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Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

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Public Health Agencies

Public Health Agency of Canada | canada.ca

COVID-19 is a serious health threat, and the situation is evolving daily. The risk varies between and within communities, but given the number of cases in Canada, the risk to Canadians is considered high.

- **2019 novel coronavirus: outbreak update**
  - **July 18, 2021**, 19:00 EST, **1,423,177** cases of COVID-19 have been confirmed in Canada and there are currently **4,616** active cases. **26,499** people have died of COVID-19. Individuals tested: **37,798,244**.
  - **July 17, 2021**, 19:00 EST, **1,422,916** cases of COVID-19 have been confirmed in Canada and there are currently **4,702** active cases. **26,492** people have died of COVID-19. Individuals tested: **37,794,221**.
  - **July 16, 2021**, 19:00 EST, **1,422,641** cases of COVID-19 have been confirmed in Canada and there are currently **4,755** active cases. **26,489** people have died of COVID-19. Individuals tested: **37,747,547**.

- **COVID-19 vaccination in Canada**
  - As of **July 18, 2021**, 20:00 EST, there have been **45,043,318** vaccine doses administered.
  - As of **July 17, 2021**, 19:00 EST, there have been **44,892,100** vaccine doses administered.
  - As of **July 16, 2021**, 19:00 EST, there have been **44,694,799** vaccine doses administered.

- **Easing border measures for fully vaccinated travellers entering Canada - Permitting discretionary travel for citizens and permanent residents of the United States** [07-19-2021]

- **Statement from the Chief Public Health Officer of Canada** [07-16-2021]
  - “Administration of first and second doses of COVID-19 vaccines is continuing across the country and there is optimism that widespread, stronger and longer lasting immunity can be achieved by fully vaccinating a high proportion of eligible people across Canada. As of July 15, 2021, provinces and territories have administered over 44.2 millions doses of COVID-19 vaccines. The latest data provincial and territorial data indicate that over 79% of people aged 12 years or older have received at least one dose of COVID-19 vaccine and over 53% are fully vaccinated across Canada. Age specific data as of July 10th, show that over 78% of adults over the age of 40 years have received at least one dose and over 82% among those aged 70 years or older are now fully vaccinated. As infection rates are still highest among those under 40 years of age in Canada, increasing coverage in younger age groups can have a big overall impact on epidemic control. I encourage people of all ages across Canada to please step up, ask questions, find the time and seek out supports in your community to make this happen for you. For more information regarding the risks and benefits of vaccination, reach out to your local public health authorities, healthcare provider, or other trusted and credible sources, such as Canada.ca and Immunize.ca.”
COVID-19 information: 1-833-784-4397

BC Centre for Disease Control | bccdc.ca
- Visitor Guidance for Long-Term Care and Seniors’ Assisted Living [updated 07-19-2021]
- Social visiting guidelines for long term care and assisted living facilities [updated 07-19-2021]
- Guidance for primary care management of adult outpatients with suspected or confirmed COVID-19 [updated 07-16-2021]
- Interim guidance: public health management of cases and contacts associated with novel coronavirus (COVID-19) in the community [updated 07-16-2021]
  - Changes summarized: admin circular [07-16-2021]

Institut national de santé publique | inspq.qc.ca
- Ligne du temps COVID-19 au Québec [07-19-2021]
- Taux de reproduction (Rt) des cas de SRAS-CoV-2 au Québec [07-19-2021]
- SRAS-CoV-2 : Gestion des travailleurs de la santé en milieux de soins [07-16-2021]

International (outside of Canada)

CDC: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention | cdc.gov
- Update: coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) in the U.S.
  - Total cases: 33,896,296 total deaths: 606,618 [07-19-2021, posted 2:16 PM ET]
  - Total cases: 33,877,470 total deaths: 606,526 [07-18-2021, posted 1:45 PM ET]
  - Total cases: 33,836,677 total deaths: 606,190 [07-16-2021, posted 2:32 PM ET]
- COVID-19 vaccinations in the United States
  - Number of people receiving one or more doses: 186,317,651 [07-19-2021, posted 2:16 PM ET]
  - Number of people receiving one or more doses: 186,038,501 [07-18-2021, posted 1:45 PM ET]
  - Number of people receiving one or more doses: 185,424,899 [07-16-2021, posted 2:32 PM ET]
- COVID-19 hospitalization and death by age [07-19-2021]
- Families with vaccinated and unvaccinated members [07-16-2021]
- Laws and regulations [07-16-2021]
- Interim public health recommendations for fully vaccinated people [07-16-2021]
- When you’ve been fully vaccinated [07-16-2021]
- When you can be around others after you had or likely had COVID-19 [07-16-2021]
- COVID Data Tracker weekly review [07-16-2021]
• COVID-19 vaccination coverage among insured persons aged ≥16 years, by race/ethnicity and other selected characteristics — eight integrated health care organizations, United States, December 14, 2020–May 15, 2021 [07-15-2021]
• SARS-CoV-2 B.1.617.2 (Delta) variant COVID-19 outbreak associated with a gymnastics facility — Oklahoma, April–May 2021 [07-15-2021]
• Communication resources for travelers [07-15-2021]
• Evaluating and caring for patients with post-COVID conditions: interim guidance [07-14-2021]

