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From: Henry, Bonnie HLTH:EX <Bonnie.Henry@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 15, 2021 8:51 PM
To: Irvine, Mike [BCCDC]
Cc: Gustafson, Reka HLTH:IN; Otterstatter, Michael [BCCDC]; XT:Patrick, David HLTH:IN; XT:Smolina, Kate HLTH:IN; Janjua, Naveed N HLTH:IN
Subject: Re: UBC-SFU modelling report 16th June 2021

Thanks very much, Mike this is very helpful. I wish they would stop portraying the 'variants' as entities on their own. These are people and stopping transmission between people stops the virus from spreading regardless of its genetic makeup. What we need to focus on is basic public health following every case. But I am ranting...

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> On Jun 15, 2021, at 8:39 PM, Irvine, Mike [BCCDC] <mike.irvine@bccdc.ca> wrote:

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> Dear Bonnie and Reka,

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> Here is the latest report from the UBC-SFU modelling group that's been embargoed for 16th June. They only sent it across to us this afternoon, so I've quickly created a summary for you both below:

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> · They note that with recent VoC data, delta variant cases remain roughly constant, however they also note they have been growing in other jurisdictions including Alberta.

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> · Modeling and projection updates indicate that first phase of reopening did not lead to an increase in cases and cases are likely to continue to decline with further re-opening (these scenarios do not include any potential vaccine escape due to delta variant)

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> · The group indicates confusion in their interpretation of the VoC data and how to incorporate into their analyses. They highlight the recent large number of sequences uploaded to GISAID.

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> As always let me know if you have any questions or comments.
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> Best Wishes,
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> Mike
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Godfrey, Sonora HLTH:EX

From: Henry, Bonnie HLTH:EX
Sent: July 6, 2021 5:24 PM
To: Sbihi, Hind [BCCDC]
Subject: Re: COVID-19 WGS lineage summary table
Attachments: Lineage_table_2021-07-06.docx

Thanks Hind,

It would be really helpful if these numbers could be put in a bit of context. Essentially are they increasing or decreasing or include the percent of the VOC and numbers of each. That table you sent last week was helpful. It is just hard to look at this table and know if delta is increasing and by how much for example.

Thanks!

Bonnie

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On Jul 6, 2021, at 5:20 PM, Sbihi, Hind [BCCDC] <hind.sbihi@bccdc.ca> wrote:

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Dear all:

Please find attached the latest WGS variant summary table.

With my best,

Hind

From: Sbihi, Hind [BCCDC]

Sent: Friday, July 02, 2021 1:28 PM

To: Henry, Bonnie [EXT] <bonnie.henry@gov.bc.ca>; Gustafson, Reka [BCCDC] <reka.gustafson@phsa.ca>

Cc: Krajden, Mel [BCCDC] <Mel.Krajden@bccdc.ca>; Sandhu, Jat [BCCDC] <jat.sandhu@bccdc.ca>; Galanis, Eleni [BCCDC] <Eleni.Galanis@bccdc.ca>; Hoang, Linda [BCCDC] <Linda.Hoang@bccdc.ca>; Smolina, Kate [BCCDC] <Kate.Smolina@bccdc.ca>; Mooder, Karen [PHSA] <Karen.Mooder@phsa.ca>; Jassem, Agatha [BCCDC] <Agatha.Jassem@bccdc.ca>; Sekirov, Inna [BCCDC] <inna.sekirov@bccdc.ca>; Prystajecy, Natalie [BCCDC] <Natalie.Prystajecy@bccdc.ca>; Tyson, John [BCCDC] <john.tyson@bccdc.ca>; James Zlosnik [EXT] <jzlosnik@bcchr.ubc.ca>; HLTH.COVIDAnalytics@gov.bc.ca; COVID Surveillance <COVID.Surveillance@bccdc.ca>; Gilks, Blake [VCH] <blake.gilks@vch.ca>

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Dear all:

Please find attached the latest WGS variant summary table.

Note that a new lineage (B.1.621) has been added to this table.

