

3 NATIONS COVID-19 UPDATE – 23 September 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 BC ¹	As of Sept 22	As of Sept 23	Change
Total confirmed cases in BC	180,937	181,798	861
Total active cases in BC	5,458	5,726	268
Currently in intensive care	157	148	-9
Currently hospitalized	324	330	6
Total hospitalized to date	9,590	9,634	44
Total deaths in BC	1,910	1,915	5
Total recovered in BC	173,215	173,786	571

CONFIRMED CASES BY REGION¹	As of Sept 22	As of Sept 23	Change
Total confirmed cases in BC	180,937	181,798	861
Vancouver Coastal Health	40,635	40,751	116
Fraser Health	95,158	95,530	372
Island Health	8,020	8,106	86
Interior Health	25,959	26,123	164
Northern Health	10,886	11,009	123
Out of Canada	279	279	0
Total tests	3,748,706	3,766,744	18,038*

STATUS OF CASES IN YUKON ²	As of Sept 22	As of Sept 23	Change
Total confirmed cases	736	738	2
Total active cases	39	40	1
Total deaths	9	9	0
Total recovered	694	695	1
Total individuals tested	12,477	12,519	102
Negative results	11,670	11,738	68
Pending results	73	46	27

*The BCCDC has reported 17,965 new tests between September 22nd and September 23rd.

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

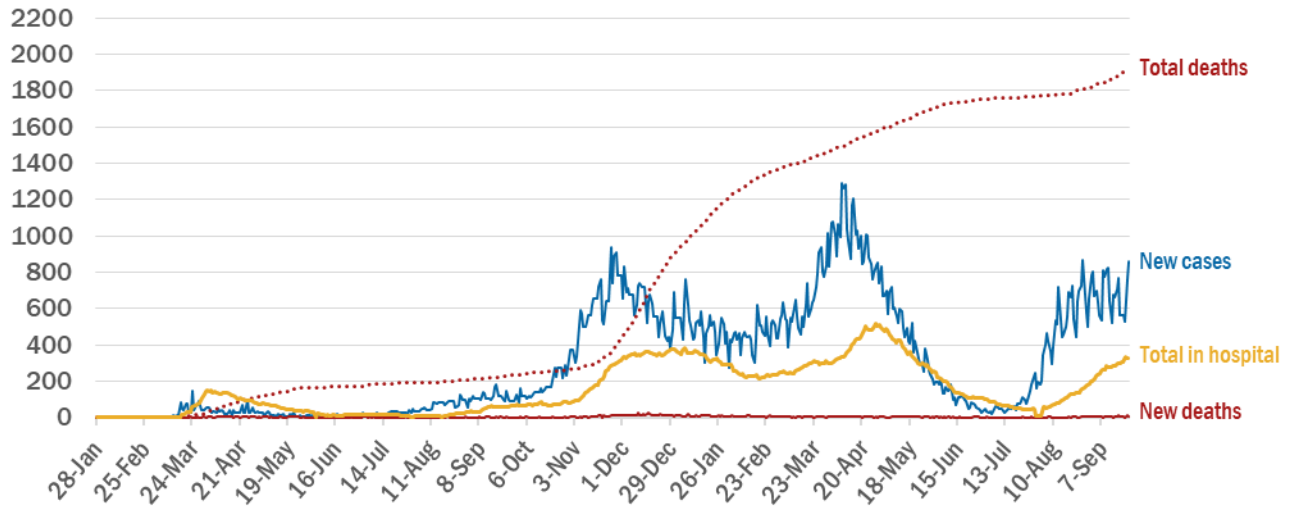
² Source: <https://yukon.ca/en/case-counts-covid-19>

