

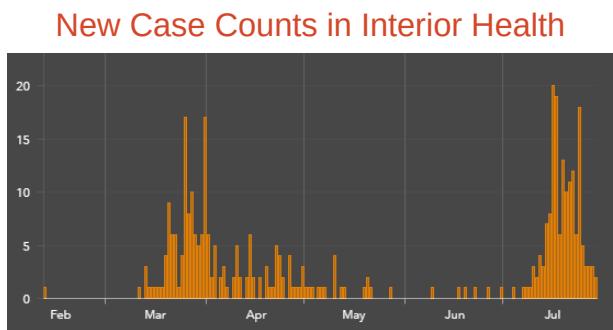
## COVID-19 Recovery Operations Center

### Weekly Update - July 31st, 2020

Heading into the August long weekend, we anticipate our area will be busy with visitors and locals alike. We all know what we need to do to minimize risks in our community. Let's lead by example and show visitors that we are taking the pandemic seriously. Together we can avoid an uptick in cases in BC.

### Where are we at?

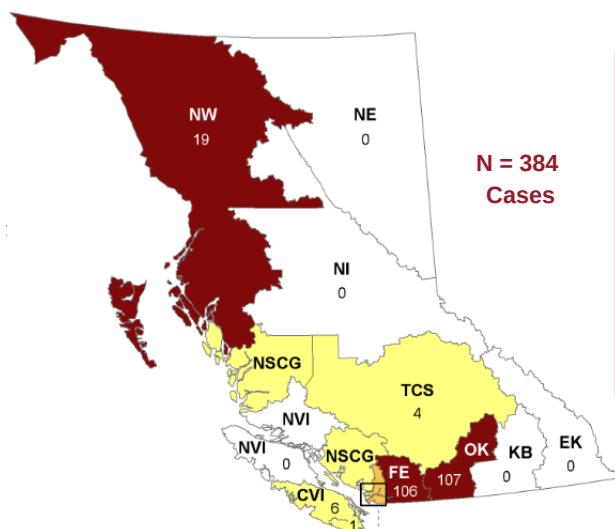
Data from the BC CDC, shows a drop in new cases for the Interior Health region.



#### The Weekly Surveillance Report:

- 199 new cases reported in BC.
- Over 25% of new cases in the last week were between the ages of 20-29 years.
- The BC outbreak trajectory remains favourable compared to other provinces and countries.

Past 14 days: cases reported July 17 to 30, 2020



<http://www.bccdc.ca/health-info/diseases-conditions/covid-19/data>

### News

#### Public Health Guidance for K-12 School Settings Released on July 29th :

"Based on the current epidemiology of COVID-19 in BC, and the fact that children are at a much lower risk of developing and transmitting COVID-19, K-12 schools in BC can have all elementary and middle school students, and most secondary students receive in-class instruction within the school environment."

<http://www.bccdc.ca/health-info/diseases-conditions/covid-19/childcare-schools#Schools>

### Community

#### Nelson and Kootenay Lake

Tourism reminds everyone to be S.M.A.R.T. when traveling. Keep these tips in mind if you are traveling this weekend.

Look for these posters in local businesses.

WE'RE DOING GREAT, BUT WE'RE NOT THROUGH THIS YET  
TO PREVENT A SECOND WAVE OF COVID-19 WE ALL NEED TO CONTINUE FOLLOWING RECOMMENDED PROTOCOLS

#### BE S.M.A.R.T.



[BeCovidSmart.ca](http://BeCovidSmart.ca)



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