

# CALGARY INTERNAL MEDICINE COVID-19 PANDEMIC RESPONSE

MEOC Bulletin

Date: April 22, 2020

COVID 19 Status of Patients on Site as of **22 April 2020**



Table 1: Calgary Zone COVID-19 Patients Operational Report – As of April 22, 2020

Inpatient Site (alphabetical)	Total COVID19 Patients		ICU		Acute Care		Emergency Dept.	
	Confirmed	Pending	Confirmed	Pending	Confirmed	Pending	Confirmed	Pending
<b>ACH</b>	0	4	0	0	0	4	0	0
<b>FMC</b>	7	24	2	2	5	22	0	6
<b>PLC</b>	11	31	0	0	11	31	0	13
<b>RGH</b>	8	14	3	0	5	14	0	10
<b>SHC</b>	14	11	1	0	13	11	1	9
<b>Other</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>38</b>

## Upcoming Webinars

### Department of Medicine Town Hall

April 24, 2020

12:00 – 1:00 pm

Zoom Meeting (max. 200 participants)

[Join Here](#)

Please see April 22, 2020 email from Tara Miller for the Agenda and full Zoom Meeting details.

## Ready to hit the wards?

[COVID-19 Infographic: Possible, Probable, or Confirmed?](#)

[Non Invasive Ventilation \(NIV\) in Adult Acute Care during COVID-19 Pandemic](#)

Version 2

### Sunrise Clinical Manager

#### SCM COVID-19 Changes April 21, 2020

##### Order Sets

- [COVID-19 Admission & ED COVID-19 – UPDATED](#)

#### [SCM Physician Training](#)

This SCM training would be useful to anyone who might be admitting COVID patients on the COVID wards. The SCM Team will go over COVID admission order sets and how to use tokens and notcetera. Highly recommend as it should save you some typing time.

All SCM resources are now available on the SCM Insite page:

<https://insite.albertahealthservices.ca/it/Page9821.aspx>

[Community Oxygen Therapy During COVID-19 Referral Form](#)

### Equipment & Product Advisory

- [PRODUCT RECALL – BD PosiFlush XS 10mL Syringe \(Distributed by Cardinal Health\)](#)

### Site-Specific Information

#### SHC Essential Visitor Requests

For SHC: All essential *Inpatient* Visit Requests **MUST** now be submitted for review and approval to the appropriate Executive Director through the Clinical Manager of the relevant inpatient Unit.

[SHC Inpatient Transfer Risk Assessment Tool](#)

## Save Time, Be Safe: Use the Online Tool for Daily Fit for Work Screenings

The online screening tool allows us all to complete the questionnaire for COVID-19 Daily Fit for Work Screening before arriving at your workplace.

The Tool is available at: <https://www.albertahealthservices.ca/topics/Page17076.aspx>  
It is quick, easy, and does not require paper. Login using your AHS network user name and password.

**Green** screen at the end = fit for work (valid for entry within 2 hours of completion)

**Red** screen at the end = NOT fit for work.

The tool can be completed before leaving home or from the parking lot and will help expedite entry to the site. Please ensure your *AHS Identification Badge* is visible when approaching the Screening Desk.

## Wellness Tip: Have you checked in with yourself lately?

Tune in to this podcast from Well Doc Alberta and the AMA's Physician and Family Support Program to learn about why self-awareness is an important coping strategy. [Self-Awareness: More Important Than Ever](#)

[Taking Charge of What You Can: A COVID-19 Toolkit](#)

## MEOC Resources Website

MEOC Resources website: [www.departmentofmedicine.com/meoc-resources/](http://www.departmentofmedicine.com/meoc-resources/)  
Sensitive content that is not meant for public consumption has been password protected. The password is **COVIDmed20**. Please share this information with your physician colleagues; however, please **do not post or publicly share** this password.

Educational toolbox is up and available for all members here:

[http://www.departmentofmedicine.com/covid-19/Professional\\_Development\\_list.php](http://www.departmentofmedicine.com/covid-19/Professional_Development_list.php)

## Think you rock at PPE?

Prove it! PPE simulations strongly recommended!

<https://cumming.ucalgary.ca/cme/courses/PPE>

## N95 Fit Testing Information

[Calgary Zone N95 Fit Testing Sessions](#)

[FMC N95 Fit Testing Sessions](#)

[PLC N95 Fit Testing Sessions](#)

Walk-in N95 Fit testing sessions will take place in PLC Rm 0628 on the following dates:

April 24: 0900-1030 & 1200-1330

## DOM MD COVID team onboarding

We are matching DOM MDs who have signed up to help, completed their PPE training and N95 fit testing with GIM/RESP MDs currently providing COVID care to help with site orientation and onboarding

### Have you signed up to help?

Calgary Zone physicians, including Department of Medicine Members, are asked to also use the Calgary MD COVID Response site to sign up to help:

[www.calgarymdcovidresponse.ca](http://www.calgarymdcovidresponse.ca).

### Have you signed up for shifts?

To provide your availability for the 3 or 4 day shifts, please use the [SignUp Genius](#). Please note that the email you provided must be registered with this sign up and that is only done once your profile has been cleared by Medical Affairs and the Department of Medicine. This takes at least a few days from signing up

on <https://www.calgarymdcovidresponse.ca/> and you should receive an email from SignUp Genius notifying you that you are ready to go. Please check your junk mail.

Thanks for your commitment!

**SignUp Genius:** <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040844AEA72EA2FE3-covid>

### COVID-19 DOM Research Opportunities

Are you a DOM member looking to enrol patients or health care workers in your COVID-19 Research Project? Please email [sofia.ahmed@ahs.ca](mailto:sofia.ahmed@ahs.ca) with:

Name of PI:

Title of Project:

Study Contact email:

Please indicate if you are looking to enrol patients or health care workers.

For information on COVID-19 research being conducted at UCalgary: <https://research.ucalgary.ca/covid-19/collaboration>

### Your feedback helps us prioritize!

**KEEP GIVING US FEEDBACK – we listen, respond, and adapt!**  
**FEEDBACK: <https://tinyurl.com/Covidfeedback>**

Sincerely,  
The MEOC Team