

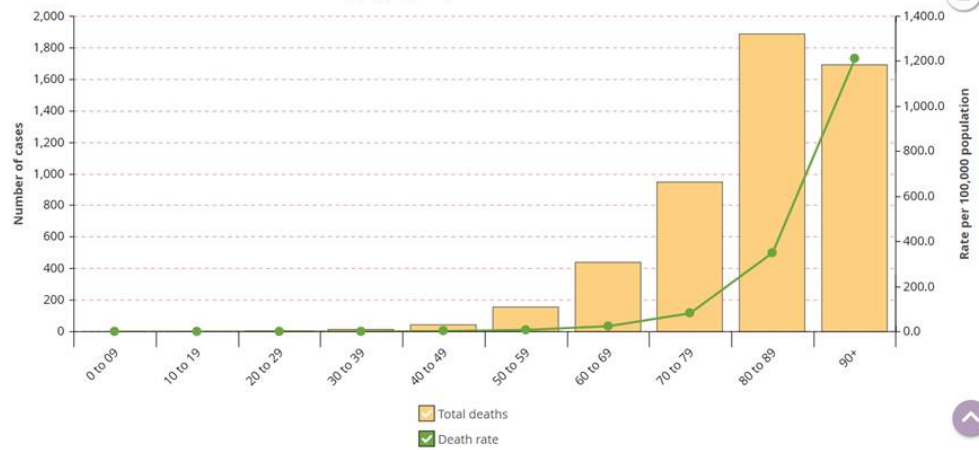
## The Facts of COVID in Ontario

| Claim  | Correction  |                             |                  |           |           |         |                                |             |       |         |                             |                             |       |         |                            |            |       |         |                            |           |        |         |                            |         |       |         |                     |                      |       |         |                                   |                |       |
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| <p>Hospital occupancy is better than pre-pandemic.</p> | <p>Capacity challenges exist in hospitals across Ontario, with over 40 hospital corporations reporting occupancy rates in excess of 90% on January 7, 2021.</p> <p>Dr. Brown <u>presented</u> alarming trends mere days ago, which Mr. Baber would have been briefed on. Over the last four weeks, there has been a 72 per cent increase in hospitalizations and a 61 per cent increase in ICU patients. Further, more than half of the provincial ICUs are full or only have one or two beds left. Dr. Brown notes that if we stay on our current trajectory, there will be more than 1,000 COVID-19 patients in ICU by early February. That would be catastrophic.</p> <p><b>COVID patients in hospital:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Outbreaks have closed beds in key centres like Trillium Health Partners, William Osler Health System and Greater Niagara General.</li> <li>• Key hospitals experiencing significant increases in capacity pressures (as of January 3, 2021): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Trillium Health Partners – 96% total ICU occupancy</li> <li>• Windsor Regional Hospital – 90.2% total ICU occupancy</li> <li>• Humber River Hospital – 97.8% total ICU occupancy</li> <li>• Halton Healthcare Services – 93.8% total ICU occupancy</li> <li>• Markham Stouffville Hospital – 120% total ICU occupancy</li> <li>• Mackenzie Health – 94.7% Total ICU occupancy</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>As you may know, Mr. Baber represents a Toronto riding. Below you'll find the ICU occupancy for the Toronto and surrounding areas as of January 15, 2021:</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="436 1101 1896 1409"> <thead> <tr> <th>PHU</th> <th>CORPORATION NAME</th> <th>SITE NAME</th> <th>OCCUPANCY</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>TORONTO</td> <td>Humber River Regional Hospital</td> <td>Wilson Site</td> <td>95.7%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>TORONTO</td> <td>North York General Hospital</td> <td>North York General Hospital</td> <td>82.6%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>TORONTO</td> <td>Scarborough Health Network</td> <td>Birchmount</td> <td>86.7%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>TORONTO</td> <td>Scarborough Health Network</td> <td>Centenary</td> <td>106.7%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>TORONTO</td> <td>Scarborough Health Network</td> <td>General</td> <td>88.6%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>TORONTO</td> <td>Sinai Health System</td> <td>Mount Sinai Hospital</td> <td>93.5%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>TORONTO</td> <td>Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre</td> <td>Bayview Campus</td> <td>96.8%</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> | PHU                         | CORPORATION NAME | SITE NAME | OCCUPANCY | TORONTO | Humber River Regional Hospital | Wilson Site | 95.7% | TORONTO | North York General Hospital | North York General Hospital | 82.6% | TORONTO | Scarborough Health Network | Birchmount | 86.7% | TORONTO | Scarborough Health Network | Centenary | 106.7% | TORONTO | Scarborough Health Network | General | 88.6% | TORONTO | Sinai Health System | Mount Sinai Hospital | 93.5% | TORONTO | Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre | Bayview Campus | 96.8% |
