

3 NATIONS COVID-19 UPDATE – 04 June 2021

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 Jun 03	As of Jun 04	Change
Total confirmed cases in BC	144,866	145,049	183
Total active cases in BC	2,563	2,453	-110
Currently in intensive care	62	59	-3
Currently hospitalized	224	224	0
Total hospitalized to date	7,735	7,758	23
Total deaths in BC	1,709	1,710	1
Total recovered in BC	140,537	140,835	298

CONFIRMED CASES BY REGION¹	As of Jun 03	As of Jun 04	Change
Total confirmed cases in BC	144,866	145,049	183
Vancouver Coastal Health	35,015	35,055	40
Fraser Health	84,404	84,505	101
Island Health	5,064	5,067	3
Interior Health	12,488	12,518	30
Northern Health	7,695	7,704	9
Out of Canada	200	200	0
Total tests	2,784,856	2,791,058	6,202*

STATUS OF CASES IN YUKON²	As of Jun 03	As of Jun 04	Change
Total confirmed cases	84	84	0
Total active cases	0	0	0
Total deaths	2	2	0
Total recovered	82	82	0
Total individuals tested	7,567	7,567*	-
Negative results	7,463	7,463*	-
Pending results	20	20*	-

*The BCCDC has reported 6,151 new tests but this does not align with the difference in total test numbers between June 3rd and June 4th.

** The Yukon Government has not provided updated test data since June 1st due to a change in reporting technology.

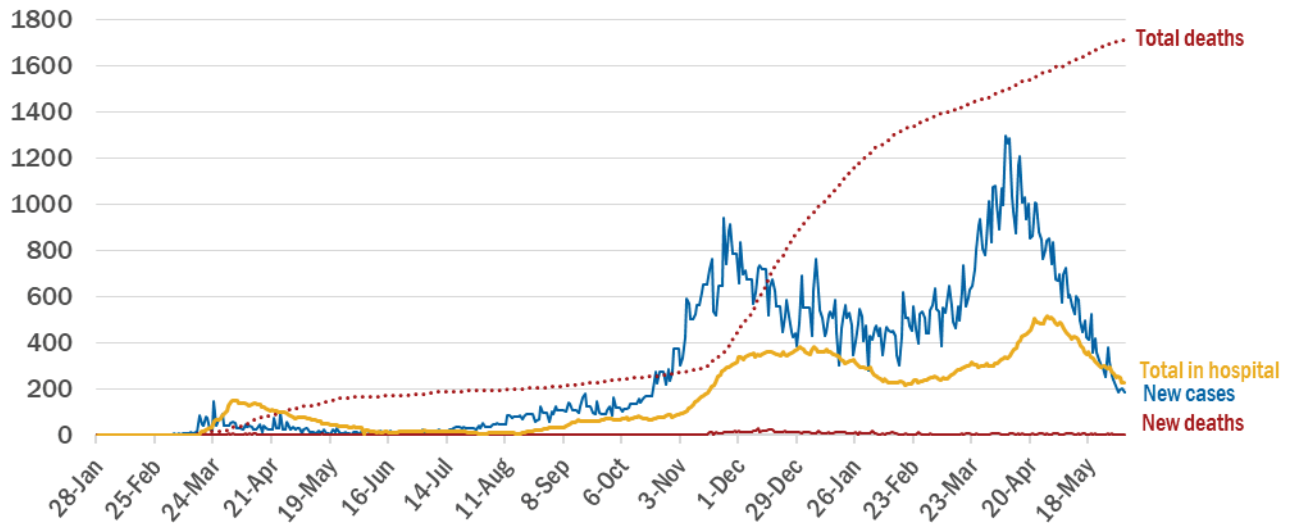
¹ Source: <https://experience.arcgis.com/experience/a6f23959a8b14bfa989e3cda29297ded>

