

2017-18 AHS Employee Influenza Immunization Rates

by Workplace Location

November 6, 2017

INTRODUCTION

Influenza vaccine has been shown to be an effective measure for reducing the risk of transmission of the influenza virus. Healthcare workers are at an increased risk of both being infected and infecting others. A better understanding of influenza coverage among staff at AHS will help increase the immunization rates for future years.

Influenza Immunization is not mandatory for AHS employees. If an AHS employee chooses to be immunized, it's easy to do so. They can:

- (1) Visit a Workplace Health and Safety (WHS) clinic and/or Site Champion immunizer;
- (2) Visit an AHS Influenza Immunization Clinic (Public Health);
- (3) Visit a Pharmacy or Physician's Office.

Immunization status is recorded and reported back to AHS when the employee is immunized through WHS, Site Champions, and Public Health. However, AHS will not have an employee immunization record when an employee:

- (1) Decides to get their immunization through a Third Party immunizer and does not choose to inform AHS as the employer, or
- (2) Does not complete any part of section B on the NCR to share their immunization status when immunized through Public Health or WHS.

The following symbols will show each facility's influenza immunization rates and will be updated throughout the campaign.

- = 80% or higher
- ▲ = between 60 - 79.9%
- = 59.9% and below

Listed below are each organization's total number of employees and their influenza immunization rate as of November 6, 2017.

	total # of employees	% immunized
● Alberta Health Services (AHS)	96,509	41%
Partners (non-AHS employees)		
● Calgary Laboratory Services	1,973	59%
● Capital Care	2,573	51%
▲ Care West	2,676	66%
● Covenant Health	10,558	38%

Influenza immunization rates by site are not available for Calgary Laboratory Services, Capital Care or Care West. Site specific rates are included in the following pages for Alberta Health Services and Covenant Health.

Notes on data collection:

- This data is reflective of information in the system as of November 6, 2017.
- Influenza vaccination is voluntary for health care workers. AHS employees can also consent or decline to report their immunization status to the organization.
- The rates reported are conservative. Individuals that have gone to a Public Health Clinic or to Third Party providers (such as their physicians, their local pharmacy or other providers) and have not submitted their information to AHS will not have their vaccination accounted for in this report.

WORKPLACE LOCATION
**AHS Employee
Influenza Immunization
Rates – Nov. 6, 2017
Percentage (%)**

● Alberta Children's Hospital including Child Development Centre	37
● Canmore General Hospital	4
● Claresholm Centre for Mental Health and Addictions	25
● Claresholm General Hospital	25
● Didsbury District Health Services	29
● Foothills Medical Centre	37
● High River General Hospital	12
● Holy Cross	7
● Oilfields General Hospital	2
● Peter Lougheed Centre	39
● Richmond Road Diagnostic & Treatment Centre	10
● Rockyview General Hospital	38
● Sheldon M Chumir Health Centre	13
● South Health Campus	37
● Southern Alberta Forensic Psychiatric Centre	31
● Strathmore District Health Services	57
● Tom Baker Cancer Care Centre	31
● Vulcan Community Health Centre	50
● Willow Creek Continuing Care	6

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● Bentley Care Centre	41
● Breton Health Centre	33
● Centennial Centre for Mental Health and Brain Injury	36
● Consort Hospital and Care Centre	16
● Coronation Hospital and Care Centre	50
● Daysland Health Centre	48
● Drayton Valley Hospital and Care Centre	56
● Drumheller Health Centre	53
● Galahad Care Centre	47
● Hanna Health Centre	45
▲ Hardisty Health/Mental Health Centre	61
● Innisfail Health Centre	57
● Islay Assisted Living	11
● Lacombe Hospital and Care Centre	47
● Lamont Health Care Centre	36
● Lloydminster Hospital	30
● Olds Hospital and Care Centre including Olds Hemodialysis	59
● Ponoka Hospital and Care Centre	40
● Provost Health Centre	14
● Red Deer Regional Hospital Centre	47
● Rimbey Hospital and Care Centre	46
● Rocky Mountain House Health Centre	34
● Stettler Hospital and Care Centre	43
● Sundre Hospital and Care Centre	52
● Three Hills Health Centre	35
● Tofield Health Centre	38
● Two Hills Health Centre	36
● Vegreville Care Centre	56
● Vermilion Health Centre	49
● Viking Health Centre	57
● Wainwright Health Centre	41
● Wetaskiwin Hospital and Care Centre	34