STATUS OF FIRST NATION RESERVE

CASES IN CANADA ³

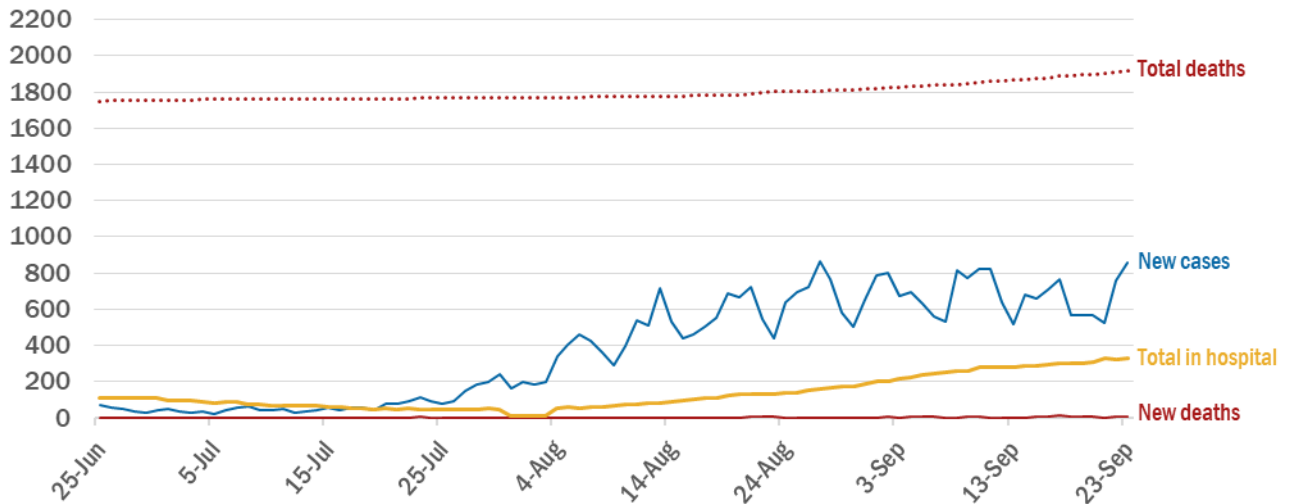
	As of Sept 21	As of Sept 22	Change
Total confirmed cases	39,421	39,608	187
Total active cases	1,894	1,813	-81
Total hospitalized	1,811	1,817	6
Total deaths	413	415	2
Total recovered	37,114	37,380	266
Total confirmed cases in BC	4,118	4,143	25

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



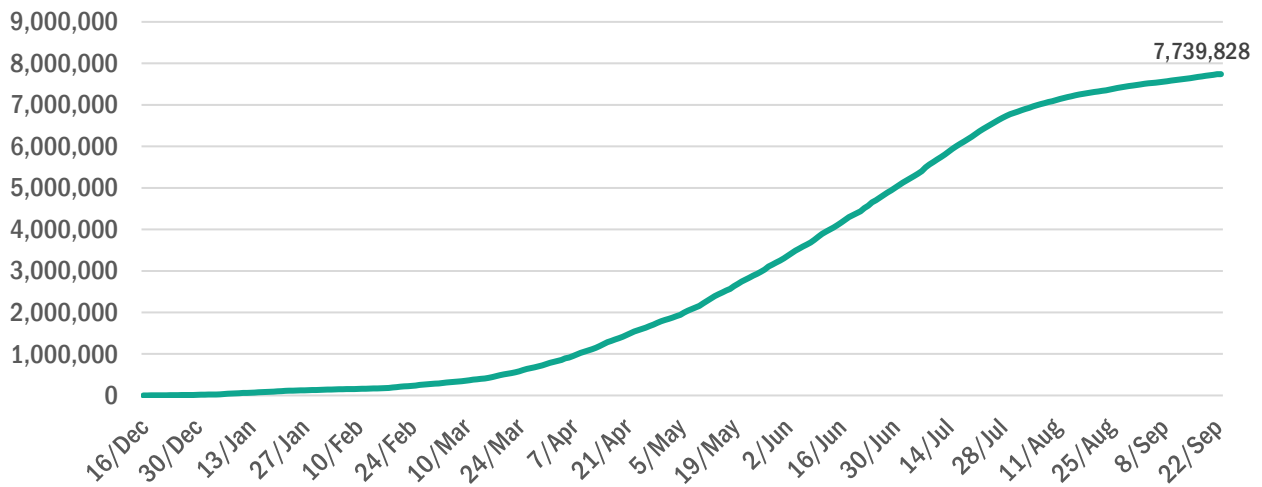
³ Source: <https://www.sac-isc.gc.ca/eng/1598625105013/1598625167707>

