

Provincial Proof of Vaccination Rules

Ont. Reg.645/21



- New rules in effect September 22, 2021 apply to patrons, not employees
- Applies to certain indoor locations (+ outdoor areas of nightclubs)
- All other measures in O. Reg. 364/20 remain in effect (capacity limits, patron screening, masking, physical distancing and contact tracing information).

Locations Where Proof of Vaccination Required	Comments
Indoor dining at restaurants/bars	Does not apply to take-out/delivery
Indoor and outdoor areas of nightclubs and other establishments with dance floors	Does not apply to take-out/delivery
Indoor meeting and event spaces , conference centres and convention centres	Excluding areas used for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Day/overnight camps • Child care • Social services • Courts • Government operations
Indoor areas used for sports and recreational fitness activities, including indoor waterparks, pools, gyms and spectator areas	Excluding areas used for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Day/overnight camps • Child care • Social services (e.g. shower program for homeless persons)

Locations Where Proof of Vaccination Required	Comments
Indoor casinos, bingo halls and gaming establishments	
Indoor areas of concert venues, theatres & cinemas	Unless only entering to purchase admission
Indoor areas of bathhouses, sex clubs & strip clubs	
Indoor areas of horse racing & car racing tracks	Unless only entering to place bet/pick up winnings
Indoor areas where commercial film or television production is taking place with a studio audience	The studio audience are considered patrons. Does not apply to cast or crew.

Note: Vaccination not required if only entering to use washroom, make a retail purchase, purchase admission, pay for an order or to access an outdoor area, or for health & safety

Patrons who are exempt

- Under 12 years old
- Under 18 years old entering a sports and recreational facility to actively participate in an **organized** sport or fitness activity (parents & spectators must be vaccinated)
- Person who produces valid proof of medical exemption

Rules only apply to specified areas

- Vaccination is not required to enter a community centre in general, only those parts used for sports, meetings, events, theatre etc.
- No vaccination required for libraries
- No vaccination required for outdoor sports facilities

Weddings, funerals and religious rites & services

Event	Location	Proof of Vaccination
Wedding ceremony, funeral services, religious rites or ceremonies	Any setting (including meeting or event spaces, places of worship, funeral establishments)	Not required
Wedding reception	Indoor meeting/rental event space (including at place of worship)	Required starting October 13 th September 22 nd to October 12 th only, proof of negative COVID-19 test is an alternative
Funeral reception, wake or other social gathering associated with a funeral	Indoor meeting or event spaces located in places of worship, funeral establishments, cemeteries, a crematorium and similar establishments	Not required
	Other meeting or event spaces (e.g., conference or conventions centres)	Required starting October 13 th September 22 nd to October 12 th only, proof of negative COVID-19 test is an alternative

Proof of Vaccination

Identification / Identification	
Name / Nom:	John Q. Citizen
Health card number / Numéro de la carte Santé:	XXXX-XXXX-XXXX
Date of birth / Date de naissance:	2002-12-12

Vaccination / Vaccination	
Date / Date:	2021-07-03, 1:34 pm
Agent / Agent:	COVID-19 mRNA
Product name / Nom du produit:	MODERNA COVID-19 mRNA-1273
Diluent product:	Not applicable / Ne s'applique pas
Lot / Lot:	
Dosage / Dosage:	0.5ml
Route / Voie:	Intramuscular / Intramusculaire
Site / Site:	Left deltoid / Deltolde gauche
You have received 2 valid dose(s) / Vous avez reçu 2 dose(s) valide(s)	
Vaccine administered by / Vaccin administré par:	
Authorized organization / Organisme agréé:	

- Patrons must show 2 things:
 - Vaccination Receipt* (in paper or PDF form)
 - Identification with name and DOB (photo not required)
- Business must confirm that a “full series” of COVID-19 vaccines was completed at least 14 days before
- Businesses prohibited from retaining vaccination receipts or vaccination status information. Proof must be provided each time a patron enters
- Free printing of vaccine receipts are available at Mississauga’s public libraries

* Issued by Ontario government, another jurisdiction or an Indigenous Health Provider

“full series of COVID-19 vaccines”

- (i) the full series of a COVID-19 vaccine authorized by Health Canada, or any combination of such vaccines,
- (ii) one or two doses of a COVID-19 vaccine not authorized by Health Canada, followed by one dose of a COVID-19 mRNA vaccine authorized by Health Canada, or
- (iii) three doses of a COVID-19 vaccine not authorized by Health Canada (e.g. the Russian Sputnik V vaccine)

Medical Exemption Requirements

- Written document from a physician (designated as “MD”) or by a registered nurse in the extended class (designated as “Registered Nurse (Extended Class)”, “RN(EC)”, “Nurse Practitioner” or “NP”)
- Note must include:
 - name of individual
 - name & contact information for physician/RN(EC)
 - logo or letterhead identifying the physician/RN(EC)
 - Statement that there is a medical reason for the individual’s exemption from being fully vaccinated against COVID-19
 - any effective time-period for exemption.
- Physicians / RN(EC) are expected to only recognize the following for medical exemption:
 - History of anaphylaxis (severe allergy) to the vaccine or an ingredient of the vaccine
 - individual suffered myocarditis or pericarditis after the first dose of a vaccine

Compliance

- Failure to comply can result in charges under the *Reopening Ontario Act*. Both patrons and business operators can be charged.
- Part I set fines:
 - \$750 for individuals
 - \$1,000 for corporations
- Maximum penalties under Part I or Part II of the POA:
 - fines of up to \$100,000 and up to a year in jail for an individual
 - up to \$500,000 and up to a year in jail for an individual who is a director or officer of a corporation
 - up to \$10 million for a corporation.

Next Steps

- Develop messaging for residents- outline specific program and facility requirements
- Staff training on regulations and requirements
- Connect with community groups, lease holders, rental clients, registered participants and membership holders
- Updated document on activities and facilities for Council's information