

Information Resources On COVID-19



Ontario.ca/Coronavirus

A Centralized Resource for Credible Information

Learn about how the Ministry of Health is preparing for the 2019 novel coronavirus in Ontario. Find out how to protect yourself, what to do if you're sick after you travel and how to recognize possible symptoms.

Content on the web page includes:

1. Status of cases in Ontario
2. Coronaviruses
3. The 2019 novel coronavirus (COVID-19)
4. Current affected areas
5. Travellers returning from affected areas
6. Laboratory testing
7. How Ontario is preparing
8. Symptoms and treatment
9. How to protect yourself
10. Information on the 2019 novel coronavirus for health care professionals
11. Ontario news about the 2019 novel coronavirus
12. Information sheet (available in multiple languages)

Information Sheets in Multiple Languages (Ontario.ca/coronavirus)

To inform Ontarians about the virus, how they can protect themselves and what to do if they think they have contracted the 2019 novel coronavirus.

1. العربية (Arabic)
2. বাংলা (Bengali)
3. 中文 (简体) (Simplified Chinese)
4. 中文 (繁體) (Traditional Chinese)
5. English
6. ىسراف (Farsi)
7. Français (French)
8. Deutsch (German)
9. Ελληνικά (Greek)
10. ગુજરાતી (Gujarati)
11. हिन्दी (Hindi)
12. Italiano (Italian)
13. 한국어 (Korean)
14. Polski (Polish)
15. Português (Portuguese)
16. ਪੰਜਾਬੀ (Punjabi)
17. Русский (Russian)
18. Română (Romanian)
19. Soomaali (Somali)
20. Español (Spanish)
21. Tagalog
22. தமிழ் (Tamil)
23. اُردُو (Urdu)
24. Tiếng Việt (Vietnamese)

Still to come: preparing to post information sheets in Mohawk, Swampy Cree, Eastern Ojibway and Oji-Cree

Daily Updates On Case Status in Ontario

The web page is updated twice a day (10:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. EST), seven days a week. The web page will also now include general information on each new confirmed case of COVID-19, including gender, age, public health unit, hospital (if applicable), where acquired and status. The information provided will reflect what has been confirmed by local public health authorities at that time.



Handwashing Techniques

Videos and Resources to Teach Young Children About Proper Handwashing

Germ the Germ Gets Washed Away

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=V7LUOFKEShU>

Germ Smart! Videos

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NoxdS4eXy18>

Handwashing for Young Children

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TCBoDZrTncg>

Hand Hygiene: The Dirt on Germs

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hD5i3l99mac>

Happy and Healthy with Sesame Street

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zG4hX8TEkAA>

The Clean Hands Kit

[An online resource from Toronto Public Health](#)



Videos and Resources for Teens and Adults

Clean Hands Stop Germs

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wZh-sjz5EqE&feature=youtu.be>

Clean Hands Saves Lives

<https://www.cdc.gov/handwashing/videos.html>

How to Hand Wash

<https://www.publichealthontario.ca/en/videos/ipac-handwash>

Hand Hygiene: Duck and Cover Your Cough!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=x4Ny1tiOGCI>

Public Communications Resources (Posters and Social Media)

<https://www.dropbox.com/sh/9bpk91woprl8d54/AAAGKXydEES4K1-xiPLxi4kGa?dl=0>

Poster - can be printed on office colour printers
Format 8.5x11

Social Videos with the preventative measures
Format 16x9

Also downloadable from ontario.ca/coronavirus

- For distribution to partners and stakeholders
- Will be available in ENG/FR AODA PDFs on [Ontario.ca/coronavirus](https://ontario.ca/coronavirus)



Helpful Resources to Address Questions on Travel and More

Travel Advisories

<https://travel.gc.ca/travelling/health-safety/travel-health-notice>

Travel Advice

<https://www.canada.ca/en/public-health/services/diseases/2019-novel-coronavirus-infection/latest-travel-health-advice.html>



Travellers Returning to Canada

<https://www.canada.ca/en/public-health/services/publications/diseases-conditions/2019-novel-coronavirus-information-sheet.html>

Outbreak Update

<https://www.canada.ca/en/public-health/services/diseases/2019-novel-coronavirus-infection.html>



Being Prepared

<https://www.canada.ca/en/public-health/services/diseases/2019-novel-coronavirus-infection/being-prepared.html>

The Global View

<https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019>