

COVID-19: FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

CDHA's response

How is CDHA responding to COVID-19?

CDHA is actively reviewing and assessing relevant information for dental hygienists related to the 2019 novel coronavirus infection. For detailed information and resources for dental hygienists, refer to www.cdha.ca/safetyalerts

Is CDHA taking measures to suspend non-essential dental hygiene services?

CDHA calls for all dental and dental hygiene offices across Canada to postpone all non-urgent care in a collective effort to mitigate the spread of COVID-19 and support the rational use of personal protective equipment across the health system.

CDHA does not have any legal authority over the provision of dental hygiene services.

Is CDHA working with other counterparts in oral health?

Everyone has a role to play in reducing the impact of this pandemic. CDHA is in regular communication with other national and provincial counterparts regarding possible collaboration and coordination efforts to support the oral health care workforce during these challenging times.

Are there any CDHA webinars related to COVID-19 that I can watch?

The [COVID-19 Insurance Coverage Overview](#) video is now available. Follow CDHA's [YouTube channel](#) and watch for other upcoming video sessions on COVID-19.

View the schedule of available and upcoming webinars from CDHA [here](#).

What is CDHA doing as an employer?

CDHA staff have been working remotely since Friday, March 13, 2020, and will continue to do so until further notice. We are prepared and want to assure you that we are a fully functional "virtual" office.