ECDC: European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control | ecdc.europa.eu

• Situation update for EU/EEA
  o As of week 2021-27, 33 527 660 cases and 742 049 deaths have been reported in the EU/EEA
  o As of week 2021-26, 33 270 049 cases and 740 809 deaths have been reported in the EU/EEA
• Communicable disease threats report, 11-17 July 2021, week 28 [07-16-2021]
• SARS-CoV-2 resurgence in EU and EEA related to relaxation of non-pharmaceutical interventions and increasing spread of Delta variant [07-16-2021]
• Infographic: COVID-19 vaccination in the EU/EEA as of 11 July 2021 [07-16-2021]
• EMA and ECDC update on COVID-19 [07-14-2021]
• Data on COVID-19 vaccination in the EU/EEA [updated regularly]
• Data for the maps in support of the Council Recommendation on a coordinated approach to the restriction of free movement in response to the COVID-19 pandemic in the EU/EEA [updated regularly]
• Data on country response measures to COVID-19 [updated regularly]
• Data on the daily number of new reported COVID-19 cases and deaths by EU/EEA country [updated regularly]
• Download data on hospital and ICU admission rates and current occupancy for COVID-19 [updated regularly]
• Download data on the daily subnational 14-day notification rate of new COVID-19 cases [updated regularly]
• Data on the weekly subnational 14-day notification rate of new COVID-19 cases [updated regularly]
• Download data on testing for COVID-19 by week and country [updated regularly]
• Download data on 14-day notification rate of new COVID-19 cases and deaths [updated regularly]
• Download the daily number of new reported cases of COVID-19 by country worldwide [updated regularly]

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

• Coronavirus (COVID-19) update: daily roundup [updated regularly]
• The Path Forward: A Federal perspective on the COVID-19 response – scheduled 07-20-2021, 10 AM [07-19-2021]
Public Health England | gov.uk

- COVID-19: guidance for ambulance services [updated 07-19-2021]
- Guidance for contacts of people with confirmed coronavirus (COVID-19) infection who do not live with the person [updated 07-19-2021]
- COVID-19: how to work safely in care homes [updated 07-19-2021]
- COVID-19: arranging or attending a funeral or commemorative event [updated 07-19-2021]
- National flu and COVID-19 surveillance reports: 2021 to 2022 season [updated 07-16-2021]
- Confirmed cases of COVID-19 variants identified in UK [updated 07-16-2021]
- Alcoholic liver deaths increased by 21% during year of the pandemic [07-15-2021]

World Health Organization | who.int

- WHO Director-General’s opening remarks at the Member State Information Session on Origins [07-16-2021]
  - “[A]t the end of March this year, the WHO-led international scientific team delivered its report following its mission to China in January, in line with World Health Assembly resolution 73.1. That report filled in several knowledge gaps, and identified areas for further study. Earlier this week, Member States received a circular letter detailing the proposed next steps that the Secretariat will take to advance those studies, in several areas: First, integrated studies of humans, wildlife, captive and farmed animals, and environment, as part of a One Health approach. Second, studies prioritizing geographic areas with the earliest indication of circulation of SARS-CoV-2, and neighbouring areas where other SARS-related coronaviruses have been found in non-human reservoirs; Third, studies of animal markets in and around Wuhan, including continuing studies on animals sold at the Huanan wholesale market; Fourth, studies related to animal trace-back activities, with additional epidemiology and molecular epidemiology work, including early sequences of the virus; And fifth, audits of relevant laboratories and research institutions operating in the area of the initial human cases identified in December 2019.”