B.1.621 was identified as an additional lineage to monitor (ALM as per our category classification) given

- It contains E484K mutation as well as N501Y, similar to Gamma
- It was designated as a Variant of Interest (VOI) as per the European CDC

Kindest regards,

Hind

From: Sbihi, Hind [BCCDC]

Sent: Tuesday, June 29, 2021 12:29 PM

To: Henry, Bonnie [EXT] <bonnie.henry@gov.bc.ca>; Gustafson, Reka [BCCDC] <reka.gustafson@phsa.ca>

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From: Sbihi, Hind [BCCDC]

Sent: Tuesday, June 22, 2021 12:44 PM

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Best wishes,

Hind

From: Sbihi, Hind [BCCDC] <hind.sbihi@bccdc.ca>

Sent: Thursday, June 17, 2021 3:54 PM

To: Henry, Bonnie [EXT] <bonnie.henry@gov.bc.ca>; Gustafson, Reka [BCCDC] <reka.gustafson@phsa.ca>

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Best wishes,
Hind

From: Sbihi, Hind [BCCDC]

Sent: Tuesday, June 15, 2021 9:59 AM

To: Henry, Bonnie [EXT]; Gustafson, Reka [BCCDC]

Cc: Krajden, Mel [BCCDC]; Sandhu, Jat [BCCDC]; Galanis, Eleni [BCCDC]; Hoang, Linda [BCCDC]; Smolina, Kate [BCCDC]; Mooder, Karen [PHSA]; Jassem, Agatha [BCCDC]; Sekirov, Inna [BCCDC]; Prystajec, Natalie [BCCDC]; Tyson, John [BCCDC]; James Zlosnik [EXT]; HLTH.COVIDAnalytics@gov.bc.ca; COVID Surveillance; Gilks, Blake [VCH]

Subject: RE: COVID-19 WGS lineage summary table

Dear all

Please find attached the latest update of the WGS variant summary table.

With my best wishes,

Hind

From: Sbihi, Hind [BCCDC]

Sent: Thursday, June 10, 2021 4:17 PM

To: Henry, Bonnie [EXT] <bonnie.henry@gov.bc.ca>; Gustafson, Reka [BCCDC] <reka.gustafson@phsa.ca>

Cc: Krajden, Mel [BCCDC] <Mel.Krajden@bccdc.ca>; Sandhu, Jat [BCCDC] <jat.sandhu@bccdc.ca>; Galanis, Eleni [BCCDC] <Eleni.Galanis@bccdc.ca>; Hoang, Linda [BCCDC] <Linda.Hoang@bccdc.ca>; Galanis, Eleni [BCCDC] <Eleni.Galanis@bccdc.ca>; Smolina, Kate [BCCDC] <Kate.Smolina@bccdc.ca>; Mooder, Karen [PHSA] <Karen.Mooder@phsa.ca>; Jassem, Agatha [BCCDC] <Agatha.Jassem@bccdc.ca>; Sekirov, Inna [BCCDC] <inna.sekirov@bccdc.ca>; Prystajec, Natalie [BCCDC] <Natalie.Prystajec@bccdc.ca>; Tyson, John [BCCDC] <john.tyson@bccdc.ca>; James Zlosnik [EXT] <jzlosnik@bcchr.ubc.ca>; HLTH.COVIDAnalytics@gov.bc.ca; COVID Surveillance <COVID.Surveillance@bccdc.ca>; Gilks, Blake [VCH] <blake.gilks@vch.ca>

Subject: RE: COVID-19 WGS lineage summary table

Dear all

Please find attached the latest update of the WGS variant summary table.

With my best wishes,
Hind

From: Sbihi, Hind [BCCDC]
Sent: Tuesday, June 08, 2021 11:34 AM
To: Henry, Bonnie [EXT]; Gustafson, Reka [BCCDC]
Cc: Krajden, Mel [BCCDC]; Sandhu, Jat [BCCDC]; Galanis, Eleni [BCCDC]; Hoang, Linda [BCCDC]; Galanis, Eleni [BCCDC]; Smolina, Kate [BCCDC]; Mooder, Karen [PHSA]; Jassem, Agatha [BCCDC]; Sekirov, Inna [BCCDC]; Prystajec, Natalie [BCCDC]; Tyson, John [BCCDC]; James Zlosnik [EXT]; HLTH.COVIDAnalytics@gov.bc.ca; COVID Surveillance; Gilks, Blake [VCH]
Subject: RE: COVID-19 WGS lineage summary table

Dear all

Please find attached the most up to date WGS variant summary table.

