



Office of the City Manager

Edmonton

COVID-19 Verbal Update (Public)

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Update: Escalation of COVID-19 Cases

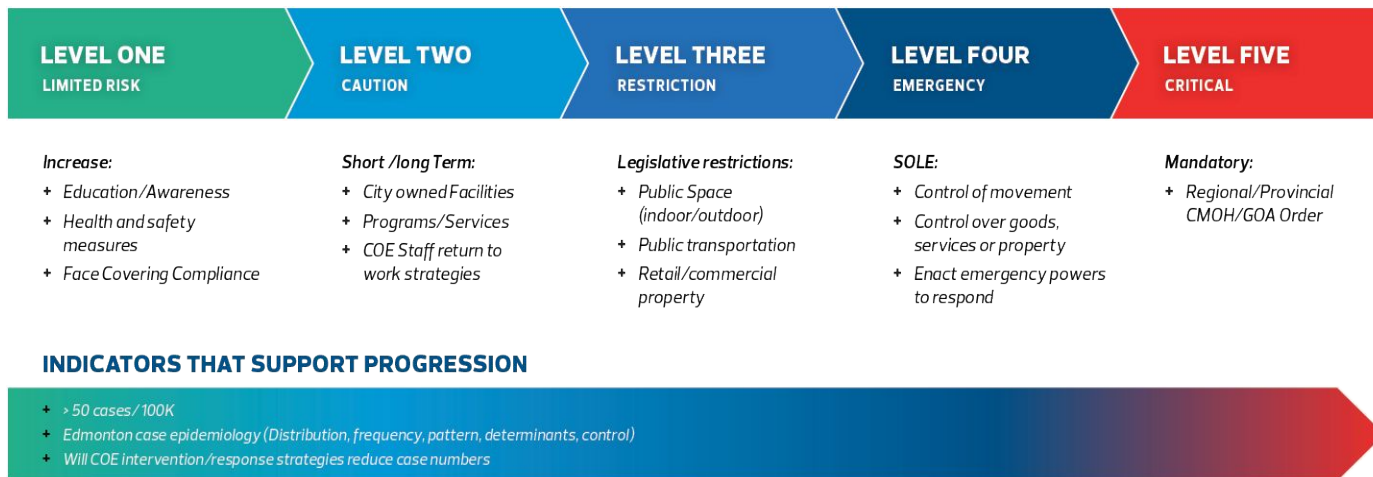
- Increased case numbers in Edmonton Zone:
 - 1,063 active cases
 - 94.6/100K active case rate
 - 13 sub zones on Watch
- What is driving the increase?
- Approaches to manage situation



Update: Recommended Approaches

- Collaborative communications targeting social groups, cohorts, communities, businesses and geographical areas experiencing outbreaks
- Administration supports mandatory reductions in cohort numbers, indoor/outdoor and seasonal gathering sizes and frequency
- Work from home strategy for Edmonton businesses
- Restricting non-essential travel

Context For Recommended Approaches: 2nd Wave Progression Model



Update: What We Are Watching

- Community Standards - Enforcement Officers monitoring business compliance in hotspots/Watch zones
- Collaboration with AHS inspectors targeting Watch zones
- Ongoing monitoring of mandatory face covering practices in transit, recreation centres and facilities, businesses
- Workplace Reintegration strategies and Remote Work Program

QUESTIONS?

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