| PHU  | CORPORATION NAME  | SITE NAME                   | OCCUPANCY        |           |           |         |                                |             |       |         |                             |                             |       |         |                            |            |       |         |                            |           |        |         |                            |         |       |         |                     |                      |       |         |                                   |                |       |
| TORONTO  | Humber River Regional Hospital  | Wilson Site                 | 95.7%            |           |           |         |                                |             |       |         |                             |                             |       |         |                            |            |       |         |                            |           |        |         |                            |         |       |         |                     |                      |       |         |                                   |                |       |
| TORONTO  | North York General Hospital   | North York General Hospital | 82.6%            |           |           |         |                                |             |       |         |                             |                             |       |         |                            |            |       |         |                            |           |        |         |                            |         |       |         |                     |                      |       |         |                                   |                |       |
| TORONTO  | Scarborough Health Network  | Birchmount                  | 86.7%            |           |           |         |                                |             |       |         |                             |                             |       |         |                            |            |       |         |                            |           |        |         |                            |         |       |         |                     |                      |       |         |                                   |                |       |
| TORONTO  | Scarborough Health Network  | Centenary                   | 106.7%           |           |           |         |                                |             |       |         |                             |                             |       |         |                            |            |       |         |                            |           |        |         |                            |         |       |         |                     |                      |       |         |                                   |                |       |
| TORONTO  | Scarborough Health Network  | General                     | 88.6%            |           |           |         |                                |             |       |         |                             |                             |       |         |                            |            |       |         |                            |           |        |         |                            |         |       |         |                     |                      |       |         |                                   |                |       |
| TORONTO  | Sinai Health System   | Mount Sinai Hospital        | 93.5%            |           |           |         |                                |             |       |         |                             |                             |       |         |                            |            |       |         |                            |           |        |         |                            |         |       |         |                     |                      |       |         |                                   |                |       |
| TORONTO  | Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre   | Bayview Campus              | 96.8%            |           |           |         |                                |             |       |         |                             |                             |       |         |                            |            |       |         |                            |           |        |         |                            |         |       |         |                     |                      |       |         |                                   |                |       |

