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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: February 17, 2021

Public health officials advise one additional death in a person with COVID-19 has been reported today:

- a male in his 80s from the Winnipeg health region and linked to the outbreak at St. Boniface Hospital unit 5B.

The current five-day COVID-19 test positivity rate is 5.9 per cent provincially and 4.3 per cent in Winnipeg. As of 9:30 a.m. today, 76 new cases of the virus have been identified. However, one case has been removed due to a data correction. This brings the net-new number of cases today to 75 and the total number of lab-confirmed cases in Manitoba to 31,007.

Today's COVID-19 data shows:

- five cases in Interlake-Eastern health region;
- 44 cases in the Northern health region;
- two case in the Prairie Mountain Health region;
- two cases in the Southern Health-Santé Sud health region; and
- 23 cases in the Winnipeg health region.

Case investigations continue and if a public health risk is identified, the public will be notified.

The data also shows:

- 1,555 active cases and 28,576 individuals who have recovered from COVID-19;
- 89 people in hospital with active COVID-19 as well as 142 people in hospital with COVID-19 who are no longer infectious but continue to require care, for a total of 231 hospitalizations;
- 15 people in intensive care units with active COVID-19 as well as 13 people with COVID-19 who are no longer infectious but continue to require critical care for a total of 28 ICU patients; and
- the total number of deaths in people with COVID-19 is 876.

Laboratory testing numbers show 1,143 tests were completed yesterday, bringing the total number of lab tests completed since early February 2020 to 504,682.

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