## **First Nations Report**

## Manitoba First Nations COVID-19 Pandemic Response Coordination Team PRCT Daily Bulletin









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First Nations citizens on and off reserve can share their COVID-19 rapid test results by calling 1-833-639-2068 or online at <a href="mailto:final-nations">fnhssm.com</a>

Fall COVID-19 booster and flu vaccines are now available. Contact your health center or nursing station for more info.

## **Date: October 18, 2023**

This summary report is intended to provide daily high-level analysis of COVID-19 testing and disease in First Nations people living in Manitoba. The last daily report provided was on October 4, 2023. These numbers do not include all Rapid Antigen Tests positive results so numbers reflected below are an undercount of COVID positive cases. Please note that some of the new cases include data from cleaning up the data entry backlogs.

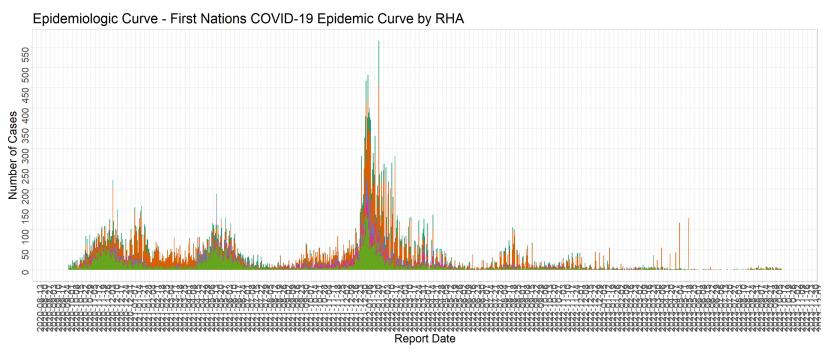
• Total FN cases: 42,154

• On Reserve: 25,538

• Off Reserve: 16,637

Percentage of total MB population: 27%

There are no new deaths to report.



SDO Interlake-Eastern Health Northern Health Prairie Mountain Health Southern Health-Santé Sud Winnipeg Health

New Cases

**5** On Reserve 44 Off Reserve

Total FN
7

Compared to last report

% of FN total of overall MB population

Presumed Active Cases

4 On Reserve

Off Reserve

Total FN **11** 

Compared to last report

% of FN total of overall MB population

Presumed Recovered Cases

24,366 16,409
On Reserve
Off Reserve

Total FN **41,775** 

**27%**% of FN total of overall MB population

Current Hospitalizations (Active)

**3** On Reserve

4

Off Reserve

Total FN

7

Compared to last report

1 20/6

% of FN total of overall MB population

Current Hospitalizations (Total)

28

29

On Reserve Off Reserve

**Total FN** 

Compared to last report 15%

% of FN total of overall MB population

Current ICU (Total)

On Reserve

**■**Off Reserve

Compared to last report

**Total FN** 

**17%**% of FN total of overall MB population

Total Deaths

168 221
On Reserve Off Reserve

Total FN 389

**17%**% of FN total of overall MB population

5-Day test positivity rate

14

On Reserve

14 Off Reserve

Total FN

14

Compared to last report

18%

% of FN total of overall MB population

For the purposes of this report, First Nations people are identified through a variety of mechanisms. This is because not any one method generates a complete list of the First Nations population in Manitoba. The mechanisms used are:

- PHINs of cases and tested individuals are matched up to Status First Nations in the Indian Status Registry ISR. This list is current as of June 2020.
- Self-report in the course of the COVID case investigation.
- Manual review of familial linkages identified in the course of COVID case investigations. Linkages are made by reported relationships, shared last names or addresses, and only counts horizontal- sibling or downward offspring linkages.

Data corrections or updates can result in case records being removed and/or updated and may result in totals different from past publicly reported case counts.