

# PEDIATRIC RESPIRATORY SEASON RESOURCES FOR HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS IN PRIMARY CARE SETTINGS



In preparation for increased rates of pediatric respiratory infections, the following resources have been compiled for pediatric health care providers.

During the respiratory season, children/youth and families should continue to practice personal prevention measures: cleaning hands often, monitoring for symptoms of illness, staying home when sick and practicing respiratory etiquette i.e. masking in indoor public spaces if symptomatic. Encouraging routine childhood immunizations, seasonal influenza and the COVID-19 vaccine for those who are eligible, is an important role for health care providers working with infants, children and youth.

## COMMON RESPIRATORY CONDITIONS

[Asthma Care Across Community Settings](#) provides provincial primary care, urgent care and emergency department guidelines, fillable/printable patient action plans, posters, resource cards, and educational materials for families and caregivers. Resources are available in multiple languages.

[Resource Bundle: Pediatric Asthma](#)

[Resource Bundle: Bronchiolitis](#)

[Resource Bundle: Croup](#)

[Resource Bundle: Respiratory Assessment](#)

## RSV

[BC RSV Immunoprophylaxis Program Resources](#)  
(type "RSV" in 'Search Terms' bar)

[BCCDC RSV Surveillance Data](#)  
(found within the Influenza Surveillance Reports)

## COVID 19

[BCCDC COVID-19 Pediatric Clinical Care Resources](#)

## ADDITIONAL HEALTH CARE PROVIDER RESOURCES

[BCCDC 2023/24 Seasonal Influenza Vaccine Eligibility](#)

[Indications for Oseltamivir Usage for the Influenza Season](#)

[Short Guide to the Wise Use of Antibiotics](#)

## PATIENT, FAMILY & CAREGIVER RESOURCES

[BCCDC COVID-19 and Children](#)

[Information for Families and Caregivers on Children's Fever and Pain Medication](#)

[Message to Parents and Caregivers of Children Seeking Medical Care \(Translations available\)](#)

Further resources can be found on [PHSA SHOP](#) and [Pathways BC](#). Please refer to your local health authority respiratory care policies and guidelines

