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Current Situation

NEW Last updated: August 7, 2020

The current five-day COVID-19 test positivity rate is 1.10 per cent. Seventeen new cases of the virus have been identified as of 9:30 a.m. today. This brings the total number of lab-confirmed positive and probable positive cases in Manitoba to 491.

The data shows there were:

- 10 new cases in the Prairie Mountain Health region;
- five new cases in the Winnipeg health region; and
- two new cases in the Southern Health Santé Sud health region.

Case investigations are ongoing. When completed, additional information will be provided as needed to inform people of any public health risks.

The data also shows:

- nine current hospitalizations, with three individuals in intensive care;
- 132 active cases and 351 individuals have recovered from COVID-19; and
- the number of deaths due to COVID-19 remains at eight.

An additional 888 laboratory tests were completed on Thursday, bringing the total number of tests

completed since early February to 96,435.

Public health officials are advising that potential exposure to COVID-19 may have occurred on Aug. 1 at a Tim Hortons restaurant on the Trans-Canada Highway at 18th Street in Brandon. While the risk of transmission is considered very low, information is being provided to help people assess their risk.

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