COVID-19 VACCINATION INFORMATION

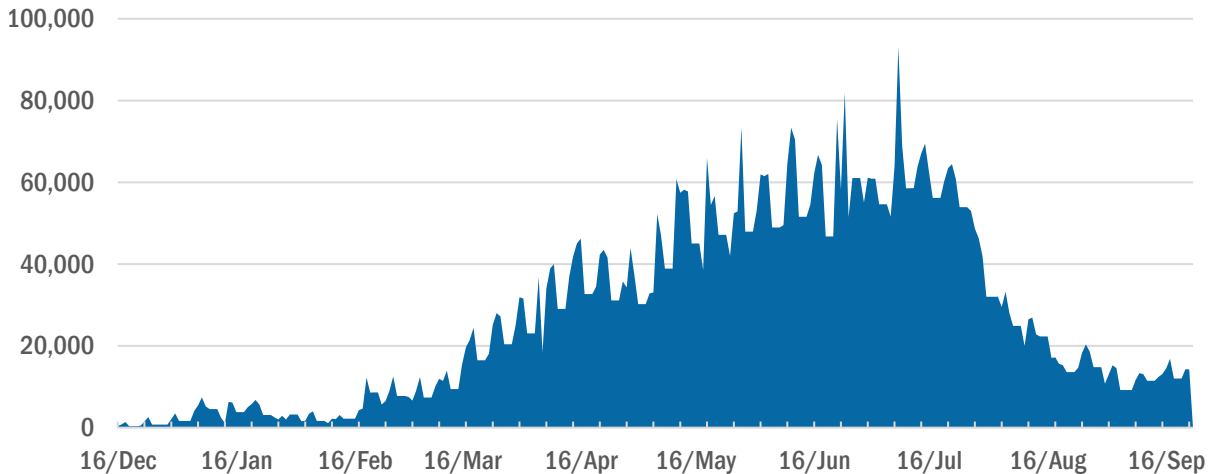
STATUS OF VACCINE ADMINISTRATION⁴

	Total Doses Administered		Total Doses Supplied	% of Doses Administered	% Pop. with first dose	People Fully Vaccinated	% Pop. Fully Vaccinated
	Today	Total					
BC	-	7,739,828	8,030,650	96.37	78.21	3,692,922	71.37
Yukon	-	65,966	67,840	97.23	78.86	32,375	76.00
Canada	93,056	55,503,454	63,906,444	86.85	75.79	26,605,699	69.77

TOTAL DOSES ADMINISTERED



DOSES ADMINISTERED IN BC EACH DAY



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

SIGNIFICANT UPDATES IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

- Today, the Government of British Columbia released a COVID-19 update.⁵ Highlights include the following:
 - From Sept. 15-21, people not fully vaccinated accounted for 75.5% of cases and from Sept. 8-21, they accounted for 82.6% of hospitalizations.
 - Past week cases (Sept. 15-21) – Total 4,417
 - Not vaccinated: 2,996 (67.8%)
 - Partially vaccinated: 342 (7.7%)
 - Fully vaccinated: 1,079 (24.4%)
 - Past two weeks cases hospitalized (Sept. 8-21) – Total 437
 - Not vaccinated: 327 (74.8%)
 - Partially vaccinated: 34 (7.8%)
 - Fully vaccinated: 76 (17.4%)
 - Past week, cases per 100,000 population after adjusting for age (Sept. 15-21)
 - Not vaccinated: 289.0
 - Partially vaccinated: 87.9
 - Fully vaccinated: 27.0
 - Past two weeks, cases hospitalized per 100,000 population after adjusting for age (Sept. 8-21)
 - Not vaccinated: 46.5
 - Partially vaccinated: 13.3
 - Fully vaccinated: 1.8
 - After factoring for age, people not vaccinated are 25.8 times more likely to be hospitalized than those fully vaccinated.
- Today, the Ministry of Children and Family Development announced an extension of care for youth and young adults as a result of extended COVID-19 emergency measures to March 2022.⁶ Highlights include the following:
 - Eligible youth and young adults who have transitioned from government care will continue to benefit from more flexible access to the Agreements with Young Adults (AYA) program.
 - “All youth transitioning to adulthood need support and strong relationships to help them thrive, and young adults from care can benefit from additional support to set them on a positive path.”
 - “We know what a tough time this has been for young people, and that’s why, in response to feedback from youth, we are extending our pandemic measures and making access to mental-health services more flexible so that more youth can get the help they need.”
 - “The province is providing easier access to life-skills, education, mental-health and rehabilitation supports through AYA and extending the emergency measures until March 31, 2022.”

⁵ Source: <https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2021HLTH0058-001843>

⁶ Source: <https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2021CFD0061-001838>

- These measures allow eligible young adults to take part in a wider range of programs to support their goals, including:
 - Learning how to manage their money
 - Connecting Indigenous peoples with Elders in their community, or
 - Working on their mental well-being
- “In addition, all youth who are transitioning to adulthood can continue to access housing supports to stay in their homes until March 31, 2022.”
 - “Those who are eligible for the AYA program can apply to participate in both programs at the same time.”
 - “Eligible young adults using the emergency housing support may be eligible to receive up to \$350 per month through AYA, based on their needs and the length of their program.”
 - “Social workers continue to work with youth to transition to adult services as appropriate, including Community Living BC.”

SIGNIFICANT UPDATES IN THE YUKON TERRITORY

- No significant updates from the Government of Yukon.

SIGNIFICANT UPDATES FROM THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA

- No significant updates from the Government of Canada.

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