- WHO Director-General’s opening remarks at the first meeting of the working group on strengthening WHO preparedness and response to health emergencies [07-16-2021]
- WHO warns that HIV infection increases risk of severe and critical COVID-19 [07-15-2021]
- Clinical features and prognostic factors of COVID-19 in people living with HIV hospitalized with suspected or confirmed SARS-CoV-2 infection [07-15-2021]
- COVID-19 pandemic leads to major backsliding on childhood vaccinations, new WHO, UNICEF data shows [07-15-2021]
- WHO Director-General’s opening remarks at the media briefing on COVID-19 [07-15-2021]
- WHO Director-General’s opening remarks at the 8th meeting of the IHR Emergency Committee on COVID-19 [07-14-2021]
- Coronavirus disease (COVID-19) weekly epidemiological update [07-13-2021]
- Coronavirus disease (COVID-19) weekly operational update [07-12-2021]
- 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]
Timeline: WHO's COVID-19 response [updated regularly]
EPI-WIN: WHO information network for epidemics [updated regularly]

Other relevant government bodies / health care organization

- Government of Ontario
  - Ontario easing restrictions in congregate care settings [07-15-2021]

- Statistics Canada
  - COVID-19: a data perspective [updated regularly]
  - Personal Protective Equipment Survey, May 2021 [07-16-2021]
  - Navigating the third wave: trends in businesses’ needs for personal protective equipment since February 2021 [07-16-2021]

- Department of Finance Canada
  - Federal government delivers $5 billion in pandemic support to provinces and territories for vaccines and health care [07-14-2021]
  - Emergency funds to provinces and territories for vaccines and health care [07-14-2021]

- UK Cabinet Office
  - Coronavirus: how to stay safe and help prevent the spread [updated 07-19-2021]

- UK Department of Health and Social Care
  - Statement on offering COVID-19 vaccines to at-risk young people [07-19-2021]
  - COVID-19 vaccination of children and young people aged 12 to 17 years: JCVI statement [07-19-2021]
  - Every adult in UK offered COVID-19 vaccine [07-19-2021]
  - New research into treatment and diagnosis of long COVID [07-18-2021]
  - Visiting arrangements in care homes [updated 07-16-2021]
  - The R value and growth rate [updated 07-16-2021]

- UK Ministry of Housing, Communities & Local Government
  - COVID-19: provision of night shelters [07-19-2021]

Centre for Global Infectious Disease Analysis | imperial.ac.uk/mrc-global-infectious-disease-analysis/

- Report 44 - Recent trends in SARS-CoV-2 variants of concern in England [05-20-2021]

CIDRAP: Center for Infectious Disease Research Policy | cidrap.umn.edu

- Studies elucidate poorly understood long COVID [07-16-2021]
- US COVID-19 cases climb steadily all week [07-16-2021]
- European officials say Delta driving deteriorating COVID-19 situation [07-16-2021]
- News Scan for Jul 16, 2021: Complications during COVID hospitalization; Texas monkeypox case; MDRO reduction in nursing homes; Salad Salmonella outbreak; Polio in 3 countries

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- Reports confirm pandemic-related drop in basic childhood vaccination [07-15-2021]
- Surgeon General warns of COVID-19 misinformation [07-15-2021]
- COVID-19 remdesivir study finds long hospital stay, but context matters [07-15-2021]
- COVID-19 Scan for Jul 15, 2021: Monoclonal antibodies for COVID-19; Learning disabilities and COVID risk

National Collaborating Centre for Environmental Health | ncceh.ca
- July, 2021 Environmental Health Research Scan (with COVID-19 section)
- June, 2021 Environmental Health Research Scan (with COVID-19 section)
- May, 2021 Environmental Health Research Scan (with COVID-19 section)
- April, 2021 Environmental Health Research Scan (with COVID-19 section)
- March, 2021 Environmental Health Research Scan (with COVID-19 section)

ProMED | promedmail.org
- Latest on COVID-19 [individual posts]
- COVID-19 update (244): lambda var S America, long COVID & children, Europe, WHO [07-17-2021]
- COVID-19 update (242): inc. cases and deaths, hosp resources, infec. rates, WHO [07-15-2021]

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 were last updated 07-14-2021
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- Canadian guidance (federal)