Kind regards

Hind

From: Sbihi, Hind [BCCDC]
Sent: Thursday, June 03, 2021 2:32 PM
To: Henry, Bonnie [EXT] <bonnie.henry@gov.bc.ca>; Gustafson, Reka [BCCDC] <reka.gustafson@phsa.ca>
Cc: Krajden, Mel [BCCDC] <Mel.Krajden@bccdc.ca>; Sandhu, Jat [BCCDC] <jat.sandhu@bccdc.ca>; Galanis, Eleni [BCCDC] <Eleni.Galanis@bccdc.ca>; Hoang, Linda [BCCDC] <Linda.Hoang@bccdc.ca>; Galanis, Eleni [BCCDC] <Eleni.Galanis@bccdc.ca>; Smolina, Kate [BCCDC] <Kate.Smolina@bccdc.ca>; Mooder, Karen [PHSA] <Karen.Mooder@phsa.ca>; Jassem, Agatha [BCCDC] <Agatha.Jassem@bccdc.ca>; Sekirov, Inna [BCCDC] <inna.sekirov@bccdc.ca>; Prystajec, Natalie [BCCDC] <Natalie.Prystajec@bccdc.ca>; Tyson, John [BCCDC] <john.tyson@bccdc.ca>; James Zlosnik [EXT] <jzlosnik@bcchr.ubc.ca>; HLTH.COVIDAnalytics@gov.bc.ca; COVID Surveillance <COVID.Surveillance@bccdc.ca>; Gilks, Blake [VCH] <blake.gilks@vch.ca>
Subject: RE: COVID-19 WGS lineage summary table

Dear all

In the attached you will find the most up to date WGS variant summary table, latest run of sequencing data was resulted today.

Kind regards,

Hind

From: Sbihi, Hind [BCCDC]
Sent: Tuesday, June 01, 2021 10:58 AM
To: Henry, Bonnie [EXT] <bonnie.henry@gov.bc.ca>; Gustafson, Reka [BCCDC] <reka.gustafson@phsa.ca>
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Dear all:

Please find attached the latest available Covid-19 WGS variant summary table.

We now show the numbers for all B.1.617 sub-lineages by sequencing indication as well as the denominators for each category.

Kindest regards,

Hind

From: Sbihi, Hind [BCCDC]

Sent: Thursday, May 27, 2021 12:11 PM

To: Henry, Bonnie [EXT] <bonnie.henry@gov.bc.ca>; Gustafson, Reka [BCCDC] <reka.gustafson@phsa.ca>

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Kind regards,

Hind

From: Sbihi, Hind [BCCDC]

Sent: Tuesday, May 25, 2021 12:01 PM

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Sent: Thursday, May 20, 2021 1:45 PM

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Sent: Tuesday, May 18, 2021 12:37 PM

To: Henry, Bonnie [EXT] <bonnie.henry@gov.bc.ca>; Gustafson, Reka [BCCDC] <reka.gustafson@phsa.ca>
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No new analyses were run between yesterday evening at the time this report was generated and this morning.

Best wishes,

Hind

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To: Henry, Bonnie [EXT] <bonnie.henry@gov.bc.ca>; Gustafson, Reka [BCCDC] <reka.gustafson@phsa.ca>

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Sent: Thursday, May 06, 2021 10:11 AM

To: Henry, Bonnie [EXT] <bonnie.henry@gov.bc.ca>; Gustafson, Reka [BCCDC] <reka.gustafson@phsa.ca>

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Sent: Tuesday, May 04, 2021 10:28 AM

To: Henry, Bonnie [EXT] <bonnie.henry@gov.bc.ca>; Gustafson, Reka [BCCDC] <reka.gustafson@phsa.ca>

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Subject: RE: COVID-19 WGS lineage summary table

Hello

Please find attached the latest available COVID-19 WGS variant summary table.

