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RMWB Case Outcomes: 456 Active Cases 6813 Resolved Cases 9 Deceased Cases



Fort McMurray

- 11 New cases
- 423 Active Cases (-70)
- 6102 Recoveries (+81)
- 532.6 per 100,000 pop

Rural RMWB

- 10 New Cases
- 33 Active Cases (+7)
- 279 Recoveries (+3)
- 813.2 per 100,000 pop

Alberta

- 209 New Cases
- 1083 New Recoveries
- 6771 Active Cases (-875)

Canada

- 2439 New Cases
- 31,246 Active Cases



Alberta Vaccines

29,738 doses distributed in last 24 hours

- 2.81M first doses (63.4%) - Stage 2 of "Open for Summer" plan reached and will begin June 10 as long as hospitalizations stay under 500.

- 397K people are fully vaccinated

- Hospitalizations: 438 (-1)
- ICU: 127 (-6)

- "Rest of Alberta"
R-Value: 0.72

- **Effective today, all positive Covid-19 Cases are being screened for all variants of concern.**



- **Second Doses** - every Albertan who has received vaccine will receive second dose by end of summer.

- **March or earlier - Book Now**
- **April - Start Booking June 14**
- **May - Start Booking June 28**

- **Book your appointment online [here](#), or find a pharmacy offering vaccine [here](#).**

- AHS and pharmacies will contact you when you are eligible, but you can book as soon as the dates above.

- There are [quarantine requirement changes](#) for Close Contacts depending if you are fully or partially vaccinated.

Stage 1 - 50% Vaccinated, Under 800 Hospitalizations - June 1

- Places of Worship 15%
- Outdoor Social Gatherings up to 10 people
- Outdoor physical activity with restrictions
- Personal Wellness by appointment
- Restaurant Patios (Household Only - 4 per table)

Stage 2 - 60% Vaccinated, Under 500 Hospitalizations

- Outdoor gatherings up to 20 people
- Restaurants indoor/outdoor up to 6 people
- Indoor recreation, entertainment settings at 1/3 fire code
- Indoor Fitness - open for solo, class and drop-in activities
- Youth Camps, Youth and Adult Sports with restrictions

Stage 3 - 70% Vaccination

- All restrictions lifted, including ban on indoor social gatherings.
- Isolation requirements for confirmed cases of Covid-19 and some protective measures in continuing care settings remain.

"Open for Summer"

Alberta's plan to gradually remove restrictions due to Covid-19. Full details can be found [here](#). Premier Kenney projected:

Stage 1: Began today, June 1st

Stage 2: Reached on May 28th

- **Will start June 10 if hospitalizations remain under 500**

Stage 3: 2 weeks after target met

- **Could be as early as June 28**

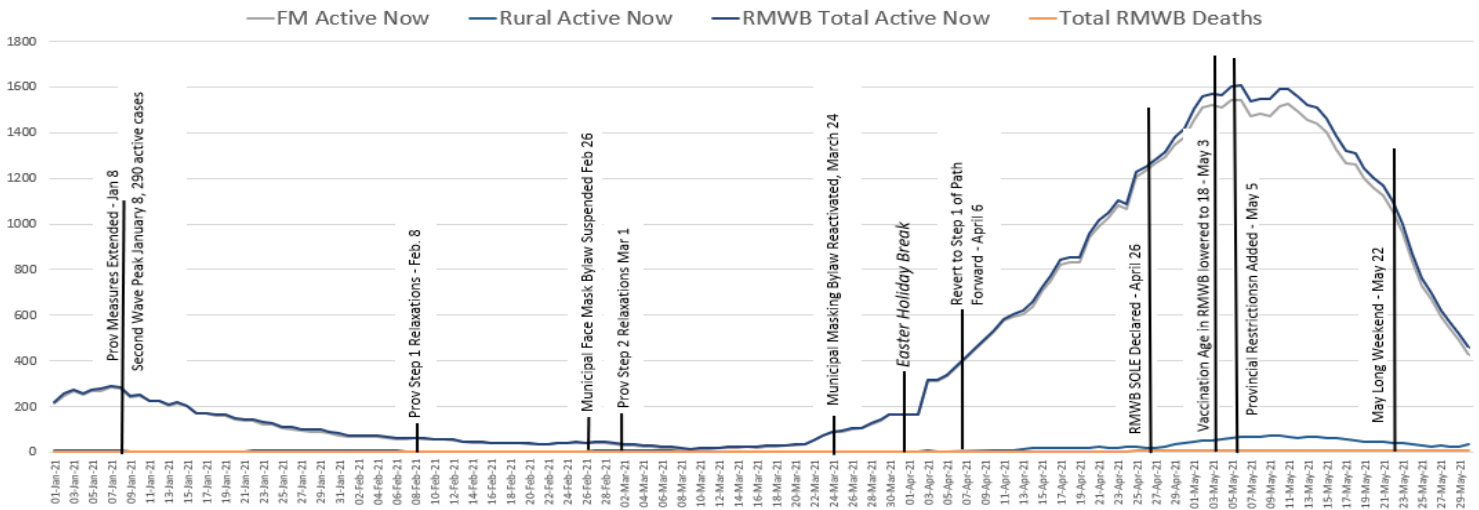


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Outbreaks in RMWB

Industrial:

