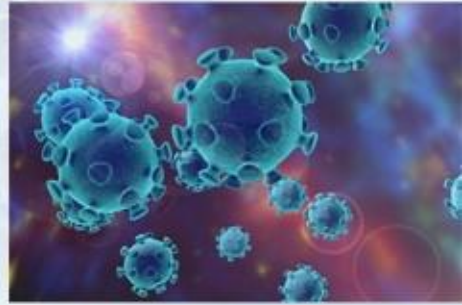


COVID-19 Update

Employee and Physician Information



Memo from Director of Human Resources

February 18, 2021

To All Managers and Physicians

Re: Recommendations from Occupational Health/Public Health re Isolation for HCW's & COVID 19 Vaccination.

We are receiving inquiries from staff and managers asking if they can return to work (despite being isolated, symptomatic) because they have received two doses of Covid 19 vaccine.

To clarify, the isolation and return to work recommendations would not change because you have received the COVID 19 vaccination.

It has not been determined if receipt of the COVID 19 vaccine has an impact on transmissibility of this virus.

Public health measures including wearing a mask, physical distancing, handwashing in addition to the recommendations from Occupational Health and Safety for health care and other workers on appropriate precautions and Personal Protective Equipment.

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Regional Director, Human Resources

Report all potential communicable diseases to Occupational Health: 709-777-7777, line 3, line 2, or email occhealth@easternhealth.ca.

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