

Office of the City Manager

Edmonton

COVID-19 Update - Verbal Report
Emergency Advisory Committee

Friday, November 27, 2020

Agenda : Updates

- Edmonton Health Status
- City Response to New Provincial Restrictions
- Vulnerable Population
- Looking to the Future



COVID-19 Update

Edmonton Health Zone Data

Indicator	Nov 12	Nov 25
Total Cases to Date	13,993	20,711
Active cases	3,572	6,444
New cases	393	519
Hospitalizations	132	191
ICU	30	47
Infection Rate per 100,000	256.6	496.4
Total Deaths to Date	153	221
Outbreak Locations	53	70

Compliance Data - November 13 - 25

Indicator	
Business Attended Restaurants, bars/pubs/lounges, gyms, recreation centres, casinos	1,267
Compliance Rate With existing and new restrictions	97%
Enforcement Actions Education, warnings, referral to AHS	34
Face Covering Bylaw ETS, Rec Centres, VFH, Public Spaces	96%

New Provincial Restrictions For Edmonton Zone

(Order 38-2020)

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">● No social indoor gatherings in any setting |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Outdoor gatherings max. of 10 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Wedding and funeral services max. of 10, no receptions |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">● No festivals or events |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">● At home learning for junior high and high school students |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Working from home, where possible |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Places of worship at 1/3 attendance, mandatory masking |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Restricted access to some businesses |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Mandatory masks for indoor workplaces |

City Actions That Complement New Provincial Restrictions

- Compliance and Enforcement
- Fireworks Permits
- Recreation Facility - Closures
 - Arenas
 - Seniors Centres
 - Indoor events and group activities
- Recreation Facility - Face Covering Rule
- Continued support for outdoor activities
- Strongly recommending - Essential travel only

Temporary Pandemic Accomodation Update

- Shelter capacity is available
- Multiple COVID-19 outbreaks
 - Edmonton Convention Centre
 - Hope Mission - Downtown & Commonwealth
- Future encampment planning

Looking to the Future.

- Awaiting provincial delegation of authority for City Peace Officers to be given additional enforcement powers
- Second wave planning continues
 - Stricter local actions identified
 - Regional consistency for effectiveness
- Extended or enhanced restrictions during the holidays

Looking to the future



Increase:

- + Education/Awareness
- + Health and safety measures
- + Face Covering Compliance

Short /long Term:

- + City owned Facilities
- + Programs/Services
- + COE Staff return to work strategies

Legislative restrictions:

- + Public Space (indoor/outdoor)
- + Public transportation
- + Retail/commercial property

SOLE:

- + Control of movement
- + Control over goods, services or property
- + Enact emergency powers to respond

Mandatory:

- + Regional/Provincial CMOH/GOA Order

INDICATORS THAT SUPPORT PROGRESSION

- + > 50 cases / 100K
- + Edmonton case epidemiology (Distribution, frequency, pattern, determinants, control)
- + Will COE intervention /response strategies reduce case numbers

QUESTIONS?

Interim City Manager Update
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