

COVID-19 Information Bulletin #124

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Purpose of bulletin: To keep local stakeholders informed about COVID-19 and its implications for Wellington County, Dufferin County and the City of Guelph (WDG).

All editions of this bulletin are posted on [our website](#).

Surveillance

- Information about [cases in WDG](#) can be found on our website.
- Information about [vaccination progress in WDG](#) can be found on our website
- Information about institutional outbreaks can be found in the [Retirement and Long-Term Care Outbreak Bulletin](#)

New and Amended Guidance

- [Retirement Homes Policy to Implement Directive #3](#) (effective July 7)
- Ministry of Health's [Guidance on Community Emergency Evacuations](#) (July 6)
- Government of Ontario's [Construction Site Guidance](#) (updated July 5)
- Government of Ontario's [Restaurant and Food Services Guidance](#) (updated July 5)

COVID-19 Vaccine Resources

- [COVID-19 Vaccine Series Second Dose Eligibility Quick Reference](#) (July 6)
- [COVID-19 Vaccine Bulletin #30](#) (July 5)

Booking Your First and Second Dose COVID Vaccine Appointments

As of July 8, 2021, an invitation/booking code is no longer required to [book a first or second dose vaccine appointment](#) at a WDGPH vaccination clinic. Visit our [website](#) for details and other ways you can get your first or second dose of vaccine in WDG.

Announcements and Changes to Services

- On July 8, the [Government of Ontario](#) announced that more than half of all adults in Ontario have now received a second dose of a COVID-19 vaccine.
- On July 2, the [Government of Ontario](#) announced that starting Monday, July 5, all youth aged 12 to 17 across the province are eligible to book an accelerated second dose appointment to receive the Pfizer vaccine.

Additional Resources

- PHO's [Entering Canada by Air During COVID-19](#) (July 6)
- PHO's [Entering Canada by Land During COVID-19](#) (July 6)
- [COVID-19 Signage Questions for Businesses and Organizations](#) (June 30)
- PHAC's [COVID-19: Organized Summer Activities for Children and Youth](#) (June 18)

Contact Information for Additional Support

WDGPH COVID-19 Call Centre

For health-related questions, including symptoms, close contacts or travel:

- Call 519-822-2715 ext. 7006
- Available Monday – Friday from 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

For non-health related questions, including business or workplace concerns, social distancing/face covering questions or non-emergency reporting questions:

- Call 519-822-2715 ext. 4020
- Available Monday – Friday from 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

For vaccine registration and booking help:

- Call 1-844-780-0202
- Available Monday – Friday from **8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.**

Please do not call Public Health for your COVID-19 test results. Visit [how to get your COVID-19 test results](#).

Local Assessment Centres and Testing

Visit our website for hours and information about [local assessment centres and testing](#).

Reliable Information Sources

Wellington-Dufferin-Guelph Public Health: www.wdgpublichealth.ca

Ontario Ministry of Health: www.ontario.ca/coronavirus

Public Health Agency of Canada: www.canada.ca/coronavirus

Ontario Emergency Information: www.ontario.ca/page/emergency-information