Reopening Guidelines

Ontario

- ON Reopening Ontario after COVID-19 [07-09-2021]
- 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 [updated 05-14-2021]
- CA Guidance for a strategic approach to lifting restrictive public health measures [updated 05-30-2020]
- BC BC COVID-19 go-forward management strategy [no date]
- AB Alberta: Stronger public health measures [no date]
- SK Re-open Saskatchewan plan [no date]
- MB Restoring safe services: Manitoba’s pandemic and economic roadmap for recovery [no date]
- QC Map of COVID-19 alert levels by region [no date]
- NB Public Health Guidance [no date]
- NL Alert level system [no date]
- PEI Renew PEI together [no date]
- NS COVID-19 restriction updates [updated regularly]
- NW Emerging wisely [no date]
- YT Plan for lifting Yukon's COVID-19 restrictions [07-12-2021]
- NT Nunavut’s Path: moving forward during COVID-19 [no date]
- Guidance on Re-Opening Northern, Remote, Isolated, and Indigenous Communities [06-30-2020]

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

- Reopening businesses and venues in England [updated 05-17-2021]
- Our plan to rebuild: the UK government’s COVID-19 recovery strategy [07-24-2020]

ECDC
• Introducing a coherent European framework for tuning COVID-19 response measures [03-17-2021]

Vaccinations

Ontario Ministry of Health

• COVID-19 Vaccine-relevant information and planning resources [updated 07-06-2021]
• Ethical framework for COVID-19 vaccine distribution [updated 01-11-2021]

Canada (Federal)

• Recommendations on the use of COVID-19 vaccines: An Advisory Committee Statement (ACS)
• National Advisory Committee on Immunization (NACI) [07-02-2021]
• Recommendations on the use of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine in adolescents 12 to 18 years of age [archived] [07-02-2021]
• Summary of updated NACI vaccine statement of May 28, 2021 [archived] [modified 06-17-2021]
• NACI rapid response: Interchangeability of authorized COVID-19 vaccines [archived] [modified 06-17-2021]
• Summary of NACI rapid response of June 1, 2021 [archived] [modified 06-17-2021]
• Reports of myocarditis and pericarditis after COVID-19 vaccination: Communiqué to health practitioners (June 3, 2021) [06-14-2021]
• Vaccines for COVID-19: Authorized vaccines [modified 06-02-2021]
• Extended dose intervals for COVID-19 vaccines to optimize early vaccine rollout and population protection in Canada in the context of limited vaccine supply [archived] [06-01-2021]
• Planning guidance for immunization clinics for COVID-19 vaccines [05-07-2021]
• Health care provider vaccine tool kit. version 2 [05-07-2021]
• For immunization providers: Interim national vaccine storage, handling and transportation guidelines for ultra-low temperature and frozen temperature COVID-19 vaccines [04-15-2021]
• National Advisory Committee on Immunization (NACI): Summary of extended dose interval statement of April 7, 2021 [archived] [modified 04-09-2021]
• Guidance on the prioritization of key populations for COVID-19 immunization [02-12-2021]
• Planning guidance for administration of COVID-19 vaccine [12-21-2020]
• Guidance on the prioritization of initial doses of COVID-19 vaccine(s) [12-18-2020]
• Canada’s COVID-19 immunization plan: saving lives and livelihoods [12-05-2020]
• COVID-19 immunization: federal, provincial and territorial statement of common principles [11-12-2020]
• Preliminary guidance on key populations for early COVID-19 immunization [11-03-2020]
• Recommendations on the duration of the post-vaccination observation period for influenza vaccination during the COVID-19 pandemic [10-14-2020]
• Guidance for influenza vaccine delivery in the presence of COVID-19 [08-05-2020]
• Interim guidance on continuity of immunization programs during the COVID-19 pandemic [05-13-2020]
Provinces and territories (other than Ontario)