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|   | TORONTO  | Toronto East Health Network            | Michael Garron Hospital              | 87.0%        |
|   | TORONTO  | Unity Health Toronto                   | St. Joseph's                         | 75.0%        |
|   | TORONTO  | Unity Health Toronto                   | St. Michael's                        | 80.7%        |
|   | TORONTO  | University Health Network              | Toronto General Hospital             | 88.3%        |
|   | TORONTO  | University Health Network              | Toronto Western Hospital             | 89.6%        |
|   | TORONTO  | William Osler Health Centre            | Etobicoke Campus                     | 65.0%        |
|   | DURHAM   | Lakeridge Health Corporation           | Ajax                                 | 84.6%        |
|   | DURHAM   | Lakeridge Health Corporation           | Bowmanville                          | 50.0%        |
|   | DURHAM   | Lakeridge Health Corporation           | Oshawa                               | 96.9%        |
|   | HALTON   | Halton Healthcare Services Corporation | Georgetown Site                      | 66.7%        |
|   | HALTON   | Halton Healthcare Services Corporation | Milton District Hospital             | 100.0%       |
|   | HALTON   | Halton Healthcare Services Corporation | Oakville Trafalgar Memorial Hospital | 109.5%       |
|   | HALTON   | Joseph Brant Hospital                  | Joseph Brant Hospital                | 100.0%       |
|   | PEEL   | Trillium Health Partners               | Mississauga Hospital                 | 100.0%       |
|   | PEEL   | Trillium Health Partners               | The Credit Valley Hospital           | 103.4%       |
|   | PEEL   | William Osler Health Centre            | Brampton Campus                      | 62.5%        |
|   | YORK   | Mackenzie Health                       | Mackenzie Health                     | 94.7%        |
|   | YORK   | Markham Stouffville Hospital           | Markham Stouffville Site             | 110.0%       |
|   | YORK   | Southlake Regional Health Centre       | Southlake Regional Health Centre     | 75.5%        |
|   | <b>TORONTO PHU OCCUPANCY</b>   |  |                                      | <b>88.9%</b> |
|   | <b>GTA PHU OCCUPANCY (INCLUDING TORONTO)</b>   |  |                                      | <b>89.6%</b> |
| COVID-19 mortality rate is extremely low (70+ - 0.054). | <p>As of January 14, 2021, there have been 5,289 COVID-19-related deaths in Ontario. These are not just numbers or statistics – these were people with families, friends and loved ones. Mr. Baber should apologize to each and every one of these families for minimizing their loss.</p> <p>In Ontario, the rate of death for older Ontarians, especially those over the age of 70, is extremely high.</p> |  |                                      |              |

| Age group | Total deat | Population | Death rate |
|-----------|------------|------------|------------|
| 0 to 09   | 1          | 1,518,527  | 0.1        |
| 10 to 19  | 0          | 1,617,937  | 0          |
| 20 to 29  | 6          | 2,100,175  | 0.3        |
| 30 to 39  | 14         | 2,056,056  | 0.7        |
| 40 to 49  | 44         | 1,876,585  | 2.3        |
| 50 to 59  | 158        | 2,060,937  | 7.7        |
| 60 to 69  | 441        | 1,795,047  | 24.6       |
| 70 to 79  | 947        | 1,159,898  | 81.6       |
| 80 to 89  | 1,887      | 539,715    | 349.6      |
| 90+       | 1,690      | 139,551    | 1,211      |

Counts and rates of COVID-19 deaths by age group in Ontario



Total of all deaths divided by total cases = **2.27%**.

Ontario overdose rate is trending 50% above normal

On November 10, 2020, the Ontario Drug Policy Research Network (ODPRN), in collaboration with the Office of the Chief Coroner (OCC), Public Health Ontario (PHO), and the Centre on Drug Policy Evaluation (CDPE) released a new report, indicating that overdose deaths have increased by 38 per cent since the start of the COVID-19 pandemic.

[https://odprn.ca/wp-content/uploads/2020/11/Opioid-Death-Infographic\\_FINAL.pdf](https://odprn.ca/wp-content/uploads/2020/11/Opioid-Death-Infographic_FINAL.pdf)

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|   | <p>Recognizing the significant impact on people’s mental health and challenges with addictions, our government has increased funding this year by historic amounts, with \$370M more being invested in services in every community of the province.</p> <p>As part of this investment we are dedicating \$24.3 million in targeted funding to hire additional staff, increase access to counselling and therapy, create new programs to help manage stress, depression and anxiety, and address eating disorders and other challenges facing children and youth.</p> |
| There have been an “avalanche” of suicides      | Based on preliminary data and analysis, the Office of The Chief Coroner for Ontario has not observed an increase in the number of suicides that occurred from January 2020 to June 2020, when compared with data from recent years.  |
| Ontario has 492 hospitals                       | Ontario has 141 hospital corporations. These hospital corporations make up a total of 228 hospital sites across the province.  |
| Spelling of the hospital:<br>“Princess Margret” | It’s spelled Princess Margaret Cancer Centre.  |