² Source: <https://yukon.ca/en/case-counts-covid-19>

**STATUS OF FIRST NATION RESERVE
CASES IN CANADA ³**

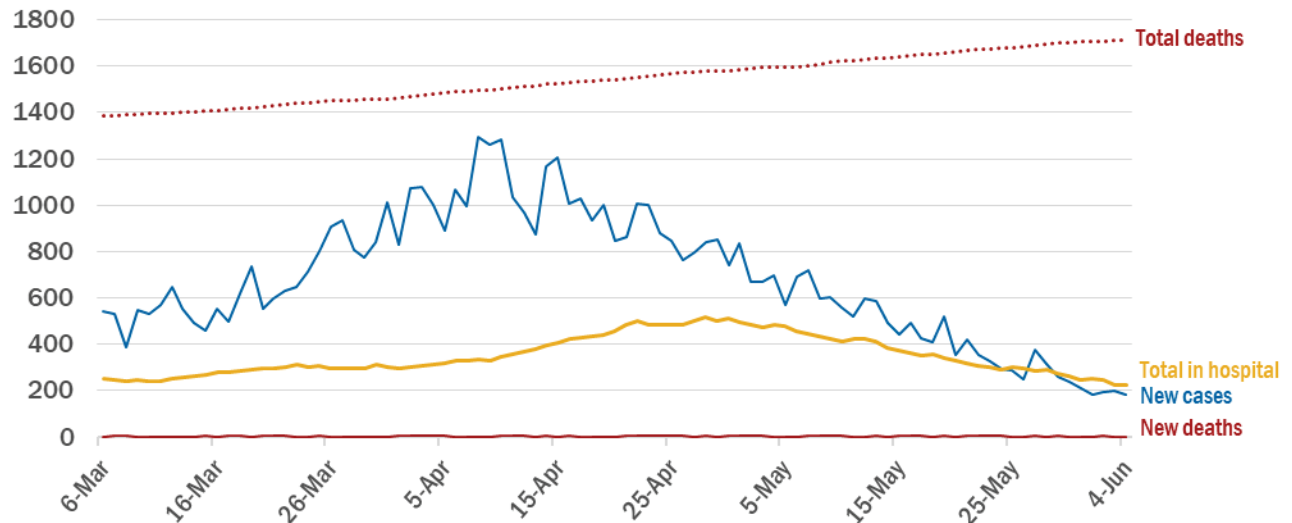
	As of Jun 02	As of Jun 03	Change
Total confirmed cases	29,930	30,034	104
Total active cases	690	761	71
Currently hospitalized	1,363	1,366	3
Total deaths	343	346	3
Total recovered	28,897	28,927	30
Total confirmed cases in BC	3,103	3,107	4

COVID-19 CASES AND DEATHS IN BC



Note: Counts have been averaged where one number was reported for multi-day periods

COVID-19 CASES AND DEATHS IN BC – PAST THREE MONTHS



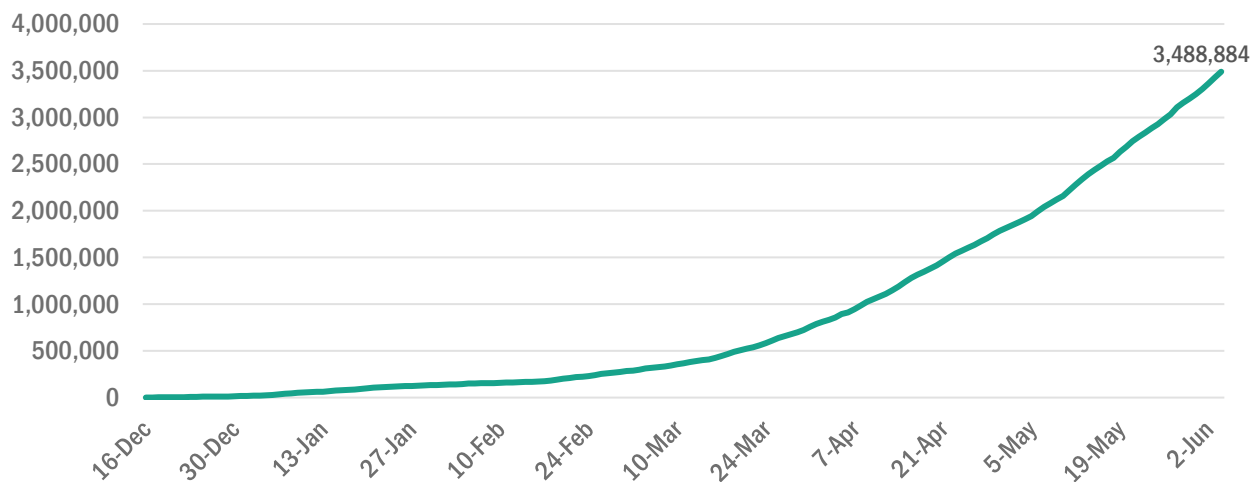
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COVID-19 VACCINATION INFORMATION

