19) in Québec [no date]
- NB Living with COVID-19 [no date]
- NL Current Restrictions [no date]
- PEI COVID-19 (coronavirus) in Prince Edward Island [no date]
- NS Reopening plan [updated regularly]
- NW Restrictions and Moving Forward [no date]
- YT Forging ahead: the Yukon's continuing response to COVID-19 [no date]
- NT Nunavut’s Path: Living with COVID-19 [updated 03/25/2022]
- Guidance on re-opening northern, remote, isolated, and Indigenous communities [no date]

WHO

- Implementation guidance for assessments of frontline service readiness [07-01-2021]
- Considerations for implementing and adjusting public health and social measures in the context of COVID-19: interim guidance [06-14-2021]

UK

- Coronavirus (COVID-19): guidance on the phased return of elite sport [04-14-2022]

ECDC

- Data on country response measures to COVID-19 [updated 05-02-2022]
- Transitioning beyond the acute phase of the COVID-19 pandemic: Approaches and tools used by a sample of EU countries in the transition and de-escalation phase – interim report [04-27-2022]
- Introducing a coherent European framework for tuning COVID-19 response measures [03-17-2021]

Vaccinations - General

Ontario Ministry of Health

- COVID-19 vaccine-relevant information and planning resources [05-02-2022]
- Guidance for routine immunization services during COVID-19 version 2 [10-28-2021]
- About COVID-19 vaccines [03-11-2021]

Canada (Federal)
Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19): 05/17/2022

- Planning guidance for immunization clinics for COVID-19 vaccines [03-30-2022]
- COVID-19 vaccine guide for youth and adults (12 years and over): Overview [02-02-2022]
- Adjusting public health measures in the context of COVID-19 vaccination [02-02-2022]
- An Advisory Committee Statement (ACS) National Advisory Committee on Immunization (NACI) guidance on booster COVID-19 vaccine doses in Canada [12-03-2021]
- NACI interim guidance on booster COVID-19 vaccine doses in Canada [10-29-2021]
- For immunization providers: Interim national vaccine storage, handling and transportation guidelines for ultra-low temperature and frozen temperature COVID-19 vaccines [09-16-2021]
- COVID-19 immunization: federal, provincial and territorial statement of common principles [08-11-2021]
- Health care provider vaccine tool kit, version 2 [05-07-2021]
- Planning guidance for administration of COVID-19 vaccine [12-21-2020]
- Canada’s COVID-19 immunization plan: saving lives and livelihoods [no date]
- Recommendations on the duration of the post-vaccination observation period for influenza vaccination during the COVID-19 pandemic [10-14-2020]
- Interim guidance on continuity of immunization programs during the COVID-19 pandemic [05-13-2020]

WHO

- COVID-19 vaccine introduction and deployment costing tool (CVIC tool) version 2.3 [updated 04-21-2022]
- Injection safety in the context of coronavirus disease (COVID-19) vaccination: Addendum to policy brief, 5 April 2022 [04-05-2022]
- Coadministration of seasonal inactivated influenza and COVID-19 vaccines: interim guidance [10-21-2021]

CDC

- COVID-19 vaccine boosters [updated 05-12-2022]
- Stay up to date with your COVID-19 vaccines [updated 05-12-2022]
- Understanding viral vector COVID-19 vaccines [03-14-2022]
- COVID-19 vaccine reporting systems [01-04-2022]
- Communication resources for COVID-19 vaccines [12-11-2021]
- COVID-19 vaccination clinical & professional resources [12-01-2021]
- Public health investigations of COVID-19 vaccine breakthrough cases: Case investigations protocol [no date]
- Interim guidance for routine and influenza immunization services during the COVID-19 pandemic [04-15-2021]

UK

- Monitoring reports of the effectiveness of COVID-19 vaccination [04-28-2022]
- COVID-19 vaccination: information for healthcare practitioners [03-10-2022]
• COVID-19 vaccination: blood clotting information for healthcare professionals [02-14-2022]
• COVID-19 vaccination: booster dose resources [02-02-2022]
• Monitoring of the effectiveness of COVID-19 vaccination [09-14-2021]
• COVID-19: vaccine surveillance strategy [03-29-2021]

ECDC

• Public Health considerations and evidence to support decisions on the implementation of a second mRNA COVID-19 vaccine booster dose [04-28-2022]
• Overview of the implementation of COVID-19 vaccination strategies and vaccine deployment plans in the EU/EEA. [04-21-2022]
• Interim analysis of COVID-19 vaccine effectiveness against severe acute respiratory infection due to laboratory-confirmed SARS-CoV-2 among individuals aged 30 years and older, ECDC multi-country study – second update [03-14-2022]
• Generic protocol for COVID-19 vaccine effectiveness studies during outbreaks in semi-closed settings in the EU/EEA [12-14-2021]
• Facilitating COVID-19 vaccination acceptance and uptake in the EU/EEA [10-15-2021]
• Countering online vaccine misinformation in the EU/EEA [06-29-2021]

