COVID-19 Vaccinations and Breakthrough Infections

Analysis based on new COVID-19 cases reported June 1-30, 2021

COVID-19 Vaccinations Work

- Measured at 21 day mark to allow for necessary immune response to first dose
- Two doses recommended for all vaccines currently offered in Saskatchewan
- It is anticipated that serious illness rates will continue to decrease as residents receive second doses
- Two weeks after second dose is when optimum protection begins



New COVID-19 Cases – June 2021

Total	Unvaccinated or First dose < 3 weeks	·	Vaccinated, Second dose > 2 weeks
2032	1641	355	36
	80.8%	17.5%	1.8%

- There were 2,032 cases reported in June 2021. Of these, 36.8% were aged 19 years or younger.
- Of the 355 cases with a first dose, 26.8% (95) had comorbid conditions.
- Of the 36 cases with a second dose, 38.9% (14) had comorbid conditions.



COVID-19 Hospitalizations – June 2021

Total	Unvaccinated or First dose < 3 weeks	,	Vaccinated, Second dose > 2 weeks
102	66	31	5
	64.7%	30.4%	4.9%

- Among the cases reported in June, 102 individuals were hospitalized and/or admitted to ICU.
- Of the 31 hospitalized and/or ICU cases with a first dose,
 64.5% (20) had comorbid conditions and 48.4% (15) cases are
 70 years and older.
- Of the five hospitalized and/or ICU cases with a second dose, most (80%) had comorbid conditions and 60% are 70 years and older.



COVID-19 ICU Admissions – June 2021

Total	Unvaccinated or First dose < 3 weeks	·	Vaccinated, Second dose > 2 weeks
21	17	4	0
	81.0%	19.0%	0.0%

- Among the cases reported in June, 21 individuals were admitted to ICU.
- Most individuals (75%) with a first dose who were admitted to ICU were aged 70 years or older and all had comorbid medical conditions.
- Of the 21 ICU admissions, none were in individuals with a second dose.



COVID-19 Deaths – June 2021

Total	Unvaccinated or First dose < 3 weeks	•	Vaccinated, Second dose > 2 weeks
15	6	9	0
	40.0%	60.0%	0.0%

- Among the cases reported in June, 15 individuals died. Six (40%) had not been vaccinated and nine (60%) were vaccinated with a first dose.
- Most vaccinated individuals with first dose (67%) were aged
 80 years or older and all had comorbid medical conditions.
- There were no deaths among June cases who had been vaccinated with a second dose.



COVID-19 Hospitalizations – July 6

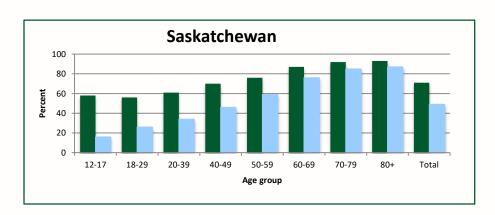
	Acute Care		ICU	
	COVID	COVID	COVID	COVID
Age Group	Infectious	Non-infectious	Infectious	Non-infectious
19 and under	3			
20 to 29	1	1	3	1
30 to 39	6	2	1	
40 to 49	2	3	1	
50 to 59	1	5		
60 to 69	5	4	1	
70 to 79	7	5	3	
80+	6	1		
Total	31	21	9	1

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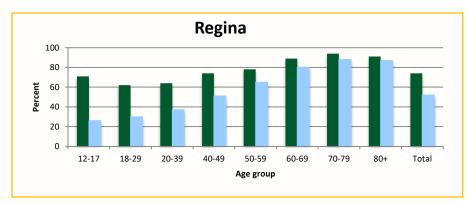
- 10 (32%) of the 31 infectious COVID-19 patients in acute care are less than 40 years old.
- Four (44%) of the nine infectious COVID-19 patients in ICU are less than 40 years old.

