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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?

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: January 9, 2021

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

- a male in his 50s from the Southern Health–Santé Sud health region;
- a male in his 40s from the Winnipeg health region;
- a male in his 60s from the Winnipeg health region;
- a female in her 80s from the Winnipeg health region;
- a female in her 90s from the Winnipeg health region, linked to the outbreak at Saul and Claribel Simkin Centre;
- a female in her 90s from the Winnipeg health region, linked to the outbreak at Deer Lodge Centre; and
- a female in her 100s from the Winnipeg health region, linked to the outbreak at Oakview Place Personal Care Home.

The current five-day COVID-19 test positivity rate is 9.9 per cent provincially and 9.4 per cent in Winnipeg. As of 9:30 a.m. today, 203 new cases of the virus have been identified, bringing the total number of lab-confirmed cases in Manitoba to 26,166.

Today's COVID-19 data shows:

- seven cases in the Interlake–Eastern health region;
- 54 cases in the Northern health region;
- 38 cases in the Prairie Mountain Health region;
- 19 cases in the Southern Health–Santé Sud health region; and
- 85 cases in the Winnipeg health region.

The data also shows:

- 4,664 active cases and 20,769 individuals who have recovered from COVID-19;
- there are 229 people in hospital with active COVID-19 as well as 84 people in hospital with COVID-19 who are no longer infectious but continue to require care, for a total of 313 hospitalizations;
- there are 33 people in intensive care units with active COVID-19 as well as four people with COVID-19 who are no longer infectious but continue to require critical care for a total of 37 ICU patients; and
- the total number of deaths due to COVID-19 is 733.

Laboratory testing numbers show 2,181 tests were completed yesterday bringing the total number of lab tests completed since early February 2020 to 437,412. Case investigations continue and if a public health risk is identified, the public will be notified.

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