

3 NATIONS COVID-19 DAILY UPDATE – 24 June 2020

The information contained in this report is based on recent updates and current information available at the time the report was finalized. It is not inclusive of all actions or measures taken to date by health officials federally, provincially or locally.

COVID-19 CASE COUNTS

STATUS OF CASES IN BC¹	As of June 23	As of June 24	Change
Currently hospitalized in BC	16	14	-2
Currently in intensive care	7	7	0
Total deaths in BC	170	171	1
Total recovered in BC	2,491	2,516	25
Total confirmed cases in BC	2,835	2,849	14

CONFIRMED CASES BY REGION²	As of June 23	As of June 24	Change
Vancouver Coastal Health	960	963	3
Fraser Health	1,480	1,491	11
Island Health	131	131	0
Interior Health	199	199	0
Northern Health	65	65	0
Total confirmed cases in BC	2,835	2,849	14
Total individuals tested in BC	181,704	183,368	1,664

STATUS OF CASES IN YUKON³	As of June 23	As of June 24	Change
Total individuals tested	1,259	1,265	6
Total confirmed cases	11	11	0
Recovered cases	11	11	0
Negative results	1,246	1,246	0
Pending results	2	8	6

¹ <https://experience.arcgis.com/experience/a6f23959a8b14bfa989e3cda29297ded>

² <https://experience.arcgis.com/experience/a6f23959a8b14bfa989e3cda29297ded>

³ <https://yukon.ca/covid-19>

**STATUS OF FIRST NATION
RESERVE CASES IN CANADA⁴**

	As of June 21	As of June 22	Change
Total confirmed cases	281	285	4
Currently hospitalized	27	27	0
Total deaths	6	6	0
Total recovered	220	220	0
Total confirmed cases in BC	42	42	0

LATEST ADVICE AND MEASURES IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

- Today, the BC Government announced the gradual transition to Phase 3 of BC’s Restart Plan.⁵
 - This gradual transition includes, but is not limited to:
 - The opening of hotels, resorts, parks, the film industry and select entertainment with COVID-19 safety plans in place.
 - The return of safe and respectful travel within the province.
 - Dr. Bonnie Henry has laid out travel guidelines that must be followed for everyone travelling to and within BC:
 - Pre-trip planning and research on available resources at arriving destinations;
 - Respecting any local travel advisories to isolated and remote communities;
 - No travelling for anyone who is sick, and if symptoms develop while travelling – self isolate immediately and contact 811 for guidance and testing;
 - Practicing safe physical distancing of two metres at all times;
 - Spending time in small groups and open spaces; and
 - Practicing good hygiene, including frequent handwashing, and cleaning.
- Today, the BC Government announced the amendments to existing legislation to support people and businesses, while responding to the fiscal impacts of COVID-19.⁶
 - These amendments include:
 - Authorizing deficit budgets for the next three years, while the Province supports economic recovery from COVID-19.
 - Authorizing government to continue to table supplementary estimates before the legislative assembly.
 - Clarifying the existing limits and uses of special warrants while the legislative assembly is not in session to maintain essential services and respond to provincial emergencies and disasters like the pandemic.

⁴ <https://www.sac-isc.gc.ca/eng/1581964230816/1581964277298>

⁵ <https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2020PREM0033-001159>

⁶ <https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2020FIN0037-001162>

- Today, the BC Government announced that although the Province is maintaining the freeze on rent increases and evictions for non-payment of rent during COVID-19, other notices and laws may resume, effective immediately, including:⁷
 - A landlord can now issue a notice to end tenancy for any reason (other than unpaid or late payment rent).
 - Landlords with existing orders for evictions can take tenants to court effective July 2, 2020.
 - Landlords can enter a rental suite with 24-hour notice and do not need the tenant's consent but are expected to follow appropriate health guidelines.
 - Personal service of documents can resume.

Terrace

- No significant updates from the City of Terrace.

Smithers

- No significant updates from the Town of Smithers.

LATEST ADVICE AND MEASURES IN YUKON TERRITORY

- Today, the Yukon Government announced the following updates on measures being taken in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.⁸
 - Starting July 1, 2020:
 - Residents of BC and Yukon will be allowed to travel back and forth without the need to self-isolate for 14 days.
 - Public pools will be able to operate with an approved operational plan.
 - The Whitehorse Farmers Market can welcome non-food vendors and market organizers can offer seating to the public.

Whitehorse

- No significant updates from the city of Whitehorse.

Watson Lake

- No COVID-19 information for this community is currently available.

LATEST ADVICE AND MEASURES FROM THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA

- No significant updates from the Government of Canada.

This summary was compiled by [CCEM Strategies Ltd.](#) at the request of the 3 Nations Society.

⁷ <https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2020MAH0034-001164>

⁸ <https://yukon.ca/en/news/june-24-2020-covid-19-update>