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#RESTART^{MB} Pandemic Response System



Provincial Response Level: Critical

Community spread of COVID-19 is not contained and/or there are significant strains on our health care system.

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COVID-19 Screening Tool - Experiencing symptoms?

Take a self-assessment

Contact **Health Links-Info Santé** at **204-788-8200** or **1-888-315-9257** (toll-free) if you're experiencing symptoms of the 2019 novel coronavirus.

Do not call 911 unless it is an emergency.

Current Situation

NEW Last updated: December 15, 2020

Public health officials advise nine additional deaths in people with COVID-19 have been reported today, including:

- A male in his 70s from the Winnipeg health region;
- A Male in his 70s from the Winnipeg health region and linked to the outbreak at the Saul & Claribel Simkin Centre;
- A Male in his 80s from the Winnipeg health region;
- A Male in his 80s from the Winnipeg health region;
- A Female in her 80s from the Winnipeg health region and linked to the outbreak at the Park Manor Care Home;
- A Female in her 90s from the Interlake-Eastern health region and linked to the outbreak at the Kin Place;
- A Female in her 90s from the Prairie Mountain region and linked to the outbreak at Fairview Home;
- A Female in her 90s from the Winnipeg health region and linked to the outbreak Charleswood Care Centre; and
- A Male in his 90s from the Winnipeg health region and linked to the outbreak at the Holy Family Personal Care Home.

The current five-day COVID-19 test positivity rate is 14.2 per cent provincially and 13.4 in Winnipeg. As of 9:30 a.m. today, 272 new cases of the virus have been identified. However, one case was removed due to a data correction making the net total 271 and brings the total number of lab-confirmed cases in Manitoba to 21,535.

Today's COVID-19 data shows:

- 15 cases in the Interlake-Eastern health region;
- 53 cases in the Northern health region;
- 49 cases in the Prairie Mountain Health region;
- 25 cases in the Southern Health-Santé Sud health region; and
- 130 cases in the Winnipeg health region.

The data also shows:

- 5,762 active cases and 15,265 individuals who have recovered from COVID-19;
- there are 311 people in hospital with 44 people in intensive care due to COVID-19; and
- the total number of deaths due to COVID-19 is 508.

Laboratory testing numbers show 1,561 tests were completed yesterday, bringing the total number of lab tests completed since early February to 392,078. Case investigations continue and if a public health risk is identified, the public will be notified.

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