- BC [COVID-19 mRNA Vaccine BNT162b2 (Pfizer-BioNTech)] [updated 07-12-2021]
- BC [COVID-19 mRNA Vaccine mRNA-1273 (Moderna)] [updated 07-12-2021]
- BC [FAQ: Providing care to pregnant patients and their newborns during the COVID-19 pandemic] [07-12-2021]
- BC [COVID-19 Vaccination Aftercare handout] [updated 07-05-2021]
- BC [Pfizer vaccine sub dose vial reporting] [06-23-2021]
- BC [Ethical Framework for Allocating Scarce Drug Therapies During COVID-19] [06-23-2021]
- BC [Moderna Redistribution Guidelines] [06-21-2021]
- BC [Clinical Guidance on COVID-19 Vaccines for people with hematological malignancy at any stage of treatment and/or who have undergone hematopoietic stem cell transplant or CAR-T cell therapy in the past 6 months] [updated 06-20-2021]
- BC [Clinical Guidance on COVID-19 Vaccines for People with Splenectomy or Functional Asplenia] [updated 06-20-2021]
- BC [Clinical Guidance on COVID-19 Vaccines for People with Solid Cancers] [updated 06-20-2021]
- BC [Immunization manual] [updated 06-18-2021]
- BC [COVID-19 Vaccine Screening Checklist] [updated 06-18-2021]
- BC [COVID-19 Vaccine ChAdOx1-S [recombinant] (AstraZeneca/Verity Pharmaceuticals)] [updated 06-18-2021]
- BC [Clinical Guidance on COVID-19 Vaccines for People with Kidney Disease (Dialysis, Non-Dialysis with Advanced Disease, Glomerulonephritis)] [updated 06-17-2021]
- BC [Clinical Guidance on COVID-19 Vaccines for People with Autoimmune Neuromuscular Disorders Receiving Immunosuppressive/Immunomodulating Therapy] [06-17-2021]
- BC [Clinical Guidance on COVID-19 Vaccines for People with Significant Neuromuscular Conditions Who Require Respiratory Support] [06-17-2021]
- BC [Clinical Guidance on COVID-19 Vaccines for Persons with Inflammatory Bowel Disease] [updated 06-16-2021]
- BC [COVID-19 Vaccines for Pregnant People with Heart Disease] [updated 06-16-2021]
- BC [Clinical Guidance on COVID-19 Vaccines for Persons with Autoimmune Rheumatic Diseases] [06-16-2021]
- BC [Clinical Guidance on COVID-19 Vaccines for People with Metabolically Unstable Inborn Errors of Metabolism (IEM)] [updated 06-16-2021]
- BC [Clinical Guidance on COVID-19 Vaccines for People with Thalassemia] [updated 06-16-2021]
- BC [Clinical Guidance on COVID-19 Vaccines for People with Cystic Fibrosis] [updated 06-16-2021]
- BC [Clinical Guidance on COVID-19 Vaccines for People with Sickle Cell Disease] [updated 06-16-2021]
- BC [Clinical Guidance on COVID-19 Vaccines for Solid Organ Transplant Recipients] [updated 06-16-2021]
- BC [Clinical Guidance on COVID-19 Vaccines for People with Paroxysmal Nocturnal Hemoglobinuria (PNH) and Atypical Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome (aHUS)] [updated 06-16-2021]
- BC [Myocarditis/pericarditis in association with receipt of mRNA COVID-19 vaccine] [06-11-2021]
- BC [Guidance Document on the Management of Inadvertent Vaccine Errors] [06-08-2021]
- BC [2nd dose choice for people who received AstraZeneca/COVISHIELD] [06-08-2021]
- BC [Adverse Event Following Immunization with COVID-19 Vaccine Case Report Form] [06-08-2021]
- BC [Pfizer Redistribution Guidelines] [updated 06-04-2021]
- BC Janssen Redistribution Guidelines [06-04-2021]
- BC COVID-19 Vaccine Ad26.COV2.S [recombinant] (Janssen) [updated 06-03-2021]
- BC Summary of AEFI Reporting Criteria for COVID-19 Vaccination for older children, adolescents and adults [no date]
- BC COVID-19 Pfizer vaccine shipping, storage, thawing and use guidelines [05-19-2021]
- BC COVID-19 Pfizer Vaccine Partial Tray ULT Distribution Guidelines [05-19-2021]
- BC Cold chain assets warranty contact information [05-05-2021]
- BC Janssen Shipping, Storage and Use Guideline [04-30-2021]
- BC COVID-19 vaccine planning guide for people who are pregnant or breastfeeding [03-26-2021]

