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Public Servants and Testing

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Manitoba



Manitoba's Civil Service Commission

- there are over 5800 designated positions required to be fully vaccinated.

Currently...

- 99.8 per cent of the designated positions are complying
- 429 are undergoing regular testing.

12,400

employees in the core provincial public service.

Manitoba's Health System

- 36,269 direct-care workers have indicated they are fully vaccinated;
- 1,788 direct-care workers require testing;
- 184 direct-care workers are unvaccinated or declined to volunteer their vaccine status AND refused testing.
- 33,541 staff have been validated as being fully vaccinated;

42,000

Approximate employees in health care that are considered direct-care workers

Manitoba's Health System

- Validation of voluntary disclosure forms continue for 2,877 staff;
 - Paperwork continues to be manually entered into the system and managers remain responsible for confirming the vaccination status of staff as they arrive at work, with those whose status is not confirmed required to undergo testing
- A significant proportion of remaining direct-care workers who have not provided voluntary disclosure are casual staff who have not worked in the past three weeks.

Manitoba's Education System

- 34,336 designated public staff and 2,204 designated independent staff have provided proof of vaccination.
- 3,129 designated public and independent staff have chosen testing.
 - 94 per cent of those testing are within public schools.

In Manitoba there are

- **38,643** designated public staff
- **2,412** independent staff

Manitoba's Education System

- 143 designated staff who are on unpaid leave of absences related to compliance with public health orders. 97 per cent are within public schools.

Please note that education staff that refuse testing will be addressed by the employer in a progressive discipline approach. Some may have also resigned.

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