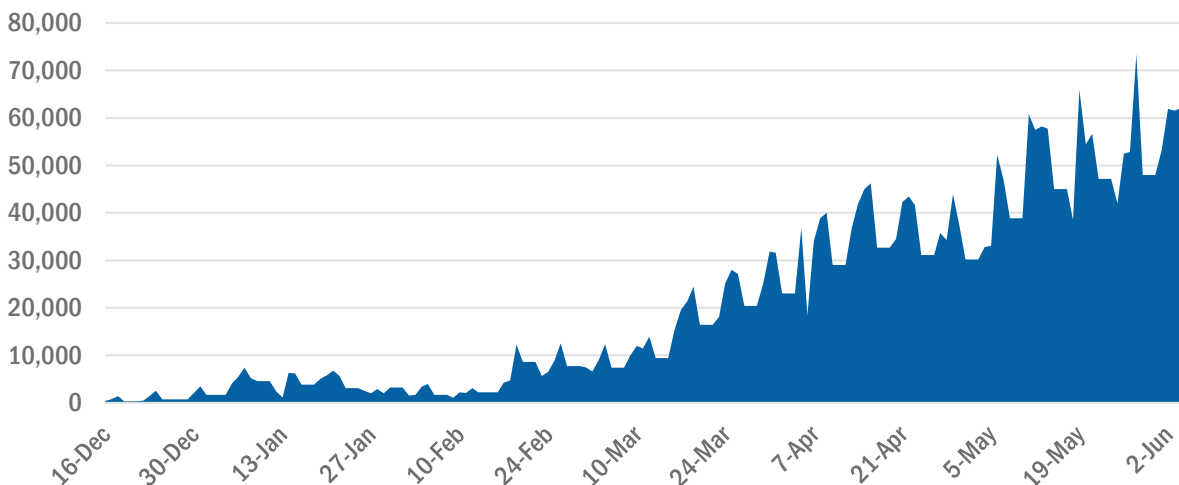
STATUS OF VACCINE ADMINISTRATION⁴

	Total Doses Administered		Total Doses Supplied	% of Doses Administered	% Pop. with first dose	People Fully Vaccinated	% Pop. Fully Vaccinated ⁵
	Today	Total					
BC	62,057	3,488,884	3,908,330	89.26%	62.81%	256,725	4.99%
Yukon	441	54,166	77,550	69.84%	68.56%	25,252	59.41%
Canada	463,924	25,397,448	28,878,704	87.90%	60.06%	2,571,814	6.77%

TOTAL DOSES ADMINISTERED



DOSES ADMINISTERED IN BC EACH DAY



⁴ Source: N. Little. COVID-19 Tracker Canada (2020), COVID19Tracker.ca

⁵ Source: <https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/track-vaccinations-across-canada-1.5870573>

