

## COVID-19 UPDATE – June 10th, 2020

In an effort to keep our community partners connected, we are providing you with regular COVID-19 updates.

### Key Updates for June 10th, 2020

For a full list of updates from VCH visit [vch.ca](http://vch.ca)

- Update on COVID-19 Cases
- Richmond testing centre opens
- Web hub for PPE

### Update on COVID-19 Cases

In yesterday's daily briefing, Dr. Bonnie Henry, provincial health officer, reported nine new test-positive cases of COVID-19, as well as one epidemiologically linked case, bringing the total number of cases to 2,669 since the pandemic began. Of those, 908 have been in the Vancouver Coastal Health region. There are 16 people with COVID-19 in hospitals throughout B.C., including four people in critical care, and 2,319 people are considered fully recovered. There are still four active outbreaks in long-term care or assisted-living facilities in B.C.

### Richmond testing centre opens

A new drive-through assessment centre opens in Richmond today, providing residents and those living in surrounding areas with increased access to screening and testing for COVID-19. Located at 6820 Gilbert road, in the parking lot of the Richmond Tennis Club, the Richmond Assessment Centre (RAC) will replace the current assessment centre at Richmond Hospital. The RAC will be open Monday to Friday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and on Saturdays and statutory holidays from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. It will be closed on Sundays. All residents with symptoms may access any assessment centre in BC. [To locate all collection centres visit the BCCDC website.](#)

### Web hub for PPE

Yesterday the Government of Canada announced it is working with partners to ensure Canadians have access to the information, resources and supplies they need to stay safe and healthy in response to COVID-19. A new [web hub](#) will bring together available resources for organizations buying and selling personal protective equipment (PPE). As organizations re-open for business, they need reliable information on how to buy and sell the necessary supplies required to keep themselves and others safe. The Supply Hub connects Canadian organizations from coast to coast to coast with federal, provincial, territorial and other resources and information about PPE, including consumer guidance. Buyers will find PPE supplier lists, in addition to guidance to help plan their PPE purchases. As Public Services and Procurement Canada continues to engage with our partners and advisory groups, the hub will evolve to include additional resources.

### Key Messages to Share

- Practice [physical distancing](#) if you have to go out
- If you think you have COVID-19 take the self-assessment here: [covid19.thrive.health](http://covid19.thrive.health)
- Anyone in the VCH region with cold, influenza or COVID-19-like symptoms, however mild, can now be assessed for and get a COVID-19 test <http://www.bccdc.ca/health-info/diseases-conditions/covid-19/testing>
- Self-isolate at home for 10 days if you have COVID-19 symptoms
- Find helpful posters, handouts and other resources about COVID-19 [here](#).