WHO

- Interim recommendations for use of the Moderna mRNA-1273 vaccine against COVID-19 [06-15-2021]
- Interim recommendations for use of the Pfizer–BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine, BNT162b2, under Emergency Use Listing [06-15-2021]
- Annexes to the interim recommendations for use of the Janssen Ad26.COV2.S vaccine [06-15-2021]
- COVID-19 Vaccine Introduction and deployment Costing tool (CVIC tool) version 2.2 [06-10-2021]
- Update on WHO Interim recommendations on COVID-19 vaccination of pregnant and lactating women [06-10-2021]
- How to manage COVID-19 vaccines withoutVVM at vaccination service points? [06-03-2021]
- Interim recommendations for use of the inactivated COVID-19 vaccine, CoronaVac, developed by Sinovac [06-01-2021]
- Annexes to the recommendations for use of the Sinovac-CoronaVac vaccine against COVID-19: Grading of evidence, Evidence to recommendation tables [06-01-2021]
- Guidance on developing a national deployment and vaccination plan for COVID-19 vaccines [06-01-2021]
• **Background document on the inactivated vaccine Sinovac-CoronaVac against COVID-19**: [06-01-2021]
• **Technical note on delayed shipments for the ChAdOx1-S [recombinant] vaccines: what are the implications for the administration of second doses?: Scientific brief** [05-26-2021]
• **Health worker communication for COVID-19 vaccination flow diagram** [05-13-2021]
• **AstraZeneca ChAdOx1-S/nCoV-19 [recombinant], COVID-19 vaccine: COVID-19 vaccine explainer** [05-10-2021]
• **ChAdOx1-S [recombinant], COVID-19 vaccine** [05-10-2021]
• **Annexes to the interim recommendations for use of the inactivated COVID-19 vaccine BIBP developed by China National Biotec Group (CNBG), Sinopharm, 7 May 2021** [05-07-2021]
• **Interim recommendations for use of the inactivated COVID-19 vaccine BIBP developed by China National Biotec Group (CNBG), Sinopharm, 7 May 2021** [05-07-2021]
• **Background document on the inactivated COVID-19 vaccine BIBP developed by China National Biotec Group (CNBG), Sinopharm, 7 May 2021** [05-07-2021]
• **Estimating COVID-19 vaccine effectiveness against severe acute respiratory infections (SARI) hospitalizations associated with laboratory-confirmed SARS-CoV-2: an evaluation using the test-negative design** [05-06-2021]
• **COVID-19 Exercise Programme - Drills for Vaccine Deployment** [05-03-2021]
• **Disability considerations for COVID-19 vaccination: WHO and UNICEF policy brief, 19 April 2021**
• **Why are there extra doses of vaccine in the vaccine vial?** [04-26-2021]
• **Annexes to the interim recommendations for use of the ChAdOx1-S [recombinant] vaccine against COVID-19 (AstraZeneca COVID-19 vaccine AZD1222, SII Covishield, SK Bioscience)** [04-20-2021]
• **COVID-19 and mandatory vaccination: Ethical considerations and caveats** [04-13-20231]
• **Data for action: achieving high uptake of COVID-19 vaccines: Interim guidance** [04-01-2021]
• **Evaluation of COVID-19 vaccine effectiveness: interim guidance, 17 March 2021** [03-17-2021]
• **Sample size calculator for evaluation of COVID-19 vaccine effectiveness (Excel)** [03-17-2021]
• **How to monitor and report COVID-19 vaccine side effects** [03-15-2021]
• **Monitoring COVID-19 vaccination: Considerations for the collection and use of vaccination data: Interim Guidance** [03-03-2021]
• **COVID-19 vaccine checklist** [03-01-2021]
• **AZD1222 vaccine against COVID-19 developed by Oxford University and AstraZeneca: Background paper (draft)** [02-10-2021]
• **Background document on the mRNA-1273 vaccine (Moderna) against COVID-19** [02-03-2021]
• **Conducting community engagement for COVID-19 vaccines: Interim guidance** [01-31-2021]
• **mRNA-1273 vaccine (Moderna) against COVID-19 Background document (draft)** [01-19-2021]
• **Aide-mémoire: infection prevention and control (IPC) principles and procedures for COVID-19 vaccination activities** [01-15-2021]
• **Evidence to recommendations for COVID-19 vaccines: evidence framework** [12-10-2020]
• Guidance on developing a national deployment and vaccination Planning for COVID-19 vaccines [11-16-2020]
• Immunization as an essential health service: guiding principles for immunization activities during the COVID-19 pandemic and other times of severe disruption [11-01-2020]

CDC
• Key Operational Considerations for Jurisdictions Planning to Operate COVID-19 Vaccination Clinics [07-09-2021]
• Pediatric healthcare professionals COVID-19 vaccination toolkit [updated 06-21-2021]
• COVID-19 vaccination considerations for persons with underlying medical conditions [updated 06-16-2021]
• Interim Public Health Recommendations for Fully Vaccinated People [05-28-2021]
• COVID-19 vaccines for children and teens [updated 05-27-2021]
• COVID-19 vaccine information for specific groups [updated 05-25-2021]
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WHO

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CDC

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ECDC

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UK

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WHO
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CDC
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UK
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CDC
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UK
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UK
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CDC
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UK
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Canada
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WHO
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CDC
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UK
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Australia
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PHAC
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WHO

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UK

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PHAC

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CDC

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UK

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

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ECDC

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UK

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UK
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CDC
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ECDC
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UK
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