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Interior Health declares COVID-19 outbreak over at Kelowna General Hospital

KELOWNA – Interior Health has declared the COVID-19 outbreak over in unit 3E at Kelowna General Hospital (KGH).

A total of three cases – two patients and one staff – were linked to the outbreak on this unit. Sadly, one person passed away due to their illness.

“I would like to thank the team at KGH for their efforts in containing this outbreak,” said Interior Health president and CEO Susan Brown. “The best thing we can do to protect ourselves and our community against COVID-19 is to get vaccinated. If you haven’t received your first dose yet, I encourage you to visit one of our clinics today.”

Everyone in all communities should remain vigilant in following COVID-19 precautions:

- Stay home when you are sick and get tested if you have any symptoms consistent with COVID-19.
- Practise physical distancing and wash your hands often.
- Wear a mask.
- Register and get vaccinated.

There are three ways to register and schedule a COVID-19 vaccine:

1. Online by visiting the provincial website at www.getvaccinated.gov.bc.ca/
2. By phone 1-833-838-2323
3. In person at a Service BC office listed [here](#).

For a list of all Interior Health COVID-19 immunization clinics and other resources visit:

<https://news.interiorhealth.ca/news/covid-19-vaccines/>

To learn about B.C.’s Restart Plan and COVID-19 Immunization Plan, visit: www.gov.bc.ca/covid

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