With my best,

Hind Sbihi, PhD

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Hello Bonnie

Please find attached the latest available COVID-19 WGS variant summary table for your information.

We are also sharing this table with National Microbiology Laboratory (NML).

Please note that all sub-lineages for the B.1.617 variant have been collapsed within this strain, in alignment with NML.

With my best wishes,

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From: Henry, Bonnie HLTH:EX
Sent: June 15, 2021 10:25 AM
To: XT:HLTH Brodtkin, Elizabeth; 'Laura Ballance'; Emerson, Brian P HLTH:EX
Cc: Kerwin, Oona [FH]; XT:Tyler, Ingrid FRHA:IN
Subject: RE: Banquet Halls and Provincial Health Officer Orders

I agree. I am not comfortable with buffets at this point in the restart. This is something that is still a risk particularly in areas where we are still seeing transmission and of the more transmissible delta variant. Until later in the summer when we have a higher dose 2 immunization this type of activity needs to be limited.

Bonnie

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Subject: RE: Banquet Halls and Provincial Health Officer Orders

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This is a provincial decision as there are banquet halls in other health authorities as well as FH. But our recommendation is to ask patrons to stay seated during this phase of re-opening, and to limit activities that will lead to mingling within the broader group – consistent with the list at the bottom of this chain.

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From: Laura Ballance <laura@lbmg.ca>
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Subject: Re: Banquet Halls and Provincial Health Officer Orders

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Ok, please advise asap as the owners had been told buffets and self-serve bars were ok and they are opening tomorrow without staff levels to support seated dining and bar. Additionally, as the halls never have seated table serve it will be a big change in how the halls normally work. If this is a change it will force the cancellation likely of the next two weeks of events so I need to let me know asap –

Laura

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Subject: RE: Banquet Halls and Provincial Health Officer Orders

Asking Ingrid and Oona to weigh in, but our preference is not. Buffets and self serve bars mean people will congregate in those areas, and risks undoing the good achieved by all of the other distancing measures in the list below.

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Subject: Re: Banquet Halls and Provincial Health Officer Orders

Dr. Emerson I thought buffets and self serve bars would be allowed? Laura

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Subject: Banquet Halls and Provincial Health Officer Orders

Hello Laura.

As discussed, please see the attached letter, with the content pasted below for convenience.

Thanks.

Brian

Dr. Brian P. Emerson, Deputy Provincial Health Officer (acting)
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British Columbia Banquet Hall Association
c/o Laura Ballance by email: laura@lbmg.ca
Laura Balance Media Group

Dear Laura Ballance:

Thank you for the recent meeting and follow-up telephone call regarding Provincial Health Officer rules for re-opening of banquet halls. While the detailed rules are soon to be published, I can provide a high level summary of the main limitations.

However, first of all, I must acknowledge how difficult this has been for all those involved in banquet halls and their customers. Hopefully, with initial careful, small steps the banquet halls will be able to resume full operations later this summer.

As mentioned by Dr. Bonnie Henry, Minister Adrian Dix, and Premier John Horgan we are involved in a slow and careful re-opening of British Columbia. We need to move step-by-step to safely get back to where we want to be, with the slow going forward being important to ensure we do not go backwards from initial lifting of restrictions.

With regards to banquet halls, below is an overview of the main rules that will be in place June 15. Please note that the formal rules will be published later today or tomorrow, and it will be important to read those carefully to understand the all limitations, and to ensure all the rules are being followed:

- Capacity will be limited to 50 customers
- Access must be controlled
- Contact information of all people attending must be recorded
- Everyone must remain seated and stay in the same seat
- No more than six people can sit at a table
- Tables and chair must be spaced with two metres between the backs of the chairs
- There will be no self-serve food or liquor allowed
- Liquor can only be served to patrons who are seated
- Dancing is not allowed and dance floors must be closed
- Customers must not sing or engage in karaoke
- Liquor sales must cease at midnight
- Customers must disperse immediately after an event and must not congregate with participants who are leaving the event or arriving for a subsequent event

As I mentioned, more details will be coming soon, but in the meantime, I hope that this assists in your preparations for re-opening banquet halls.