● below 60% ▲ 60-79.9% ● Above 80%

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● Alberta Hospital Edmonton	28
● Aspen House	7
● Cross Cancer Institute	56
● Devon General Hospital	38
● East Edmonton Health Centre	38
● Evansburg Health Centre	14
● Fort Saskatchewan Community Hospital	34
● Glenrose Rehabilitation Hospital	49
● Leduc Community Hospital	46
● Northeast Community Health Centre	55
● Royal Alexandra Hospital	55
● Rutherford Health Centre	45
▲ Stollery Children's Hospital	68
● Stony Plain Care Centre (Westview Health Centre)	39
● Strathcona Community Hospital	53
● Strathcona County Health Ctr including Strathcona HC office	39
● Sturgeon Community Hospital	35
● U of A Hospital including Aberhart, Mazankowski Heart Institute and the Kaye Edmonton Clinic	57

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● Athabasca Healthcare Centre	40
● Barrhead Continuing Care Centre	53
● Barrhead Healthcare Centre	53
● Beaverlodge Municipal Hospital	57
● Boyle Healthcare Centre	42
● Cold Lake Healthcare Centre	51
● Edson Healthcare Centre	57
● Elk Point Healthcare Centre	56
● Fairview Health Complex	39
● Fort McMurray Northern Lights Regional Health Centre	35
● Fort Vermilion General Hospital (St. Theresa)	20
● Fox Creek Healthcare Centre	55
● Grand Prairie Queen Elizabeth II Hospital (including Grand Prairie support services)	39
● Grande Cache Community Health Complex	35
● Grande Prairie Cancer Centre	89
● Grimshaw/Berwyn and District Community Health Centre	39
● High Level Northwest Health Centre	34
● High Prairie Health Complex	28
● Hinton Healthcare Centre	31
● Hythe Continuing Care Centre	39
● Jasper Healthcare Centre (Seton)	50
● La Crete Health Centre	15
● Lac La Biche Healthcare Centre (William J. Cadzow)	48
● Manning Community Health Centre	38
● Mayerthorpe Healthcare Centre	27
● McLennan Sacred Heart Community Health Centre	40
● Peace River Community Health Centre	41
● Radway Continuing Care Centre	34
● Redwater Healthcare Centre	50
● Slave Lake Healthcare Centre	33
● Smoky Lake Continuing Care Centre	8
● Smoky Lake Healthcare Centre (George McDougall)	37

**North Zone,
continued** 

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● Spirit River Health Centre (Central Peace Health Complex)	17
● St. Paul Health Centre (St. Therese)	43
▲ Swan Hills Healthcare Centre	68
● Valleyview Health Centre	42
● Wabasca/Desmarais Healthcare Centre	50
● Westlock Continuing Care Centre	48
● Westlock Healthcare Centre	46
● Whitecourt Healthcare Centre	54

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● Bassano Health Centre	11
● Bow Island Health Centre	49
● Brooks Health Centre	51
● Cardston Health Centre	29
● Chinook Regional Hospital	53
● Coaldale Health Centre	20
● Crowsnest Pass Health Centre	29
● Fort MacLeod Health Centre	30
▲ Jack Ady Cancer Centre	61
▲ Margery E. Yuill Cancer Centre	64
● Medicine Hat Regional Hospital	53
● Milk River Health Centre	26
● Oyen - Big Country Hospital	38
● Pincher Creek Health Centre	51
● Raymond Health Centre	26
● Taber Health Centre	28

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WORKPLACE LOCATION

Covenant Health
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● Banff - Mineral Springs Hospital	31
● Bonnyville Health Centre	37
● Camrose - St. Mary's Hospital	49
● Castor - Our Lady of the Rosary Hospital	33
● Edmonton - General Continuing Care Centre	36
● Edmonton - Grey Nuns Community Hospital	42
● Edmonton - Misericordia Community Hospital	39
● Edmonton - St. Joseph's Auxillary Hospital	37
● Edmonton - Villa Caritas	43
● Killam Health Centre	33
● Lethbridge - St. Michael's Health Centre	33
● Lethbridge - St. Therese Villa	16
● Medicine Hat - St. Joseph's Home	24
● Mundare - Mary Immaculate Hospital	36
● St. Albert - Youville Home	34
● Trochu - St. Mary's Health Care Centre	6
● Vegreville - St. Joseph's General Hospital	36

* the percentages presented are based on all immunizations reported to Occupational Health and Safety (OHS) and are only as accurate as information submitted to Covenant Health OHS.