

COVID-19 Community of Practice for Ontario Family Physicians – December 16, 2022, Virtual Care and Pandemic Reflections

*Resources are current as of December 16, 2022 - subject to change due to frequent updated guidance. Any updates to resource list, along with the session recording, slides and Q&A can be found here - <https://www.dfc.utoronto.ca/covid-19-community-practice/past-sessions>

COVID-19 CoP Resources

- **COVID 19 CoP resources and past session recordings** - <https://www.dfc.utoronto.ca/covid-19-community-practice/past-sessions>
- **Confused about COVID? Series** <https://dfcm.utoronto.ca/confused-about-covid>. Downloadable PDFs that address the most common questions from the public about symptoms, safety, testing and more.
- **COVID-19 CoP self-learning program** - <https://dfcm.utoronto.ca/covid-19-community-practice/past-sessions>
- **COVID-19 Vaccination in Canada**: An educational series for primary care professionals - Self-learning E-modules - <https://www.dfc.utoronto.ca/covid19-vaccination-modules>

General Vaccine Resources:

COVID-19 Community of Practice for Ontario Family Physicians - <https://www.dfc.utoronto.ca/covid-19-community-practice>

Ontario College of Family Physicians - <https://www.ontariofamilyphysicians.ca/covid-19>

Centre for Effective Practice - <https://cep.health/clinical-products/covid-19-vaccines/>

Shared Resources

Ministry of Health: Schedule of Benefits Dec 1, 2022

https://www.health.gov.on.ca/en/pro/programs/ohip/sob/physerv/sob_master_20221201.pdf

Healthcare Excellence Canada: Clinician Change Virtual Care Toolkit

<https://www.healthcareexcellence.ca/en/news/2022-06-08-new-toolkit-will-help-health-care-providers-deliver-virtual-care-to-canadians/>

Ontario Health: Virtual Visits Verification Standard

<https://www.ontariohealth.ca/system-planning/digital-standards/virtual-visits-verification>

Ontario Health: Verified Solutions List for Virtual Visits

<https://www.ontariohealth.ca/system-planning/digital-standards/virtual-visits-verification/verified-solutions-list>

Ontario Health: Clinically Appropriate Use of Virtual Care in Primary Care

<https://www.ontariohealth.ca/providing-health-care/clinical-standards-guidelines/clinically-appropriate-virtual-care-guidance-primary-care>

ipfiniti: Cloudvoice softphone solution

www.ipfiniti.com

Participant Shared Resource: YouTube video virtual Visit: Performing a Physical Exam on Yourself (Back Exam)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JAxC2duR84>

CareCanvas: A new tool to support practice improvement <https://www.carecanvas.ca/>

Dummy dashboard: [https://mwvcv0dl3k.execute-api.us-east-](https://mwvcv0dl3k.execute-api.us-east-2.amazonaws.com/display/?code=46ba8eaff35a9c0f477427bac55297e263386644972a8ba6dbc7186061c9cd38)

[2.amazonaws.com/display/?code=46ba8eaff35a9c0f477427bac55297e263386644972a8ba6dbc7186061c9cd38](https://mwvcv0dl3k.execute-api.us-east-2.amazonaws.com/display/?code=46ba8eaff35a9c0f477427bac55297e263386644972a8ba6dbc7186061c9cd38)

British Columbia - Clinical Practice Guide for the Use of Therapeutics in Mild-Moderate COVID-19

http://www.bccdc.ca/Health-Professionals-Site/Documents/COVID-treatment/ClinicalPracticeGuide_Therapeutics_MildModerateCOVID.pdf

Real World Efficacy – USA; Link-Gelles, R. *et al.* Effectiveness of Bivalent mRNA Vaccines in Preventing Symptomatic SARS-CoV-2 Infection — Increasing Community Access to Testing Program, United States, September–November 2022. *MMWR Morb. Mortal. Wkly. Rep.* **71**, 1526–1530 (2022). <https://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/71/wr/mm7148e1.htm>

UK Health Security Agency: COVID-19 vaccine surveillance report (Week 48 – December 1, 2022) https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/1121345/vaccine-surveillance-report-week-48-2022.pdf

Schwartz, K. *et al.* Real-world effectiveness of nirmatrelvir/ritonavir use for COVID-19: A population-based cohort study in Ontario, Canada. <http://medrxiv.org/lookup/doi/10.1101/2022.11.03.22281881> (2022) [doi:10.1101/2022.11.03.22281881](https://doi.org/10.1101/2022.11.03.22281881).

Annals of Internal Medicine: Nirmatrelvir Plus Ritonavir for early covid-19 in a large U.S. Health system <https://www.acpjournals.org/doi/10.7326/M22-2141>

Suribhatla, R. *et al.* Systematic review of the clinical effectiveness of Tixagevimab/Cilgavimab for prophylaxis of COVID-19 in immunocompromised patients. <http://medrxiv.org/lookup/doi/10.1101/2022.11.07.22281786> (2022) [doi:10.1101/2022.11.07.22281786](https://doi.org/10.1101/2022.11.07.22281786).

