



City of Sarnia

MEDIA RELEASE

DATE: September 22, 2020 RELEASE DATE: Immediate
FROM: City of Sarnia Primary Control Group
SUBJECT: COVID-19 Update

The Sarnia Primary Control Group (SPCG) met today regarding developments related to COVID-19.

The Ontario Government, in consultation with the Chief Medical Officer of Health and the Public Health Measures Table, reduced the number of people permitted to attend unmonitored and private social gatherings across the entire Province.

The new limit on the number of people allowed to attend an unmonitored private social gathering across the province is:

- 10 people at an indoor event or gathering (previous limit of 50); or
- 25 people at an outdoor event or gathering (previous limit of 100).

For further information regarding this change, please visit: <https://news.ontario.ca/en/release/58449/ontario-limits-the-size-of-unmonitored-and-private-social-gatherings-across-entire-province>. For additional questions regarding the updated limit on social gatherings, contact Bob Bailey's office: <https://bobbaileympp.com/contact/>

Citizens are urged to remain vigilant and take precautions when visiting public spaces, and on public transit, to protect everyone in the community from transmission of COVID-19.

For information on COVID-19 Testing and Public Assessment Centres, including School Testing Centres visit the Lambton Public Health website: <https://lambtonpublichealth.ca/2019-novel-coronavirus/testing-criteria/#school>

The Ontario Government has launched a [website](#) containing data on COVID-19 in schools and licenced childcare centres. The website, updated every weekday, includes a summary of cases, as well as detailed information on location.

For more information on COVID-19, visit:

- City of Sarnia website: <https://www.sarnia.ca/covid-19/>
- Lambton Public Health’s website: <https://lambtonpublichealth.ca>
- Province of Ontario’s website: <https://covid-19.ontario.ca>
- Government of Canada’s website: <https://www.canada.ca/en/public-health/services/diseases/coronavirus-disease-covid-19.html>

As of 11:00 a.m. on September 22 the SPCG can report that:

Summary of COVID-19 cases in Lambton County

Test Results Received (as per last available daily update)	26,461
Percent of Test Results Positive	1.3%
Confirmed Cases	344
Recovered Cases	317
Number of Related Deaths	25
Active Cases	2
Current Active Outbreaks	0
Resolved Outbreaks	10

By-Law Enforcement COVID-19 Reporting System

Total number of complaints and inquiries received	1,317
Total number of emails received	1,089
Total number of phone calls received	228
Total number of fines issued	5

For further information, please contact:

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