

PCH COVID-19 Screening

Newest updates will appear in blue

Maintain spatial separation (6 feet/2 meters). Instruct visitor to clean hands with alcohol based hand rub. Ask the following:

1. REASON FOR VISIT TO PCH	<p>Are you a Designated Family Caregiver?</p> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes – Proceed with screening <input type="checkbox"/> No – politely inform the person that general visits are not permitted at this time.						
2. SIGNS AND SYMPTOM CRITERIA	<p>Do you have any of the following symptoms?</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th data-bbox="337 532 821 580">ONE symptom in Category A</th> <th data-bbox="821 532 902 580"></th> <th data-bbox="902 532 1572 580">TWO or more symptoms in Category B</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td data-bbox="337 580 821 862"> <input type="checkbox"/> Fever > 38 or subjective fever/chills <input type="checkbox"/> cough <input type="checkbox"/> sore throat/hoarse voice <input type="checkbox"/> shortness of breath/breathing difficulty <input type="checkbox"/> loss of taste or smell <input type="checkbox"/> vomiting or diarrhea more than 24hrs </td> <td data-bbox="821 580 902 862" style="text-align: center;">OR</td> <td data-bbox="902 580 1572 862"> <input type="checkbox"/> runny nose <input type="checkbox"/> muscle aches <input type="checkbox"/> fatigue <input type="checkbox"/> conjunctivitis <input type="checkbox"/> headache <input type="checkbox"/> skin rash of unknown cause <input type="checkbox"/> nausea or loss of appetite <input type="checkbox"/> poor feeding (in an infant) </td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>For any Category A symptoms or 2 or more Category B symptoms, politely ask person to leave and return after their symptoms have been resolved for 72 hours. Suggest to symptomatic person that they be tested for COVID-19 and advise them to check the provincial website for testing information.</p> <p>For only 1 Category B symptom, politely ask the person to leave, avoid contact with others and re-evaluate after 24 hours.</p>	ONE symptom in Category A		TWO or more symptoms in Category B	<input type="checkbox"/> Fever > 38 or subjective fever/chills <input type="checkbox"/> cough <input type="checkbox"/> sore throat/hoarse voice <input type="checkbox"/> shortness of breath/breathing difficulty <input type="checkbox"/> loss of taste or smell <input type="checkbox"/> vomiting or diarrhea more than 24hrs	OR	<input type="checkbox"/> runny nose <input type="checkbox"/> muscle aches <input type="checkbox"/> fatigue <input type="checkbox"/> conjunctivitis <input type="checkbox"/> headache <input type="checkbox"/> skin rash of unknown cause <input type="checkbox"/> nausea or loss of appetite <input type="checkbox"/> poor feeding (in an infant)
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3. HISTORY CRITERIA	<p>In the past 14 days have you been <u>required to self-isolate</u> (for example: are you waiting for a COVID-19 test result; have you tested positive for COVID-19; are you a close contact of someone with COVID-19)?</p> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes – politely ask the person to leave and return once they have reached the end of their 14-day isolation period						
4. VACCINATION STATUS	<p>Are you fully vaccinated? Both doses (any combination) of an approved two dose COVID-19 vaccine (AstraZeneca, Pfizer, Moderna), OR a single dose of an approved single dose COVID-19 vaccine (Janssen /Johnson & Johnson) with your second dose (or approved single dose) received more than 14 days ago?</p> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes – Fully vaccinated designated family caregivers that provide proof of vaccination may proceed. please provide the required documentation. Once provided, Designated Family Caregivers can visit in the resident room. Visit must follow visitor guideline principles . <input type="checkbox"/> No – Politely inform the individual that there is no on-site visitation for unvaccinated Designated Family Caregivers at this time.						

No to rows 1 or 4 or
YES to rows 2 or 3



Politely ask the person to leave. If visitor is upset, please involve site leader/designate.

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Person may enter as a fully vaccinated designated family caregiver if proof of vaccination is provided upon entry.

Provide designated family caregiver with a medical mask and eye protection.

Note: this is not intended for staff screening.

Change log

- [December 30, 2021](#) - updated to remove visitation for general visitation.
- December 24, 2021 – updated to define “required to self-isolate”; removed requirement to isolate if coming from specific countries.
- Dec. 6, 2021 – Updated requirements for international travel from countries requiring self-isolation/quarantine. Additional countries will be added as they are announced. The algorithm and notification of change in country list will be distributed via COVID-19 Daily Updates email.
- November 18, 2021 – Updated so that Designated Family Caregivers must be fully vaccinated to visit indoors.
- August 6, 2021 – Screening question added to confirm vaccination status for those who have returned from travel outside of Canada.
- Please note: quarantine continues to be required for many travelers entering Canada, including: all unvaccinated travelers (including Canadians and Americans) as well as foreign nationals regardless of vaccination status. [Mandatory quarantine or isolation – Travel restrictions in Canada – Travel.gc.ca](#)
- June 24, 2021 – Removed multisystem inflammatory syndrome or features of Kawasaki Disease (MIS-C) as a symptom.