Australia

• COVID-19 vaccination – ATAGI guidance on the use of multi-dose vials for COVID-19 vaccination [02-22-2022]

Vaccinations- Specific populations

Canada (Federal)

• NACI rapid response: guidance on the use of booster COVID-19 vaccine doses in adolescents 12 to 17 years of age [03-24-2022]
• COVID-19: recommendations for those vaccinated with vaccines not authorized by Health Canada for those staying in Canada to live, work or study [03-11-2022]
• NACI rapid response: Updated guidance on COVID-19 vaccination timing for individuals previously infected with SARS-CoV-2 [02-09-2022]
• Quick reference guide on use of COVID-19 vaccines for children 5 to 11 years of age: overview [02-03-2022]
• NACI rapid response: updated recommendation on the use of authorized COVID-19 vaccines in individuals aged 12 years and older in the context of myocarditis and pericarditis reported following mRNA COVID-19 vaccines [12-03-2021]

WHO

• Interim recommendations for an extended primary series with an additional vaccine dose for COVID-19 vaccination in immunocompromised persons [10-25-2021]
• Update on WHO Interim recommendations on COVID-19 vaccination of pregnant and lactating women [06-10-2021]
• Disability considerations for COVID-19 vaccination: WHO and UNICEF policy brief, 19 April 2021 [04-26-2021]
CDC

- COVID-19 vaccine information for specific groups of people [04-19-2022]
- COVID-19 vaccines for people who would like to have a baby [04-14-2022]
- COVID-19 vaccines for children and teens [04-07-2022]
- COVID-19 vaccination for children [04-14-2022]
- COVID-19 vaccine equity for racial and ethnic minority groups [03-29-2022]
- COVID-19 vaccines while pregnant or breastfeeding [03-03-2022]
- Guidance for vaccinating older adults and people with disabilities: ensuring equitable covid-19 vaccine access [01-20-2022]
- Guidance for vaccinating older adults and people with disabilities at vaccination sites [08-10-2021]
- Interim guidance for health departments: COVID-19 vaccination implementation for people experiencing homelessness [04-30-2021]

UK

- COVID-19 vaccination: women of childbearing age, currently pregnant or breastfeeding [04-11-2022]
- COVID-19 vaccination: resources for children aged 5 to 11 years [03-28-2022]
- COVID-19 vaccination: resources for children and young people aged 12 to 17 years [02-01-2022]
- Safety of COVID-19 vaccines when given in pregnancy [04-30-2021]

ECDC

- Data collection on COVID-19 outbreaks in closed settings: long-term care facilities, version 2.1 [02-18-2022]
- COVID-19 vaccine effectiveness in adolescents aged 12–17 years and interim public health considerations for administration of a booster dose [02-08-2022]
- Interim public health considerations for COVID-19 vaccination of children aged 5-11 years [12-01-2021]

Australia

- ATAGI expanded guidance on temporary medical exemptions for COVID-19 vaccines [04-29-2022]
- COVID-19 vaccination – shared decision making guide for people receiving palliative care or end-of-life care [03-28-2022]

Vaccinations- Adverse Effects

Canada (Federal)

- National Advisory Committee on Immunization (NACI): rapid response: updated recommendation on the use of authorized COVID-19 vaccines in individuals aged 12 years and
older in the context of myocarditis and pericarditis reported following mRNA COVID-19 vaccines [12-03-2021]

- Reports of myocarditis and pericarditis after COVID-19 vaccination: communiqué to health practitioners (June 3, 2021) [06-14-2021]

Provinces and territories (other than Ontario)
- BC Guidance document on the management of inadvertent vaccine errors [02-04-2022]
- BC Guidance on the Management of Inadvertent COVID-19 Vaccine Errors [02-04-2022]
- BC COVID-19 vaccine planning guide for people who are pregnant or breastfeeding [10-12-2021]
- BC Myocarditis/pericarditis in association with receipt of mRNA COVID-19 vaccine [06-11-2021]
- BC Summary of AEFI reporting criteria for COVID-19 vaccination for older children, adolescents and adults [no date]

CDC
- COVID-19 vaccine side effects in children and teens [04-06-2022]
- Interim considerations: preparing for the potential management of anaphylaxis after COVID-19 vaccination [02-11-2022]
- Possible side effects after getting a COVID-19 vaccine [01-12-2022]
- Lab tests to collect shortly after severe allergic reaction/anaphylaxis following COVID-19 vaccination [08-09-2021]

