

JOHSC COVID-19 Update

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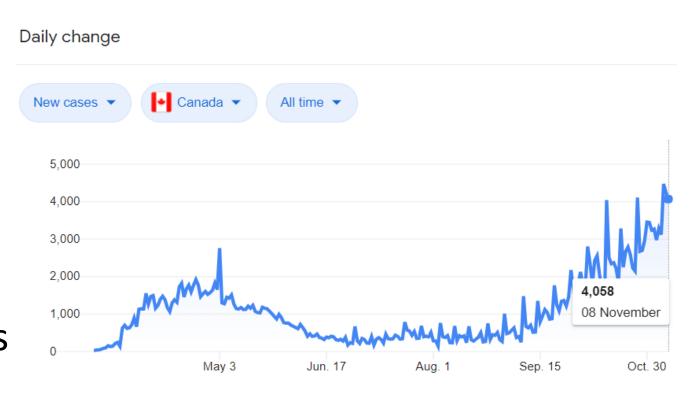
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COVID-19 in Canada & Ontario

- 1,328 new cases on Sunday
- 1,242 Monday
- 1,388 Tuesday
- 1,426 Wednesday

• 7 day average 1,154 new cases



Concentrated in Toronto, Peel, York and Ottawa regions



COVID-19 in Ontario – New Framework

Framework: Adjusting and Tightening Public Health Measures

Act earlier by implementing measures to protect public health and prevent closures

Gradually loosen measures as trends in public health indicators improve

Objective









CONTROL (Stringent Measures)



LOCKDOWN (Maximum Measures)

Focus on education and awareness of public health and workplace safety measures in place.

Restrictions reflect broadest allowance of activities in Stage 3 absent a widely available vaccine or treatment.

Highest risk settings remain closed.

Enhanced targeted enforcement, fines, and enhanced education to limit further transmission.

Apply public health measures in high risk settings.

Implement enhanced measures, restrictions, and enforcement avoiding any closures.

Implement broader-scale measures and restrictions, across multiple sectors, to control transmission (Return to modified Stage 2).

Restrictions are the most severe available before widescale business or organizational closure. Implement widescale measures and restrictions, including closures, to halt or interrupt transmission (Return to modified Stage 1 or pre-Stage 1).

Consider declaration of emergency.





Middlesex London Health Unit

- 37 new cases on Sunday
- 20 new cases on Monday
- 11 new cases on Tuesday
- 14 new cases on Wednesday
- No confirmed active positive cases in Residence
- London Hall Residence
 - Outbreak declaration complete as of Nov.8th



London Hall Outbreak

Outbreak announcement – Oct 11th (4 students)

• 3 floors put under amended quarantine

Isolation, Testing & Support for Students

- Total of 6 positives associated with event
- Outbreak declaration complete Nov.8th







Middlesex London Health Unit

Dr. Chris Mackie – Medical Officer of Health

"What we're seeing is not related to in-person classes at Western. It is afterhours parties that is driving those numbers. It wouldn't improve things to reduce in-person learning. The precautions Western is taking are extremely strong. We don't see the need to reduce in-person learning."



On-Site Testing Area

Western Sports & Recreation Centre

Total tested to date (end of day Tuesday): **7,025**

6,583 students337 employees72 family practice.





On-Site Testing Area

Western Sports & Recreation Centre



COVID-19 Test (i)

November 10, 9:30 am

10:00 am

10:45 am

11:30 am

12:15 pm

1:00 pm

November 2020

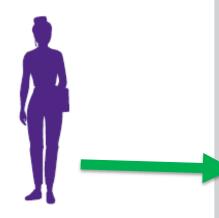
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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	10:15 am	10:30 am
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	11:00 am	11:15 am
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	11:45 am	12:00 pm
22	23	24	25	26	27	28	12:30 pm	12:45 pm





Our shared responsibility to prevent the spread of COVID-19

Take Care of Myself



- Monitor for symptoms of COVID-19 and report to a medical professional if I experience a fever of 37.5 C or higher, fatigue or muscle aches, loss of taste or smell, chills, or new/worsening respiratory illness symptoms such as cough, shortness of breath, sore throat, runny nose or difficulty swallowing
- Wash my hands thoroughly and often and avoid touching my face
- Use hand sanitizer when I am unable to wash my hands
- Get vaccinated for the flu
- Modify my actions and encourage others to do the same as guidelines and recommendations adapt over time



Take Care Western - Flu Clinic



As of end of day Tuesday, we had immunized a record number **1,607** campus community members.

The Clinic Hours

The immunization clinics will run without appointments on the following days:

- Thurs, **Oct. 29** (9:00 a.m. 3:00 p.m.)
- Fri, Oct. 30 (9:00 a.m. 3:00 p.m.)
- Tue, **Nov. 3** (9:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m.)
- Wed, Nov. 4 (9:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m.)
- Thurs, **Nov. 5** (9:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m.)
- Tue, **Nov. 10** (9:00 a.m. 3:00 p.m.)
- Wed, Nov. 11 (9:00 a.m. 3:00 p.m.)
- Thurs, **Nov. 12** (9:00 a.m. 3:00 p.m.)

Open Discussion and Questions