SIGNIFICANT UPDATES IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

- Today, Dr. Bonnie Henry, B.C.'s provincial health officer, and Adrian Dix, Minister of Health, provided a joint statement regarding COVID-19 in B.C. Highlights include the following:⁶
 - “Our goal is to get as many people as possible fully vaccinated with their COVID-19 vaccine as soon as we can. This is what will help us control the spread of the virus in our communities.”
 - “We are grateful for the many people in every part of our province who have stepped forward without pause to get their first, and now their second, dose. Demand for vaccine is high, and this is very good for all of us.”
 - “This month will be extremely busy for our clinics – continuing with first doses for people 12 and older and also ramping up our second dose program. Elders, seniors, clinically extremely vulnerable people and others who are highest risk will all be getting vaccinated with Dose 2, with more and more of the broader population following closely behind.”
- Today, Ravi Kahlon, Minister of Jobs, Economic Recovery and Innovation, announced additional funding to keep the Small and Medium Sized Business Recovery Grant operating until the expected start of Step 3 of BC's Restart plan (July 1, 2021).⁷
 - **About the grant program:**
 - The program provides fully funded grants to eligible businesses that employ up to 149 B.C. residents.
 - Grants of \$10,000 to a maximum of \$30,000 are available with up to an additional \$5,000 to \$15,000 available to tourism-related businesses.
 - **Applying for the grant program:**
 - The application deadline is July 2, 2021
 - Businesses interested in applying for the grant are encouraged to apply right away.
 - All businesses that apply must submit all final documentation and details prior to the July 2, 2021, deadline.
 - As part of the application process, an applicant is required to develop a business recovery plan.
 - Approved professional service providers are available to help with the application process, including recovery plan support, up to \$2,000 per small or medium-sized business. This amount is paid directly to the provider.
 - If the business's application meets the eligibility criteria, they will have two options to complete a recovery plan:
 - Small Business BC will match the business with a professional service provider to prepare their recovery plan (government funded up to \$2,000, paid directly to the service provider)
 - If a business uses their own professional service provider, the provider must register and be confirmed by Small Business BC on the expressions of interest page to receive funding (government funded up to \$2,000, paid directly to the service provider)

⁶ <https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2021HLTH0038-001093>

⁷ <https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2021JERI0038-001087>

- For more information on the Small and Medium Sized Business Recovery Grant program, including the application process and eligibility, visit:
<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/economic-recovery/business-recovery-grant>

SIGNIFICANT UPDATES IN THE YUKON TERRITORY

- There are no significant updates from the Yukon Territory.

SIGNIFICANT UPDATES FROM THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA

- Today, Dr. Theresa Tam, Chief Public Health Officer, released a statement regarding COVID-19 in Canada. Highlights include the following:⁸
 - **Regarding vaccinations:**
 - “If you don't have your first shot, or haven't booked an appointment yet, now is the time. This includes those who are pregnant or breastfeeding, as well as those with an autoimmune condition or who are immunosuppressed.”
 - “If you've already had your first dose, thank you - it's win-win, you're now better protected, and you've taken an important step to bring us closer to ending the crisis phase of the pandemic in Canada.”
 - “You can now keep an eye out for when you'll be eligible to receive your second shot. Even if you already have an appointment, be sure to monitor local public health information, as appointment dates may be moved up as supply increases.”
 - “Getting that second dose is important, both for your own protection and for building immunity in your community - this is a double-double, win-win! While your first dose provides priming immunity, providing most of us with good protection and reducing the likelihood of severe illness, the second dose is crucial for boosting our immune systems to build strong and longer lasting immunity.”
 - **Regarding cases of vaccine-induced immune thrombotic thrombocytopenia (VITT) in Canada:**
 - “As of May 30th, there have been 44 national reports of rare but serious blood clots with low levels of blood platelets following immunization with the AstraZeneca vaccines in Canada.”
 - “Of those, 30 have tested positive for PF4 antibodies, meeting the definition of vaccine-induced immune thrombotic thrombocytopenia, or VITT. Laboratory testing on the remaining 14 individuals is ongoing.”
 - “Sadly, among these confirmed cases of VITT, there have been 5 deaths reported. We offer our most sincere condolences to the loved ones of those who have passed away.”

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

⁸ <https://www.canada.ca/en/public-health/news/2021/06/remarks-from-the-chief-public-health-officer-on-june-4-2021.html>