WHO
- How to manage COVID-19 vaccines without VVM at vaccination service points? [08-31-2021]
- How to monitor and report COVID-19 vaccine side effects [03-15-2021]

UK
- Coronavirus (COVID-19) vaccine adverse reactions [04-28-2022]
- COVID-19 vaccination: myocarditis and pericarditis information for healthcare professionals [03-21-2022]
- Myocarditis and pericarditis after COVID-19 vaccination [03-21-2022]
- COVID-19 vaccination: Guillain-Barré Syndrome information for healthcare professionals [12-17-2021]
- Safety of COVID-19 vaccines when given in pregnancy [04-30-2021]

Australia
- ATAGI clinical guidance on COVID-19 vaccine administration errors [04-08-2022]
- COVID-19 vaccination – guidance on myocarditis and pericarditis after mRNA COVID-19 vaccines [04-28-2022]
- COVID-19 vaccination – primary care approach to thrombosis with thrombocytopenia syndrome after COVID-19 AstraZeneca vaccine [03-01-2022]
Background Information/Case Definitions

Ontario Ministry of Health
- Ontario case definition - coronavirus disease (COVID-19) [01-17-2022]

PHAC
- National case definition: coronavirus disease (COVID-19) [04-01-2022]
- COVID-19 case report form [01-11-2021]

CDC
- Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) 2020 interim case definition, approved August 5, 2020 [04-16-2021]

WHO
- A clinical case definition of post COVID-19 condition by a Delphi consensus, 6 October 2021 [10-06-2021]

ECDC
- Reinfection with SARS-CoV-2: implementation of a surveillance case definition within the EU/EEA [04-08-2021]

UK
- COVID-19: background information [10-06-2021]
- COVID-19: epidemiology, virology and clinical features [10-06-2021]

Other
- BMJ best practice COVID-19 [updated regularly]

Laboratories

Ontario Ministry of Health
- Community labs and specimen collection centres: version 3 [03-29-2020]

PHAC
- Requirements for serological antibody tests submitted under the COVID-19 interim order: guidance [04-12-2022]
- Biosafety advisory: SARS-CoV-2 (severe acute respiratory syndrome-related coronavirus 2) [11-23-2021]
- Polymerase chain reaction (PCR) and cycle threshold (Ct) values in COVID-19 testing [06-10-2021]
- National polymerase chain reaction (PCR) testing indication guidance for COVID-19 [10-07-2020]

WHO
- Acknowledgements: the Unity Studies for sero-epidemiological investigation of COVID-19 [03-24-2022]
- Operational considerations to expedite genomic sequencing component of GISRS surveillance of SARS-CoV-2 [03-30-2021]
- Laboratory biosafety guidance related to coronavirus disease (COVID-19) [01-28-2021]
- COVID-19 new variants: knowledge gaps and research [01-12-2021]
- Genomic sequencing of SARS-CoV-2: a guide to implementation for maximum impact on public health [01-08-2021]

CDC
- How to report COVID-19 laboratory data [04-04-2022]
- Evaluation for SARS-CoV-2 testing in animals [03-30-2022]
- Science brief: SARS-CoV-2 infection-induced and vaccine-induced immunity [10-29-2021]
- Biosafety [09-16-2021]
- Lab tests to collect shortly after severe allergic reaction/anaphylaxis following COVID-19 vaccination [08-09-2021]
- Variants and genomic surveillance for SARS-CoV-2 [04-02-2021]
- Information for laboratories about coronavirus (COVID-19) [03-28-2021]

UK
- NHS test and trace statistics (England): methodology [04-14-2022]
- Assessment and procurement of coronavirus (COVID-19) tests [04-04-2022]
- COVID-19: guidance for sampling and for diagnostic laboratories [03-29-2021]

Miscellaneous Guidelines

PHAC
- Individual public health measures [04-22-2022]
- Federal/provincial/territorial public health response plan for ongoing management of COVID-19 [04-08-2022]
- COVID-19 and people with disabilities in Canada [04-04-2022]

Canadian provinces and territories (other than Ontario)
- BC COVID-19 ethical decision-making framework [12-24-2020]

WHO
- Summary: Consolidated financing framework for ACT-accelerator agency and in-country needs [02-16-2022]
- Consolidated financing framework for ACT-A agency & in-country needs [02-09-2022]
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CDC

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Canada
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WHO

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Ontario

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WHO

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CDC

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UK

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Canada

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Ontario

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WHO

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CDC

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UK

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**WHO**

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CDC
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WHO
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UK
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PHAC
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PHAC
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UK
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PHAC
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CDC
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UK
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PHAC
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Ontario Ministry of Health
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Canada
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CDC
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UK
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PHAC
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ECDC
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UK

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