

Vaccine Eligibility Status in Peterborough Region - April 20, 2021



This eligibility tool is designed to provide clarity for the residents of Peterborough City, County, Curve Lake First Nation, and Hiawatha First Nation regarding vaccine eligibility. The phases indicate the phased approach outlined in the Ontario COVID-19 Vaccine Distribution Plan. [Ontario Vaccine Distribution Plan](#)

Eligibility Group	Details	Eligibility Status for Booking	Action
Phase 1			
Congregate Living Setting for Seniors – Residents and Staff (Long-term care home, Retirement home)		Eligible	Contact facility administrator for booking information
Health Care Workers	Guidance for Prioritization for Healthcare Workers - Ministry of Health	Eligible	Contact employer for booking information
On-Reserve Indigenous Populations		Eligible	Call health care Centre on reserve
Off-Reserve/Urban indigenous Populations		Eligible	There are no clinics scheduled at this time. Please review this document regularly for updates.
Adults 80+		Eligible	Booking Information Here
Faith Leaders	<p>Faith Leaders are eligible for immediate vaccination if, as part of their regular role, they are at increased risk of exposure to COVID-19 through close contact with persons and families in the following circumstances:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • End of life care • Care of the deceased, funerals, bathing, or other ceremony with direct contact with deceased persons • Home visits to unwell persons • Pastoral care in hospitals/LTCHs/RHS or other vulnerable settings 	Eligible	Contact Peterborough Public Health for details
Adult Recipients of Chronic Home Care		Eligible	You will be contacted directly to book an appointment. If you have not been contacted, please

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			contact the organization you receive care from.
Phase 2			
COVID-19 - Guidance for Prioritization of Phase 2 Populations for COVID-19 Vaccine			
Adults age 60-79		Eligible	Booking Information Here
Adults age 40+ for AstraZeneca vaccine	Select pharmacies in Peterborough are administering the AstraZeneca vaccine to people age 55 and older	Eligible	Booking Information Here
Highest Risk Health Conditions	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Organ transplant recipients 2. Hematopoietic stem cell transplant recipients 3. People with neurological diseases in which respiratory function may be compromised (for example, motor neuron disease, myasthenia gravis, multiple sclerosis) 4. Haematological malignancy diagnosed within the last year 5. Kidney disease with estimated glomerular filtration rate (eGFR) under 30 <p>One essential caregiver for above individuals</p>	Eligible	Sign up for 'Notify Me' for further Instructions (LINK)
High Risk Health Conditions	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Obesity (BMI over 40) 2. Other treatments causing immunosuppression (for example, chemotherapy, immunity-weakening medications) 3. Intellectual or developmental disabilities (for example, Down Syndrome) <p>One essential caregiver for those individuals who require regular and sustained assistance with personal care and/or activities of daily living</p>	Not Yet Eligible	Sign up for 'Notify Me' for further Instructions (LINK)
At Risk Health Conditions	<p>Immune deficiencies and autoimmune disorders</p> <p>Stroke and cerebrovascular disease</p> <p>Dementia</p> <p>Diabetes</p> <p>Liver disease</p> <p>All other cancers</p>	Not Yet Eligible	Sign up for 'Notify Me' for further Instructions (LINK)

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	Respiratory diseases, such as asthma, bronchitis, pneumonia, pleurisy Spleen problems, such as asplenia Heart disease Hypertension with end organ damage Diagnosed mental disorder Substance use disorders Sickle cell disease Thalassemia Pregnancy Immunocompromising health conditions Other disabilities requiring direct support care in the community		
Adults Living in Community Hot Spots		Not Yet Eligible	PPH does not have any community Hot Spots
People who live and work in High-Risk Congregate Settings. Includes caregivers in certain congregate living settings .	<p>High-risk congregate living settings refer to residential facilities where a high-risk client population live or stay overnight and use shared spaces (e.g., common sleeping areas, shared bathrooms, shared kitchens, communal dining spaces).</p> <p>Essential caregivers are those identified through an organization’s caregiver definition, or where no policy or definition is in place, assumes primary individuals providing direct, frequent and sustained in-person personal care and/or assistance with activities of daily living to a resident of a congregate living setting</p>	Not Yet Eligible	Sign up for 'Notify Me' for further Instructions (LINK)
Education workers who provide direct support to students with special education needs		Eligible	Please contact employer for more details