I will send you the final version of the order as soon as it is available.

Sincerely,

Dr. Brian P. Emerson, MD, MHSC
Deputy Provincial Health Officer (acting)

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From: Henry, Bonnie HLTH:EX
Sent: July 3, 2021 8:33 AM
To: Brown, Stephen R HLTH:EX
Subject: FW: VCH COVID-19 Vaccination Planning and Operations

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Subject: Fwd: VCH COVID-19 Vaccination Planning and Operations

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Sent: Friday, July 2, 2021 4:06 PM
To: Eliopoulos, Vivian [VCH]; Penny Ballem
Subject: Fwd: VCH COVID-19 Vaccination Planning and Operations

Vivian has asked me to forward this email to you for discussion as she is currently driving.

Penny, Vivian will phone you shortly.

Darcia

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Daly, Patty [VCH]" <Patricia.Daly@vch.ca>
Date: July 2, 2021 at 12:54:48 PM PDT
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Subject: VCH COVID-19 Vaccination Planning and Operations

Dear Vivian,

I apologize for sending you this note when you are on holiday, but I will be on holiday next week and wanted to make sure you were aware of this when you get back.

I have advised Darcia this morning and^{s.22}

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Public health will

continue to supply the vaccine inventory for the clinics and review all Vaccine-Associated Adverse Events, as we have been.

^{s.13}

I will be away next week but Mark Lysyshyn will be covering for me if there are any questions.

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Subject: For your information: SAC Draft Highlights, Outcomes and Follow Ups for June 8, 2021

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Dear SAC Members,

Please find below a summary of the draft highlights, outcomes and follow up items from our June 8th meeting. You are invited to provide feedback to the Secretariat.

Thank you for not distributing these further.

Kind regards,

SAC Secretariat

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Subject: Decision on shortening of interval between dose 1 and 2

I am following up our discussion Monday about moving to more permissive ability to give second doses before 49 days while still encouraging most people to remain at the longer interval given the increasing evidence that a longer interval gives stronger, longer lasting protection.

As we discussed, I worked through the options with the operations team to ensure we do not create backlogs in invites that would lead to longer wait times for those who have already passed 49 days. The modelling Terry presented shows that the large majority of dose two invites and bookings for this large group will be completed by the end of this week. In addition, they have let me know there is no way to allow people to book without the system automatically sending an invite to the entire group eligible. This would result in close to 200K invites being sent. If that happened this week that would again cause increased wait times and over booking of clinics.

Given the data on effectiveness as well as the operational considerations we have agreed to continue the current 49 day invitation/eligibility through this weekend and make the change to the system on Thursday next week (after walk in Wednesday). The new invite will say that we recommend that people receive dose 2 at about 42-49days but that they can receive it any time after 28 days. This will allow us to make vaccines available to more younger people sooner.

We will continue with the exceptions that we have agreed upon, including areas of high delta transmission and we have made that change for people in the Central Okanagan outbreak. Travel to the central OK is not a reason to reduce the interval as the advice from IH is not to travel there at this time unless you are fully vaccinated (14 days post dose 2). If people want early access for that reason they should be advised that travel is not recommended right now.

My best,
Bonnie

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Subject: Record of Decision | PHLC meeting | Wednesday July 28th, 2021

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Good afternoon,

Please find attached the RoD from the Public Health Leadership Committee meeting held on July 28th, 2021.

If you have any edits or changes please reply with tracked changes to marianne.henderson@bccdc.ca and I'll make sure to save and distribute the updated versions.

Kind regards,

Marianne Henderson (she/her)

Operations Coordinator – Central Administration

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Good afternoon,

Please find attached the agenda for tomorrow's Public Health Leadership Committee call.

We're pleased to share with you the recently completed report: *Impacts of the COVID-19 Pandemic on the Health and Well-Being of Young Adults in British Columbia*. The full report is available on the [BCCDC website](#).

Kind regards,

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