

#PublicHealthProtects

Durham Region Health Department's (DRHD) COVID-19 response to reduce the spread of illness and protect the health and safety of area residents is a team effort. From January 1, 2022 to December 31, 2022 response activities include:



60,414 test results received and distributed for follow-up



359 inspections related to COVID-19 by DRHD Provincial Offences Officers out of 6,563 total inspections



12,732 COVID-19 phone and email interactions with residents and community partners



1,638 COVID-19 inquiries/complaints received by Durham Health Connection Line's Health Protection staff from businesses or the public, out of 6,995 total inquiries/complaints



21,482 COVID-19 cases with follow up by public health nurses



1,713 COVID-19 public health nurse interactions with schools



72,807 clicks on the link to the Durham Region COVID-19 Data Tracker from durham.ca/novelcoronavirus



63,692 clients screened for COVID-19 by paramedics

220 nasal swabs obtained by paramedic services in congregate living settings and from high risk clients (e.g., housebound, unsheltered)

For information about the status of COVID-19 and COVID-19 vaccinations in Durham Region, please visit durham.ca/covidcases and durham.ca/vaccinetracker