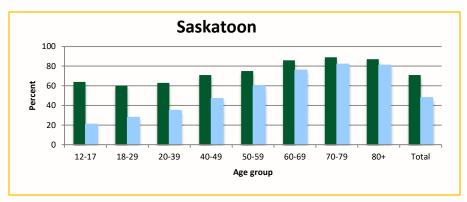


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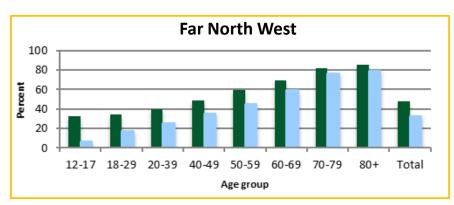
First and second dose uptake by population, provincially and by zone

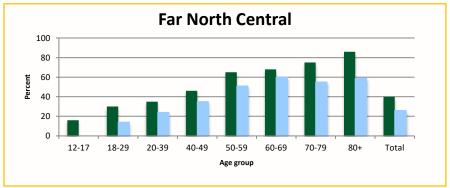


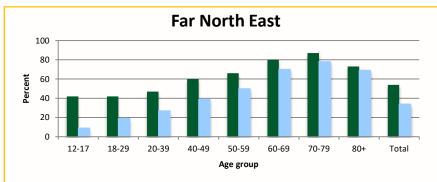


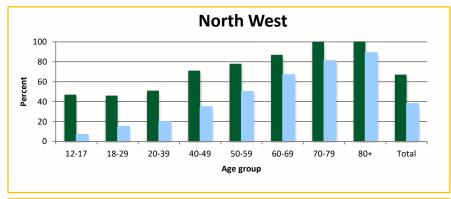
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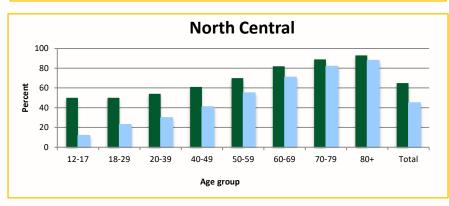


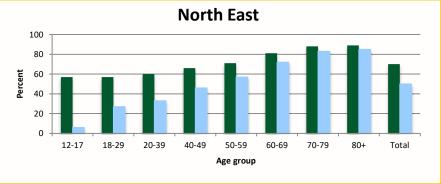




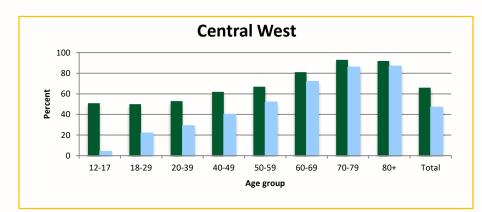


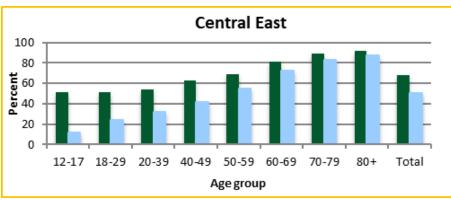


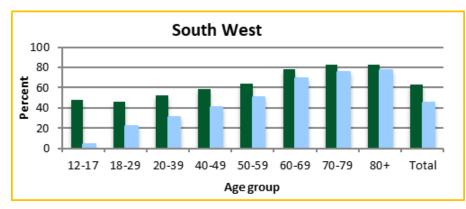


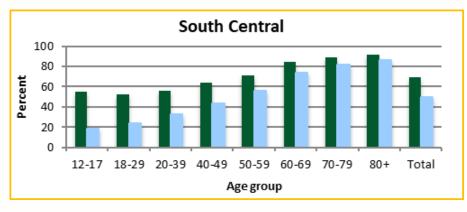


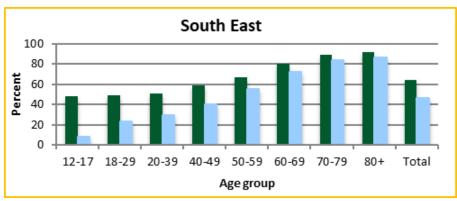














The actions taken by the people of Saskatchewan collectively will determine the outcome.

Simple measures reduce the risk of infection:

- Get the vaccine as soon as you are eligible to receive it
- Mask whenever you are away from your home
- Physically distance
- Stay home with even the mildest symptoms and get tested
- Reduce close contacts and non-essential travel
- Outdoors is better than indoors
- Wash hands/sanitize often

COVID-19 information is available at saskatchewan.ca/COVID19

