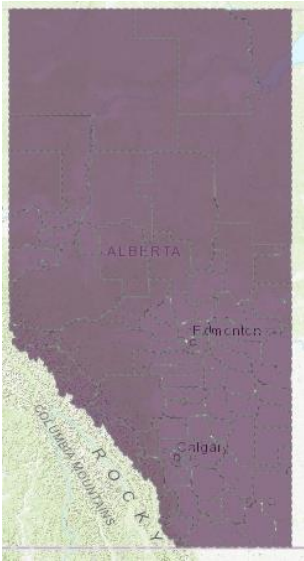


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RMWB Case Outcomes: 91 Active Cases 1727 Resolved Cases 3 Deceased Cases



Open
 Watch
 Enhanced

Rate/100,000 pop.: **109.0**
 R-Value: **0.90**



Cases Over Time

- Fort McMurray 1689 (3 new)
- Rural RMWB 132 (0 new)
- Alberta 124,563 (355 new)
- Canada 782,074

*as of Jan 31 compared to Jan 30



Demographics (Active)

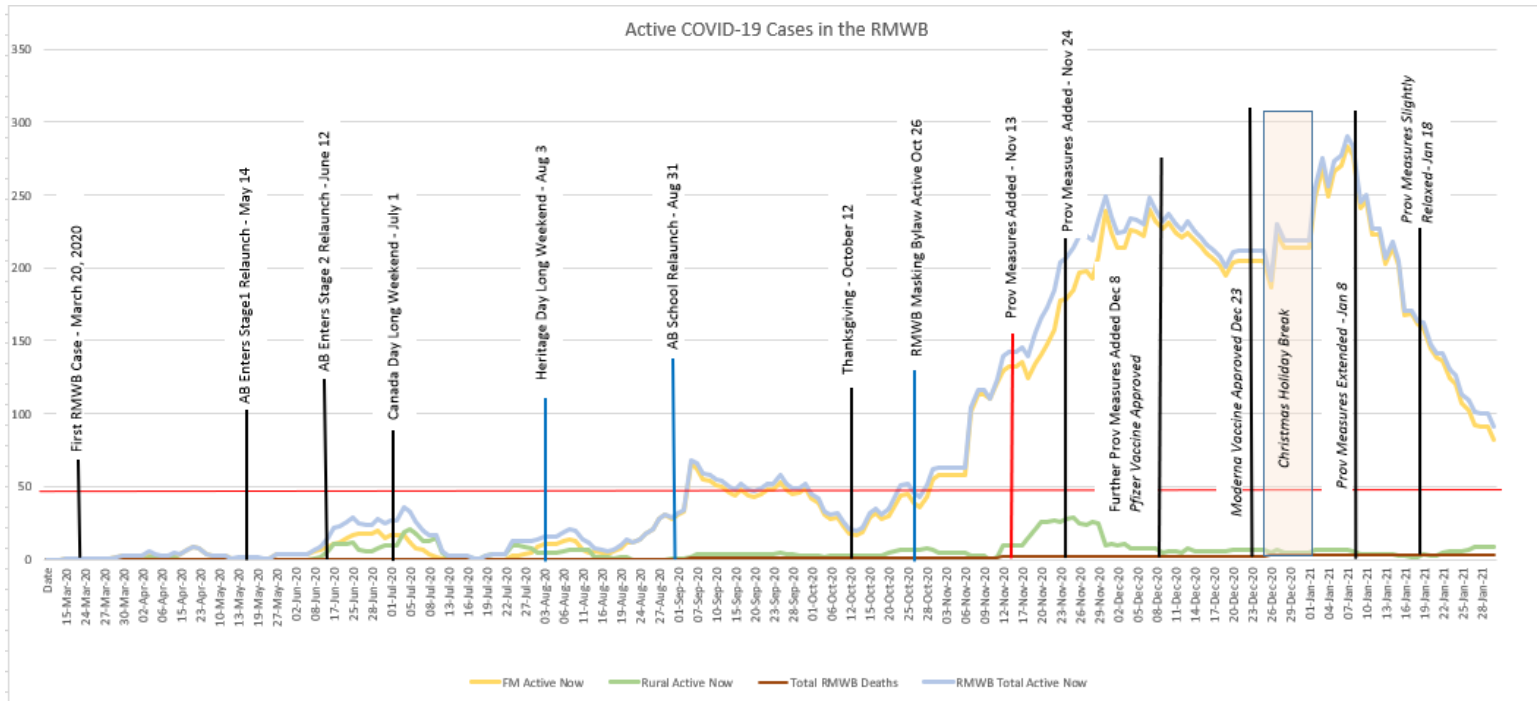
- Fort McMurray 82 (down 9)
- Rural RMWB 9 (no change)
- Alberta 7387 (down 118)
- (NEW) Alberta Hospitalizations 556 (down 5)
- Canada 50,808

**Active Cases take recoveries into account



Outbreaks

- **Industrial:**
 - CNRL Horizon, Albian
 - Syncrude Mildred Lake, Aurora
 - Imperial Kearl Lake
 - Suncor Fort Hills, Base Plant
 - Anzac Lodge
 - Cenovus Christina Lake
- **Schools:**
 - **Alert (2-4 Cases)**
 - St. Gabriel
 - Ecole Dickinsfield



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Path Forward – Early Steps – Now until February 8th

Helpful Links:

Municipal Response:

rmwb.ca/covid19
WBCentral.biz

Provincial Response:

Alberta.ca/covid19
[AB School Outbreaks](#)

[Printable Posters and Fact Sheets](#)

[Vaccination Information](#)

[Current Domestic Travel Recommendations:](#)

All out-of-town travel is discouraged at this time.

