

A Current Collection of Reports and Readings

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1. COVID-19

COVID-19 Resources

The Shared Library Services Partnership has a [webpage](#) about 2019-nCoV containing links to live literature searches in select databases such as PubMed, DisasterLit, and NICE Evidence Search. In addition, there is a list of links to a number of health organizations with information on 2019-nCoV.

Coronavirus (COVID-19): infection control and prevention measures
Cochrane Special Collections related to COVID-19- Currently freely available.

Advice on the use of masks for children in the community in the context of COVID-19.
2020. World Health Organization. Freely available.

Q&A: Children and masks related to COVID-19.
2020. World Health Organization. Freely available.

Characterizing early Canadian federal, provincial, territorial and municipal nonpharmaceutical interventions in response to COVID-19: a descriptive analysis.
CMAJ Open. 2020. Freely available.

Rates of COVID-19-associated hospitalization in British Columbia and Ontario: time course of flattening the relevant curve.
2020. Canadian Journal of Public Health. Freely available.

CDC: COVID-19 Science Updates
“Brief summaries of new COVID-19-related studies on many topics, including epidemiology, clinical treatment and management, laboratory science, and modeling. These summaries are released every Tuesday and Friday.”

Drinking to Cope During COVID-19 Pandemic: The Role of External and Internal Factors in Coping Motive Pathways to Alcohol Use, Solitary Drinking, and Alcohol Problems.
2020. Alcoholism: Clinical and Experimental Research. Freely available.

Two metres or one: what is the evidence for physical distancing in covid-19?
2020. BMJ. Freely available.

2. Environmental Health

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH RESEARCH SCAN WITH COVID-19 SECTIONS
NCCEH, 2020. Freely available.

Ouch! A cross-sectional study investigating self-reported human exposure to dog bites in rural and urban households in southern Ontario, Canada.
2020. Zoonoses Public Health.

3. Chronic Disease

BMC Series Focus Issue: Food Science and Nutrition.
2020. Freely available.

4. Substance Use

Alcoholics Anonymous and other 12-step programs for alcohol use disorder
2020. Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews. Available on the Virtual Library.

5. Sexual Health

Questions & Answers: Sexual Health Education in Schools and Other Settings
2020. SIECCAN. Freely available.

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Public Health Ontario Resources:

Daily Scan of Selected Public Health Organizations – Novel Coronavirus (2019-nCoV)
Public Health Ontario. Freely available.

Synopsis of Key Articles – Novel Coronavirus (2019-nCoV)
Public Health Ontario. Freely available.

COVID-19 Public Resources
Public Health Ontario. Freely available

What We Know So Far About...
Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)
Public Health Ontario. Freely available