- MEG Energy
- CNRL Horizon
- CNRL Albion
- CNRL Jackfish
- Kearl Lake
- Civeo Lynx Lodge
- Civeo McClelland Lake
- Wapasu Creek Lodge
- Civeo Athabasca
- Cenovus Sunrise Lodge
- Suncor Base Plant
- Suncor Firebag
- Suncor Mackay River
- Syncrude Mildred Lake
- Syncrude Aurora
- Suncor Fort Hills
- CNOOC Long Lake
- Oilsands Industrial Lodge
- Fort McKay

Outbreaks in RMWB

Other:

- Chez Madame
- Piccolo/Ecole Boreal
- Joly's Your Independent Grocer
- Salvation Army Shelter
- Centre of Hope
- Pastew Place Detox Centre
- Birch Mountain Enterprises
- Walmart
- Safeway

Schools: Outbreaks

Outbreak 10+ Cases:

- Holy Trinity High School
- Ecole Dickinsfield
- Fort McMurray Comp.
- Ecole Boreal
- St. Martha
- Ecole McTavish

Outbreak 5-9 Cases:

- Fort McMurray Christian
- St. Paul's Elementary
- Walter & Gladys Hill
- Father J A Turcotte
- Dr. Karl A Clark
- Thickwood Heights
- Sister Mary Phillips

Alert 2-4 Cases

- St. Gabriel



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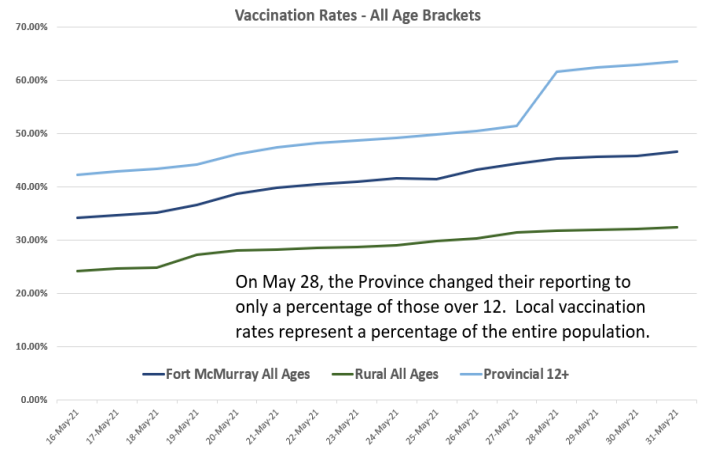
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Local Vaccination Rates:

	Fort McMurray	Rural	Alberta
75+	68.0%	58.5%	86.3%
60-74	68.7%	54.8%	80.4%
40-59	65.0%	46.7%	66.7%
20-39	47.3%	27.8%	51.3%
12-19	50.4%	23.5%	46.5%
All Ages	46.5%	32.3%	54.0%

Local vaccination rates can be found [here](#).



New vaccination information:

Moderna and Pfizer have been declared as interchangeable for 2nd doses.

Those who had AstraZeneca, may choose AstraZeneca or an MRNA for their second dose. The risk of blood clots is exceptionally low if no blood clot issues were experienced after the first dose.

[More information on Vaccinations can be found here.](#)

Second Dose:

Every Albertan should get their second dose when they're eligible. A single dose of COVID-19 vaccine offers at least 80% protection against severe outcomes, including hospitalization and death. However, second doses are needed to get the best and most long-lasting protection.

mRNA (Pfizer or Moderna)

- Should get mRNA for second dose

AstraZeneca:

- Timeline for second dose has been shortened to at least 8 weeks after first dose.
- If you choose, you can ask for AstraZeneca for your second dose, or an mRNA. Both options will provide additional protection.

Variants Identified in the AHS North Zone

B.1.1.7 (UK)	5611
B.1.351 (SA)	4
B.1617 (India)	0
P.1 (Brazil)	687
Total:	6302

AHS NZ Recovered:	5759
AHS NZ Deceased:	24
AHS NZ Active:	519

Effective today, all positive Covid-19 cases will be tested for all 4 variants of concern. This will likely result in increased statistics in the coming days, while active cases will continue to decline.