Federal Response:

Canada.ca/covid19

Indigenous Resources:

[Athabasca Tribal Council](#)
[First Nation Telehealth Network](#)
[Northeastern Alberta Aboriginal Business Association \(NAABA\)](#)

Other Resources:

FuseSocial.ca/covid-19-resources

Early Steps
We are Here

- Now til February 8th
- No Indoor Gatherings, Outdoor Gatherings up to 10
- Entertainment businesses closes
- Places of Worship limited to 15% of fire code
- Retail services at 15% of fire code
- Restaurants, Pubs & Bars closed to in-person service
- Recreational Facilities closed
- Mandatory Work From Home



Step 1
Starting Feb 8

- February 8 for at least 3 weeks
- < 600 Hospitalizations
- Potential easing for Restaurants, Indoor Fitness, Children's Sport and Performance (School-related)



Step 2
Earliest Mar 1

- Earliest could happen is March 1, for at least 3 weeks
- < 450 Hospitalizations
- Potential Easing for:
 - Retail
 - Banquet Halls
 - Community Halls
 - Conference Centres
 - Hotels
 - Further easing of indoor fitness

On **Monday, February 8th**, the following [restriction changes](#) come into effect. All other restrictions remain in effect:

Restaurants: Can open for in person service. Maximum 6 people per table, must be from same household or the 2 close contacts for people living alone. Contact information must be collected from one person in the party. Liquor service ends at 10pm, must close by 11pm. No entertainment (no VLTs, pool tables, live music etc.)

Indoor Fitness: Only one-on-one or one-on-one household training is permitted for indoor fitness activities. Sessions must be scheduled or by appointment (No drop-in or groups allowed). Group or team sports not permitted.

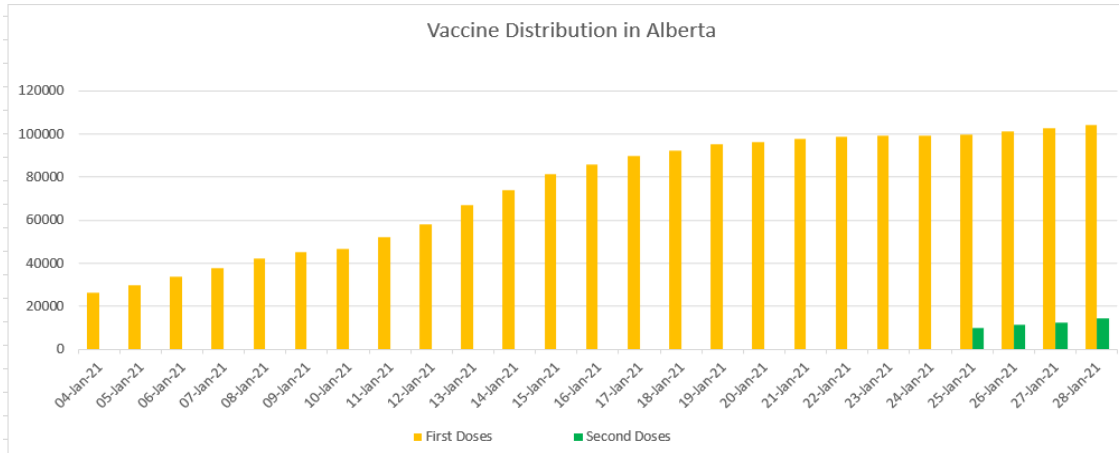
Children's sport and performance activities are permitted if related to school activities such as physical education classes. K-12 schools and post-secondary institutions are allowed to use off-site facilities to support curriculum-related educational activities.



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Vaccine Updates



Local vaccination information will be provided as it becomes available.

Variants in Alberta
(Updated Jan 29):

UK Variant (B.1.1.7) 31
SA Variant (B.1351) 6

Vaccination Progress as of January 31:

106,347 doses of vaccine have been administered in Alberta, 93 in the last 24 hours.
2405.0 doses per 100,000 population
48 adverse events following immunization have been reported to Alberta Health and AHS.

Approved Vaccines: [Moderna Covid-19 Vaccine](#) (Dec. 23, 2020)
[Pfizer BioNTech](#) (Dec. 9, 2020)

Early Phase 1 (Complete): December 2020: Immunizations will be offered to key populations, with a focus on acute care sites with the highest COVID-19 capacity concerns in Edmonton and Calgary:

- Health-care workers in intensive care units
- Respiratory therapists
- Staff in long term care and designated supporting living facilities

Phase 1A (In Progress): January 2021: *Timeline subject to change depending on vaccine supply. Immunizations will be offered to key populations across the province:*

- Paramedics and emergency medical technicians
- Alberta health-care workers in Covid-19 units, medical and surgical units, and operating rooms
- Respiratory therapists
- Health-care workers in intensive care units
- Staff in long term care and designated supportive living facilities
- Home care workers
- Health-care workers in emergency departments
- All residents of long-term care and designated supportive living, regardless of age