



**MAY 8, 2020 at 3:30 p.m.**

This information is subject to change without notice. Changes from the last update are highlighted.

Visit [Yukon.ca/COVID-19](https://Yukon.ca/COVID-19) to see the latest updates, find closures, and use the self-assessment tool.

<b>Yukon numbers</b>	Confirmed cases: 11	Recovered: 11	Negative tests: 1,049	Pending results: 15	Total tested: 1,075
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**Emergency status:** a state of emergency was declared on March 27, 2020.

**Health care**

- A respiratory assessment centre is open in Whitehorse to support people with acute respiratory illness who need medical assessment. Yukoners will be referred to the centre from 811, a family physician, Yukon Communicable Disease Control or a hospital emergency department.
- Testing criteria has been expanded to include a wider range of symptoms. Those who have not travelled can now get tested.
- Yukon hospitals will continue to provide urgent emergency care and will increase some non-urgent services. Learn more: <https://yukon.ca/en/news/may-1-2020-yukons-chief-medical-officer-health-provides-update-covid-19>
- Government of Yukon is providing guidelines to help health care practitioners who aren't doctors and nurses to reopen their businesses: <https://yukon.ca/en/news/may-8-2020-covid-19-update>

**Travel and borders**

- As of April 20, Transport Canada requires air passengers must wear non-medical masks.
- Anyone entering Yukon must check in with an Enforcement or CBSA Officer and provide their destination, contact information, and declaration. Those entering Yukon must self-isolate for 14 days.
- The Canada-U.S. border is closed to non-essential travel.
- People in Atlin, Lower Post, Fraser, Jade City, Fireside or Pleasant Camp are exempt from the 14-day self-isolation period, if they have not traveled outside of Yukon or their home community in the past 14 days.
- Workers entering Yukon, including miners, must self-isolate for 14 days: <https://yukon.ca/en/health-and-wellness/covid-19/guidelines-work-camps-during-covid-19>
- The Government of Canada announces a new investment of \$252 million to help the Agri-foods industry.

**Businesses and financial relief**

- The Government of Yukon has announced funding available for Yukon's aviation industry to support critical and essential transportation: <https://yukon.ca/en/news/new-support-available-yukons-aviation-industry>
- The Government of Canada has announced \$9 billion in financial aid for post-secondary students.
- The Governments of Yukon and Canada have taken steps to support local workers and businesses: <https://yukon.ca/en/covid-19-support-yukoners>
- The Government of Yukon extended the property tax payment deadline to September 2. Learn more: <https://yukon.ca/en/news/property-tax-payment-deadline-extended-september-2>
- Applications for Canada Emergency Wage Subsidy are open at: [www.canada.ca](http://www.canada.ca)
- The Government of Canada has announced up to \$3 billion in federal support to increase the wages of low-income essential workers

**Enforcement**

- Yukoners will now find it easier to get non-medical COVID-19 information and report CEMA order infractions with the launch of the COVID-19 InfoLine. Phone 877-374-0425 from 7:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. seven days a week.
- If you have questions about borders and enforcement, or would like to report a possible infraction of CEMA orders, you can email [covid19enforcement@gov.yk.ca](mailto:covid19enforcement@gov.yk.ca).
- find a full list of orders and recommendations: [www.Yukon.ca/en/orders-and-recommendations-covid-19](http://www.Yukon.ca/en/orders-and-recommendations-covid-19)

# Yukon COVID-19 PUBLIC UPDATE

- The first charge was laid under the *Civil Emergency Measures Act*.
- Enforcement statistics can be found at: <https://yukon.ca/en/health-and-wellness/covid-19/border-enforcement-during-covid-19>