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Essential Workers Who Cannot Work from Home - group 1	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Elementary and secondary school workers (including educators, custodial, school bus drivers, administrative staff) 2. Workers responding to critical events (including police, fire, special constables, children’s aid society workers, emergency management, critical infrastructure restoration workers) 3. Enforcement, inspection and compliance roles (including by-law enforcement, building inspectors, food inspectors, animal welfare inspectors, border inspection officers, labour inspectors, WSIB field workers) 4. Individuals working in childcare (including all licensees, employees and students on educational placements who interact directly with children in licensed childcare centres and in authorized recreation and skill building programs, licensed home child care and in-home service providers, employees of home child care agencies) 5. Foster care agenda workers (including customary care providers) 6. Food manufacturing and distribution workers 7. Agriculture and farm workers 8. Funeral, crematorium and cemetery workers 9. Elementary and secondary school workers (including educators, custodial, school bus drivers, administrative staff) 10. Workers responding to critical events (including police, fire, special constables, children’s aid society workers, emergency management, critical infrastructure restoration workers) 11. Enforcement, inspection and compliance roles (including by-law enforcement, building inspectors, food inspectors, animal welfare inspectors, border inspection officers, labour inspectors, WSIB field workers) 12. Individuals working in childcare (including all licensees, employees and students on educational placements who interact directly with children in licensed childcare centres and in authorized recreation and skill building programs, licensed home child care and in-home service providers, employees of home child care agencies) 13. Foster care agenda workers (including customary care providers) 14. Food manufacturing and distribution workers 	Not Yet Eligible	Sign up for 'Notify Me' for further Instructions (LINK)

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	15. Agriculture and farm workers 16. Funeral, crematorium and cemetery workers		
Essential Workers Who Cannot Work from Home - group 2	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Essential and critical retail workers (including grocery, foodbank, pharmacy, Service Ontario, Service Canada, Passport Canada, wholesalers and general goods, restaurant, LCBO workers) 2. Workers in manufacturing industries directly involved in supporting the COVID-19 response, construction (including infrastructure) and other essential businesses and services where facilities are at heightened risk for COVID-19 outbreaks and spread 3. Social workers and social services staff who provide in-person client services (including youth justice workers, Ontario Works and Ontario Disability Support Program case workers) 4. Courts and justice system workers (including probation and parole workers) 5. Transportation, warehousing and distribution workers (including public transit workers, truck drivers supporting essential services, marine and rail cargo and maintenance, highway maintenance) 6. Electricity (including system operations, generation, transmission, distribution and storage workers) 7. Communications infrastructure workers (including cellular, satellite, landline, internet, public safety radio) 8) Water and wastewater management workers 9. Financial services workers (bank branch staff) 10. Veterinarians and veterinary teams 11. Waste management workers 12. Oil and petroleum workers (including petroleum refineries, crude oil and petroleum storage, transmission and distribution, retail sale of fuel) 13. Natural gas and propane gas workers (including compression, storage, transmission and distribution of natural gas and propane) 14. Mine workers (including those needed to ensure the continued operation of active mines) 	Not Yet Eligible	Sign up for 'Notify Me' for further Instructions (LINK)

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	15. Uranium processing workers (those working in the refining and conversion of uranium and fabrication of fuel for nuclear power plants)		
Phase 3			
Remaining Populations Age 16+		Not Yet Eligible	Sign up for 'Notify Me' for further Instructions (LINK)