Brief on Primary Care Part 1: The Roles of Primary Care Clinicians and Practices in the First Two Years of the COVID-19 Pandemic in Ontario (<https://covid19-sciencetable.ca/sciencebrief/brief-on-primary-care-part-1-the-roles-of-primary-care-clinicians-and-practices-in-the-first-two-years-of-the-covid-19-pandemic-in-ontario/>)

Brief on Primary Care Part 2: Factors Affecting Primary Care Capacity in Ontario for Pandemic Response and Recovery (<https://covid19-sciencetable.ca/sciencebrief/brief-on-primary-care-part-2-factors-affecting-primary-care-capacity-in-ontario-for-pandemic-response-and-recovery/>)

Brief on Primary Care Part 3: Lessons Learned for Strengthened Primary Care in the Next Phase of the COVID-19 Pandemic (<https://covid19-sciencetable.ca/sciencebrief/brief-on-primary-care-part-3-lessons-learned-for-strengthened-primary-care-in-the-next-phase-of-the-covid-19-pandemic/>)

OCFP Resources:

OCFP President’s Message (December 15, 2022): Eligibility for Evusheld, Paxlovid and more <https://www.ontariofamilyphysicians.ca/news-features/news/~280-Eligibility-for-Evusheld-Paxlovid-and-more->

OCFP: Family doctor tips on caring for children with respiratory symptoms <https://www.ontariofamilyphysicians.ca/actions-parents-can-take-caring-for-a-child-with-respiratory-illness>

Respiratory Infections Resources for Family Physicians <https://www.ontariofamilyphysicians.ca/respiratory-infections>

Flu Fact Sheet https://www.ontariofamilyphysicians.ca/respiratory-syncytial-virus-rsv/flu_fact_sheet-english.pdf

Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) https://www.ontariofamilyphysicians.ca/respiratory-syncytial-virus-rsv/rsv_fact_sheet-english.pdf

Boost Your Protection Against COVID-19 https://www.ontariofamilyphysicians.ca/tools-resources/covid-19-resources/covid-19-vaccines/covid-19_booster_fact_sheet-english.pdf

COVID-19 Vaccine Guidance (Version 3.1, November 7, 2022, pg 25) https://www.health.gov.on.ca/en/pro/programs/publichealth/coronavirus/docs/vaccine/COVID-19_vaccine_administration.pdf

Decision Aid only pdf: <https://www.ontariofamilyphysicians.ca/tools-resources/covid-19-resources/covid-19-vaccines/when-you-should-get-a-booster-dose-flowchart.pdf>

Practising Well:

Community of Practice: <https://www.ontariofamilyphysicians.ca/education-practice-supports/practising-well/practising-well-community-of-practice>

University of Waterloo – School of Pharmacy – COVID-19 Resources: <https://uwaterloo.ca/pharmacy/resources-services-and-initiatives/health-resources/covid-19-health-resources>

OMA Tools:

- OMA: Template to email patients about COVID-19 booster and to get the flu vaccine [OneLogin](#)
- Virtual Care Billing: a Visual Guide
<https://www.oma.org/uploadedfiles/oma/media/member/membermappedpdfs/negotiations/psa/oma-virtual-care-codes-visual-guide.pdf/>
- Influenza Quick Reference Guide <https://www.oma.org/uploadedfiles/oma/media/member/oma-influenza-quick-reference-guide.pdf/>
- COVID-19 Vaccine Reference Tool
<https://www.oma.org/uploadedfiles/oma/media/member/membermappedpdfs/practice-professional-support/coronavirus/oma-covid-19-vaccine-reference-tool.pdf/>
- Personal Protective Equipment
<https://www.oma.org/uploadedfiles/oma/media/member/membermappedpdfs/practice-professional-support/patient-care/oma-guidance-ppe-community-practices-poster.pdf/>
- Testing in Office <https://www.oma.org/uploadedfiles/oma/media/member/membermappedpdfs/practice-professional-support/coronavirus/offering-lab-based-pcr-testing-for-covid-19.pdf/>

CEP: Managing fall/winter season in primary care

<https://tools.cep.health/tool/pc-ops-covid-19-context/#managing-fall-winter-season-in-primary-care>

CEP's clinical guidance resource has info on how to access Evusheld: <https://tools.cep.health/tool/covid-19/#access-Evusheld>

Ontario Health: CAC/AC Sites <https://www.ontario.ca/assessment-centre-locations>

Ontario Health: Memo - Updated recommendation on the use of Evusheld (December 12, 2022)

<https://www.ontariohealth.ca/sites/ontariohealth/files/2022-12/MemoUpdatedRecommendationUseEvusheld.pdf>

Ontario Health: Memo - Recommendation on the use of Paxlovid (December 8, 2022)

<https://www.ontariohealth.ca/sites/ontariohealth/files/2022-12/memo-RecommendationsePaxlovid.pdf>

Ontario Health: Ontario Health Recommendation on the Use of Nirmatrelvir/Ritonavir (Paxlovid) (December 8, 2022)

<https://www.ontariohealth.ca/sites/ontariohealth/files/2022-12/OntarioHealthRecommendationUseOfNirmatrelvirRitonavir-Paxlovid.pdf>

Ministry of Health: Booster dose eligibility checker <https://www.ontario.ca/vaccine-eligibility/>